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EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

At the end of this course, learners will be able to:

1. Discuss current kidney allocation in the US and changes that may occur in the next year.
2. Understand why patients with ESRD might consider HCV positive kidneys and UVA’s experience managing care after transplant.
3. Describe characteristics of successful renal transplant recipients.
4. Discuss reasons that patients may not consider kidney transplantation as a treatment option for their ESRD.
5. Review key immunologic concepts and management of rejection after kidney transplant.
6. Describe what caregivers encounter when their loved one receives a kidney transplant.

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9:00 Welcome -- Barb Shephard, BSN, RN, CCTC

9:05 Kidney Allocation: Who gets offered what, when and WHY? -- Alden Doyle, MD
  • Discuss how allocation system determines which patients will be offered kidneys in what timeframe
  • Identify characteristics that may make patients more likely to be offered a kidney

9:35 Adapting to the times: Remote Transplant Evaluation -- Barb Shephard, BSN, RN, CCTC
  • Describe methods utilized to continue full multi-disciplinary transplant evaluation

10:00 Break and Visit Exhibitor

10:20 Remote Transplant Evaluation: A surgeon’s perspective -- Avi Agarwal, MD
  • Discuss key components of remote surgical evaluation

10:50 HCV kidney transplant-our center’s experience -- Avi Agarwal, MD
  • Describe different types of HCV positive organs that patients may choose to accept
  • Explain how accepting an HCV positive organ may reduce wait time for a kidney offer

11:15 Why patients say NO to transplant? -- Leah Wayner, MSN, RN and Anthony Reed
  • Discuss common barriers to ACTIVE listing for kidney transplant
  • Give examples of ways to help patients successfully navigate the transplant evaluation experience

12:00P Break for Lunch and Tour of clinic and new inpatient space

1:30 Immunology: Kidney transplant and management of rejection -- Swati Rao, MBBS
  • Differentiate between ACUTE and HUMORAL Rejection
  • Describe treatment options for management of rejection

2:00 Living Donor Kidney Transplant in the COVID 19 Era -- Anita Sites, RN, MSN, ACNP
  • Understand changes necessary in clinical practice for patients undergoing LD transplant

2:30 Break and Visit Exhibitor

2:45 Transplant Education: When Care Partners can’t be at the bedside -- Suzanne Queheillalt, MSN, RN, ACNS-BC
  • Discuss what is expected of a Care Partner
  • Identify challenges faced by care partners and kidney recipients

3:15 Patient Experience -- Robyn Hamilton
  • Define patients who are most likely to benefit from a pancreas transplant
  • Discuss lifestyle changes after successful pancreas transplant

3:45 Closing -- Barb Shephard, BSN, RN, CCTC
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