



PROGRESSIVE BI ETHICS INITIATIVE

PROGRESSIVE VISION AND VALUES

OUR VISION:

We believe in the potential of medical science to improve the lives of all people, shaped by our shared values and addressing the causes of human suffering while advancing the creative spirit. Society and government must work to nurture this science, ensuring that it continues to develop ethically and engaging the new complexities that arise from burgeoning technology.

OUR PRINCIPLES:

HUMAN DIGNITY:

PROMOTE THE ABILITY OF INDIVIDUALS TO ACHIEVE A SENSE OF THEIR UNIQUE WORTH AND PURSUE THEIR VISION OF THE GOOD LIFE.

CRITICAL OPTIMISM:

SUPPORT A SCIENCE THAT IMPROVES OUR LIVES, FREES OUR IMAGINATION, AND IS RESPONSIVE TO OUR HUMAN VALUES.

EQUITY:

ENSURE EQUAL ACCESS TO THE BENEFITS OF MODERN SOCIETY, INCLUDING HEALTH CARE AND MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY.

SOCIAL JUSTICE:

SUPPORT SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC POLICIES THAT RESPECT AND PROTECT THE LIVES AND HEALTH OF ALL PEOPLE.

OUR STRATEGY:

We will work with progressive thinkers, policymakers and organizations to address both longstanding and emerging bioethics issues in light of our principles and develop positions and plans that will help ensure that science and medicine are a continuing source of intelligence in the service of humanity.