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Nephrology Conference 2023

March 18, 2023

UofL Health – Heart Hospital
UofL Health – Rudd Center
16th Floor Conference Center
Louisville, KY

Updates in transplant nephrology and treatment of glomerulonephritis patients for general nephrology providers

Objectives:

- Describe developments in immunosuppression for kidney transplant patients
- Identify new emerging ways to monitor for the efficacy of immunosuppression
- List criteria for combined kidney and pancreas transplantation and how it is different from kidney alone transplant
- Describe new kidney allocation system that affects decisions on listing with multiple programs, wait times for cadaver kidney
- Identify newest evidence-based treatments of glomerulonephritis patients
- Review data on hepatitis C positive donor transplantation

Course Description

There have been a lot of new developments in kidney transplantation in recent years – including allocation of cadaveric kidneys, use of hepatitis C positive donor kidneys, changes in immunosuppression and monitoring for the efficacy of it. This course will familiarize general nephrology providers with all the new developments, so they can help their dialysis and CKD patients make important decisions on accepting a hepatitis C positive kidney or listing at multiple centers. This course will also update general nephrology providers on the developments in management of immunosuppression for the patients they follow long-term post-transplant. Dr. Dawn Caster, internationally known expert in glomerulonephritis, will give updates in the treatment of patients with IgA nephropathy and Lupus nephritis.



Dylan Adamson, M.D.



Dawn Caster, M.D.



Hitarth Dave, M.D.



Mary Eng, M.D.



Lina Mackelaite, M.D.

Agenda:

8:30–9 a.m.	Registration/Continental Breakfast
9–10 a.m.	Opening Remarks/Immunosuppression Post Kidney Transplant – Does One Size Fit All? Lina Mackelaite, M.D.
10–11 a.m.	Review and Update of Kidney/Pancreas Transplantation Mary Eng, M.D.
11–11:30 a.m.	Hepatitis C Positive Donor Transplant Dylan Adamson, M.D.
11:30 a.m.–noon	Keeping Up with Changes in Cadaveric Kidney Allocation Lina Mackelaite, MD
Noon–12:30 p.m.	Lunch
12:30–1 p.m.	Living Donor Transplantation Dylan Adamson, M.D.
1–2 p.m.	Updates in the Treatment of Lupus Nephritis and IgA Nephropathy Dawn Castor, M.D.
2–3 p.m.	Recurrent Glomerulonephritis in Kidney Transplant Recipient Hitarth Dave, M.D.
3 p.m.	Closing remarks

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