



KIDNEY TRANSPLANT SYMPOSIUM 2018

Navigating Through Transplant

TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 2018 | 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

AUDIENCE/CONTENT

For all levels of nephrology nurses, social workers and renal unit staff. Course material will cover applicable to beginner, intermediate and advanced level professionals.

LOCATION

Medical Education and Research Building, Suite 217
Lewis Katz School of Medicine at Temple University
3500 N Broad St, Philadelphia, PA

There is access to garage parking (\$12 for the day) available on Ontario and Tioga Street, or easy access via public transportation. Please specify any necessary disability accommodations.

RSVP BY JUNE 7

To RSVP, request accommodations for individuals with disabilities or for more information:

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. Break down transplant options for patients
2. Explain major changes to Allocation System
3. Define transplant for Patients with Diabetes and renal failure
4. Break down, Recall, and explain real life experience with transplant
5. Construct an immunosuppressive regimen based on patient-specific characteristics
6. Explain the impact of weight for transplant patients
7. Summarize the facts about living donation and demonstrate ways to talk about living donation

TOPICS

Introduction to Temple Transplant Team

Antonio Di Carlo, MD, CM, FACS, FRCSC

Navigating Through Transplant Options

Sunil Karhadkar, MD, Ph.D.

Kidney Allocation Defined

Serban Constantinescu, MD, Ph.D.

What if Your Patient has Diabetes?

Antonio Di Carlo, MD, CM, FACS, FRCSC

Patient Panel

Recipient and Living Donor

How Many Pills Will I Have to Take –

Immunosuppression in Kidney Transplant

Adam Diamond, PharmD, BCPS

How Can Weight Impact My Transplant? –

Weight Loss/Management

Jacquelyn Costa, MA, RD, LDN
and Emily Ruzicka, RD, LDN

Helping Break the Ice –

How to Talk About Living Donation

Heather Marzucco, RN, BSN
Nurse Coordinator, Kidney Transplant Program

This is a free event but seating is limited. There will be a complimentary Continental breakfast and lunch. Attendees will receive a printed certificate for five continuing education credits, immediately upon completion of the course and participation evaluation.

Temple University Hospital – Abdominal Transplant Department, provider #1559, is approved as a provider for social work continuing education by the Association of Social Work Boards (ASWB) www.aswb.org, through the Approved Continuing Education (ACE) program. Temple University Hospital – Abdominal Transplant Department maintains responsibility for the program. ASWB Approval Period: _____ (dates). Social workers should contact their regulatory board to determine course approval. Social workers participating in this course will receive 5 continuing education clock hours

Abdominal Organ
Transplant Program





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AGENDA

8:00 – 9:00 AM

**Welcome and Registration
(Continental Breakfast)**

9:00 – 9:15 AM

Introduction to Temple Transplant Team
Dr. Antonio Di Carlo, MD, CM, FACS, FRCSC

9:15 – 10:15 AM

Navigating Through Transplant Options
Dr. Sunil Karhadkar, MD, PhD

10:15 – 10:45 AM

Kidney Allocation Defined
Dr. Serban Constantinescu, MD, PhD

10:45 – 11:15 AM

What if Your Patient Has Diabetes
Dr. Antonio Di Carlo, MD, CM, FACS, FRCSC

11:15 – 11:45 AM

Break/Grab Lunches

11:45 AM – 12:45 PM

**Patient Panel
Recipient and Living Donor**

12:45 – 1:45 PM

**How Many Pills Will I Have to Take:
Immunosuppression in
Kidney Transplant**
Adam Diamond, PharmD, BCPS

1:45 – 2:15 PM

**How Can Weight Affect My Transplant:
Weight Loss and Management**
Jacquelyn Costa, MA, RD, LDN
and Emily Ruzicka, RD, LDN

2:15 – 2:45 PM

**Helping Break the Ice:
How to Talk About Living Donation**

Heather Marzucco, RN, BSN
*Nurse Coordinator,
Kidney Transplant Program*

2:45 – 3:00 PM

Closing Remarks
Antonio Di Carlo, MD, CM, FACS, FRCSC

3:00 – 4:00 PM

**Complete Evaluations and
Certificate Pick Up**

SPEAKERS

Antonio Di Carlo, MD, CM, FACS, FRCSC

*Chief, Abdominal Organ Transplant Surgery
Associate Professor, Surgery, Temple University Hospital*

Specializes in transplantation of liver, kidney, and pancreas/multivisceral transplant surgery/Laparoscopic and single incision laparoscopic living donor nephrectomy and adrenalectomy/liver resection/biliary reconstruction, adrenal surgery. Fellowship, transplant surgery, University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics, Madison, WI; fellowship, experimental surgery (research), McGill University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada; residency, general surgery, McGill University Health Center, Montreal, Quebec, Canada; MD, McGill University, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

Sunil S. Karhadkar, MD, FACS

Assistant Professor, Surgery, Temple University Hospital

Specializes in kidney and pancreas transplantation/molecular mechanisms of injury repair and renewal and their links to organ regeneration and oncogenesis/dialysis access surgery/living kidney donation/liver transplantation. Fellowship, molecular biology and genetics, molecular pathology (research), Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD; fellowship, abdominal organ transplantation surgery, University of Maryland Medical Center, Baltimore, MD; residency, general surgery, Sinai Hospital of Baltimore, Baltimore, MD; residency, general surgery and urology, King Edward VII Memorial Hospital, Mumbai, India; MD, University of Mumbai, Mumbai, India.

Serban Constantinescu, MD, PhD

Professor, Medicine, Temple University Hospital

Specializes in Renal transplantation and holds certificates in Internal Medicine and Nephrology. Fellowship, University of Pennsylvania; internship, St. Vincent's Medical Center; PhD, Carol Davila University; MD, Carol Davila University.

Adam Diamond, PharmD, BCPS

*Clinical Pharmacy Specialist,
Abdominal Organ Transplant, Temple University Hospital*

Areas of Interest: liver, kidney, and pancreas transplantation/transplant infectious diseases/immunosuppression pharmacokinetics; Doctor of Pharmacy – Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, University of the Sciences, Philadelphia, PA; PGY-1- Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center; Boston, MA; PGY-2 Solid Organ Transplant – Rush University Medical Center, Chicago, IL.

Jacquelyn Costa, MA, RD, LDN

Clinical Dietitian, Temple University Hospital

Masters of Art in Nutrition Education, Immaculata University; Bachelor of Science, nutrition, La Salle University.

Emily Ruzicka, RD/LDN

Clinical Registered Dietitian, Temple University Hospital

Specialties: kidney/pancreas transplantation, renal nutrition; BS, La Salle University, Philadelphia; internship, Temple University Hospital; Abington Memorial Hospital; Temple Center for Obesity Research and Education (CORE); The Food Trust.

Heather Marcuzzo, RN, BSN

*Living Donor Nurse Coordinator, Temple University Hospital
BSN, Grand Canyon University*

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