MASTERING TRANSPLANT: FOR THE NON-TRANSPLANT PHARMACIST

Program

This seminar will be delivered by a combination of pre-recorded sessions as well as 3 live virtual sessions.

Pre-seminar preparation

Title	Learning objectives
Overview of transplant medications Michelle Nalder, Senior Renal Pharmacist and Deputy Director of Pharmacy, Royal Melbourne Hospital, Melbourne, Vic	 Identify the classes of medicines used in solid organ transplant patients Describe the mechanism of action of these medications Explain factors for consideration in use of these medicines Explain potential medication dosing issues associated with each of these medicines
Overview of infection prophylaxis in solid organ transplant patients Dr Peter Boan, Transplant Infectious Diseases Physician, Fiona Stanley Hospital, Perth, WA	 Identify infections screened for ahead of solid organ transplant Identify medicines used and their specific indications in infection prophylaxis following solid organ transplant Describe the dosing regimens of each medicine Explain factors for consideration in the use and dosage of these medicines Describe common drug interactions, their significance and management, arising from use of these medicines and dosing regimen
Strategies to improve medication compliance and education in solid organ transplant patients Hanh Tran, Senior Pharmacist (Renal); Team Leader, Clinical Pharmacy Service – Specialty Medicine 1&2 Program, Royal Adelaide Hospital, SA Pharmacy, SA Health, Adelaide, SA	 Describe the patient engagement process ahead of solid organ transplantation occurring Outline strategies used to enhance patient and/or carer medication understanding (including indications, regimen management) Describe supply and access considerations for solid organ transplant medicines Explain the communication and management of dose adjustments Identify supports available to assist patients and/or carers in the management of and compliance with their medications
Common drug interactions seen in transplant patients Jess Lloyd, Senior Pharmacist, Team Leader Renal and Transplant, Princess Alexandra Hospital, Metro South Health, Brisbane, Qld	 Identify common drug interactions occurring in solid organ transplant patients Identify potential medication dosing issues in solid organ transplant patients Describe the significance and management of commonly seen drug interactions

Post-seminar materials

Immunosuppression strategies in renal	•	Understand immune risk assessment in transplant
transplantation	•	Generalised immunosuppression drug level monitoring
	•	Understanding the limitation of AUC or CO monitoring
Associate Professor Robert Carroll, Transplant	•	Common pitfalls and problems
Nephrologist, Royal Adelaide Hospital,	•	Understanding the interaction of immune risk and whether drug adherence
Adelaide, SA		has an impact on graft outcomes



Program: Live Virtual Sessions

All times listed are in AEST

Each session will focus on a specific organ and is led by specialist transplant pharmacist. Each session will comprise of presentations by both a medical or nurse practitioner and a specialist transplant pharmacist. Knowledge-check questions are available after each session to cement learnings.

Session 1: Mastering heart transplant

Tuesday 31 May 2022; 7:30PM - 9:00PM AEST

Time (AEST)	Session
1915-1930	Online login available
	Led By:
	Tim Chang, A/Cardiovascular and Respiratory Team Lead Pharmacist, Fiona Stanley Hospital, Perth, WA
	Overview of heart transplant
1930-2000	Dr Felicity Lee, Cardiology Consultant for the Advanced Heart Failure & Cardiac Transplant team, Fiona
	Stanley Hospital, Perth, WA
2000-2100	Medication management in heart transplant patients
	Tim Chang
2100	Close of live virtual session 1

Session 2: Mastering liver transplant

Tuesday 14 June 2022; 7:30PM - 9:00PM AEST

Time (AEST)	Session
1915-1930	Online login available
	Led By: Matthew Pegoli, Pharmacy Surgical Team Leader; Senior Pharmacist, Liver Transplant, Hepatology & HepBil Surgery, Flinders Medical Centre, SA Pharmacy, SA Health, Adelaide, SA
1930-2000	Overview of liver transplantation Libby John, Liver Transplant Coordinator SA Liver Transplant Unit, Flinders Medical Centre, National President Transplant Nurses' Association, Adelaide, SA
2000 -2100	Medication management in liver transplant patients Matthew Pegoli
2100	Close of live virtual session 2

Session 3: Mastering kidney transplant

Tuesday 21 June 2022; 7:30PM - 9:00PM AEST

Time (AEST)	Session
1915-1930	Online login available
1930-2100	Led By: Hanh Tran, Senior Pharmacist (Renal); Team Leader, Clinical Pharmacy Service – Specialty Medicine 1&2 Program, Royal Adelaide Hospital, SA Pharmacy, SA Health, Adelaide, SA
1930-2000	Overview of kidney transplantation Hanh Tran
2000-2100	Medication management in kidney transplant patients Hanh Tran
2100	Close of live virtual session 3

Please note: presentation recordings from the live virtual sessions will not be available.