

## Some Web Based Resources for Bioethics

### **National Catholic Bioethics Centre** <http://www.ncbcenter.org/>

The National Catholic Bioethics Centre (NCBC), established in 1972, conducts research, consultation, publishing and education to promote human dignity in health care and the life sciences, and derives its message directly from the teachings of the Catholic Church. The results of this research are available through this website and our various educational and publishing activities, workshops and seminars.

### **Queensland Bioethics Centre** <http://bne.catholic.net.au/qbc/>

The Queensland Bioethics Centre is a community service sponsored by the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Brisbane, Australia. We provide regular briefings on current bioethical issues, an up-to-date resource library, workshops for professional and community groups and parishes, and an online resource centre. Introduction to bioethics for school groups by appointment.

The Queensland Bioethics Centre was established by Archbishop Rush in 1981. Its mandate is to provide an up-to-date resource library, expert advice, representation and education on bioethical questions.

### **John Paul II Institute For Marriage and Family** <http://www.jp2institute.org/>

The John Paul II Institute for Marriage & Family is located in Melbourne, Australia and offers unique opportunities for study in the theology of marriage and family and in bioethics.

The mission of the Institute is to promote marriage and the family for the good of the whole Church and the wider community, within the context of higher education in Australia and education in theology.

### **Caroline Chisholm Centre For Health Ethics** <http://www.mercyhealth.com.au/>

The Caroline Chisholm Centre for Health Ethics began operation in March 1995. It began as a response to Catholic Hospitals' demand for greater understanding and advice on ethical issues in health care.

The Centre was publicly launched on July 20, 1995 with a discussion on euthanasia. The Centre began its quest for ethical understanding and looks to Caroline Chisholm for inspiration and determination in its work.

The Centre publishes a Bulletin quarterly, which is an important outreach for the Centre. The journals articles are short, solid, well researched, readable and directed to informed persons seeking moral truth in health ethics in the Catholic Christian tradition.

[ACBC Guidelines on Nutrition and Hydration](#) 2004