

Extension Seminar in Kidney Disease and Transplantation

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Preliminary program

Self-paced learning package: available from Friday 14 February 2025

The self-paced learning package materials must be completed prior to attending the live virtual seminar. Knowledge gained from topics below within self-paced learning package will be directly used in case sessions on the day.

Topic & Presenter	Learning Objectives
Auto-immune kidney diseases: a focus on vasculitis Carla Scuderi, Renal Pharmacist, Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital, Brisbane, Qld	 Outline the classification / nomenclature of vasculitis Describe kidney involvement and systemic features of ANCA vasculitis Outline induction therapy of vasculitis. Outline the maintenance and relapse therapies of vasculitis
Transplantation and it's common infections Jess Lloyd, Senior Pharmacist, Team Leader Renal and Transplant, Princess Alexandra Hospital, Brisbane, Qld	 Outlines common infections post kidney transplant. Common treatments of infection post kidney transplant Related therapeutic drug monitoring Role of pharmacist
Insight into the Renal Pharmacist Role in an Outpatient Multidisciplinary Service Hanh Tran, Senior Pharmacist - Renal; Team Leader, CALHN Clinical Pharmacy, Royal Adelaide Hospital, Adelaide, SA	 Understanding the role of renal pharmacist in outpatient, multidisciplinary team setting Impact of pharmacist in patient care Challenges in starting dialysis - patient journey How renal outpatient pharmacist skills set can be applied in other outpatient clinical pharmacy areas
Kidney transplantation: Balancing graft survival and complications	 Describe immunological risk stratification in kidney transplantation. Outline the decision-making process and treatment targets used to individualise immunosuppression regimes Assess kidney function in early phase post kidney transplant Describe risk factors of graft failure



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	 Discuss strategies in balancing graft survival and transplant related complications
Pharmacogenomics and it's application in renal pharmacy Sharon Ho, Senior Clinical Pharmacist, Fiona Stanley Hospital, Perth WA	 How genetic factors influence individual responses to medications. The application of pharmacogenomics in pharmacy setting Impact and the role of pharmacist in a pharmacogenomics clinic Future directions
Nurse Practitioner: Peritonitis – Case presentation Monique Borlace, Nephrology Nurse Practitioner, Royal Adelaide Hospital, Adelaide, SA	 Explain the pathogenesis, risk factors and prognosis of peritonitis Identify clinical features of peritonitis Outline the diagnosis and assessment of peritonitis, including common laboratory investigations Describe peritonitis treatment and monitoring guidelines Outline management challenges in the inpatient and outpatient setting Describe the pharmacist role in peritonitis management
Women Health and CKD – The potential complications in pregnancy Associate Professor Shilpa Jesudason, Staff Specialist Nephrologist, Central Adelaide and Northern Adelaide Renal and Transplantation Service (CNARTS), Royal Adelaide Hospital, SA Health, Adelaide, SA; Chair, CNARTS Clinical Research Group, School of Medicine, University of Adelaide, Adelaide, SA, Clinical Director, Kidney Health Australia, Adelaide, SA	 Physiology change in CKD and pregnancy, challenges Renal replace therapy supporting pregnancy Pharmacology support Patient education
Nutrition in CKD for pharmacist Anthony Mead, Advanced Renal Dietitian, CNARTS, Royal Adelaide Hospital, Adelaide, SA	 Overview about appropriate nutrition for people with CKD, restriction or no restriction Intra-dialytic parenteral nutrition The challenges in managing nutrition in the recent years – the focus on Obesity, what has work so far, future direction.



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Live virtual seminar: All times are listed in AEDT

Saturday 29 March 2025

Time (AEDT)	Session
0920-0930	Online login available
0930-0940	Welcome, introduction, housekeeping Hanh Tran, Senior Pharmacist - Renal; Team Leader, CALHN Clinical Pharmacy, Royal Adelaide Hospital, Adelaide, SA
0940-0950	Case study session introduction
0950-1050	Case session 1: Transplant troubleshooting: alternative treatments in unexpected circumstances Case lead: Hanh Tran, Senior Pharmacist - Renal; Team Leader, CALHN Clinical Pharmacy, Royal Adelaide Hospital, Adelaide, SA
1050 - 1100	Break
1100-1200	Case session 2: Transplant and its common infections Case lead: Jess Lloyd, <i>Team Leader Pharmacist, Renal and Transplantation, Princess</i> <i>Alexandra Hospital, Brisbane, Qld</i>
1200-1230	Break
1230-1330	Case session 3: The management of vasculitis and common complications Case lead: Carla Scuderi, <i>Assistant Director of Pharmacy Clinical, Royal Brisbane and</i> <i>Women's Hospital, Brisbane, Qld</i>
1330-1430	Case session 4: Case study session: problem solving in haemodialysis Case lead: Rebecca Livori, Dialysis Pharmacist, Grampians Health – Ballarat, Ballarat, Vic
1430-1440	Summary, close and final Q&A opportunity
1440	Close of live virtual seminar

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