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QUESTION OF THE MONTH

The Ethics Rounds article in this issue describes one of the complex ethical dilemmas that can arise in palliative care. Effective pain management at the end-of-life, appropriate palliative care measures, and acceptable levels of staff education and knowledge are only some of the decisions that must be made in developing appropriate and ethically sensitive policy. Do you believe the current knowledge of palliative care practices among VHA staff is adequate to address the ethical issues that arise in end-of-life care?

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YES NO