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Healthcare today raises many ethical issues, both for the individual making personal treatment decisions, and for a Catholic healthcare facility that provides services.

The Archdiocesan Medical-Moral Commission has revised and updated the handbook that provides guidance relative to medical-moral ethical issues. The members of the Commission are to be commended for their work.

As the Archbishop of Dubuque, I have reviewed the documents in this handbook and hereby approve them; all Catholics in the Archdiocese are encouraged to study and observe them.

Michael O. Jackels Archbishop of Dubuque

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