

Date: Thursday, March 31, 2022

Session: Concurrent Session #11

Title: "Oh, They're Fine.": Strangulation in Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault ED Cases

Time: 2:00pm - 3:00pm

Moderator: Debra Kitchens

Speaker: Jess Hobbs, DO, Ellen Kennedy, BSN, RN, SANE-A

Bio:

Ellen Kennedy has served as the SANE Coordinator for Prisma Health Upstate since April 2018. Since that time, she has helped guide the creation of a Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner Program that offers 24/7/365 coverage for 4 counties in Upstate South Carolina. She also is the recipient of a \$1 million dollar HRSA grant to recruit and train SANE staff in rural areas.

Dr. Jessica Hobbs has been the Medical Director of the Memorial Emergency Department, a Level One Trauma Center in Greenville, South Carolina. She is also the Medical Director of the Sexual Assault Forensic Examiner program at Prisma Health for the last five years. She services as the alternate councilor for the Forensic Medicine Section of the American College of Emergency Medicine Physicians.