

What are human beings that you are mindful of them, mortals that you care for them? Yet you have made them a little lower than God and crowned them with glory and honour.

*Psalm 8: 4-5*

We cover everything from before the cradle to after the grave: from embryo research to organ donation and anything medical or health related in between.

We are launching a new 'UK Minority ethnic mental health toolkit' The toolkit helps to to raise awareness and to provide information for Church leaders, Church workers and Chaplains to assist them in gaining a better understanding of issues relevant to UKME mental health, a link to which is in the list below.

We contribute actively and positively to debates on a wide range of issues including:

- ~~Assisted suicide~~
- ~~Organ donation~~
- ~~Human enhancement~~
- ~~Abortion~~
- Mitochondrial Donation
- ~~Embryo Research~~
- ~~Minority Ethnic Mental Health~~
- ~~NHS Chaplaincy~~
- ~~NHS Reform~~
- ~~Social Care Reform~~
- ~~Genome-editing~~
- Human-animal research

Ongoing areas of investigation include:

- Living organ donation
- Artificial Intelligence and Robotics
- Public Health

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Based on core Christian beliefs, we advocate four main principles for all areas of medical ethics and health and social care:

1. Affirming life
2. Caring for the vulnerable
3. Building a caring and cohesive society
4. Respecting Individuals

You can read further details of our approach to [medical ethics here](#).

There are no easy answers, but we believe that these principles help us to promote practices that are safe, that work, that are ethical and that are wise.

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