



Improving Kidney Care: A New Era in Health and Wellness

November 9-10, Marriott Parq Hotel

Conference Level/4th floor

Wednesday, November 8, 2023

TIME		ROOM
6:00 - 8:00pm	CHECK-IN DESK Open – <i>avoid the line Thursday morning and check in Wednesday evening!</i>	Conference Level - Foyer outside Elm room

Thursday, November 9, 2023

TIME	SESSIONS & CHAIRS	PRESENTATIONS & SPEAKERS	ROOM
9:00 - 5:00 pm	CHECK-IN DESK OPEN		Pre-function area
9:00 - 10:00 am	Grab & Go Breakfast <i>Sponsor Exhibits Open</i>		
9:00 - 10:00 am	<i>e-Posters available for viewing</i>		PODS A-E pre-function area
10:00 - 10:15 am	Territorial welcome	<i>χ^{wəy}χ^{wiq̓tən} Audrey Siegl</i>	
10:15 - 10:25 am	Announcements	BC Kidney Days 2023 Co-Chair: Dr. Mike Copland	
10:25 - 10:30 am	Opening remarks	Provincial Health Services Authority (PHSA) <i>Speaker: Dr. Maureen O'Donnell, Executive Vice President, Provincial Clinical Policy, Planning & Partnerships</i>	

10:30 - 10:50 am	BC Renal Annual Update	Overview of the last few years and key priorities for BC Renal and the network moving forward <i>Speaker: Dr. Adeera Levin, Executive Director, BC Renal</i>	Parq Ballroom (Plenary room)
10:50 - 11:50 am	Plenary 1: Kidney Wellness HUB <i>Chair: Deborah Tucker</i>	Empowering kidney patients: Explore the potential of the Kidney Wellness Hub to enhance patient wellbeing <i>Speakers: Kate Chong, Teresa Atkinson, Dr. Megan Borkum, Francine Gosselin, Dani Renouf, Anja Webster, David McKay</i> Learning Objectives: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Understand what matters to patients when it comes to their overall wellbeing, including some of the challenges patients face in managing their own health and wellness. 2. Explore key features of the Kidney Wellness Hub, a patient- centered resource designed to support positive lifestyle habits and overall wellbeing. 3. Learn how to leverage Kidney Wellness Hub resources and tools to help improve the patient care experience. 	
11:50 - 12:05 pm	Category: Clinical/Translational Research - abstract selected for oral presentation	Abstract title: Transplant Wellness Program (TWP): Multiphasic exercise prehabilitation to improve wellness in kidney and liver transplant populations <i>Lead author & speaker: Dr. Stefan Mustata</i>	
12:05 - 1:15 pm	LUNCH BREAK <i>Sponsor Exhibits Open</i>		Pre-function area
	e-Posters available for viewing		PODS A-E Pre-function area
1:15 - 2:15 pm	A. Concurrent: Virtual Care in the KCC <i>Chair: Dr. Megan Borkum</i>	Choosing the right visit, for the right patient, at the right time: Virtual kidney care in 2023 and beyond <i>Speaker: Dr. Mike Bevilacqua</i> Learning Objectives: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Discuss results of the virtual health evaluation in BC KCCs. 2. Understand the advantages and disadvantages of virtual care in different clinical settings. 3. Understand a framework for determining 'the right visit, for the right patient, at the right time. 	Kitsilano C
	B. Concurrent: Peritoneal Dialysis <i>Chair: Katie Cave</i>	Trends after transfer from home dialysis: Can we do better? <i>Speaker: Dr. Simon Davies</i> Learning Objectives:	Kitsilano D

		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. An overview of modality transfer - it's not just about survival but the patient's experience. 2. The importance of the centre in optimising the patient pathway. 3. Lessons from the Inter-CEPt study in understanding and optimising centre culture. 	
	C. Concurrent: Collaborative Patient Goal-Setting <i>Chair: Jesse Colbeck</i>	Achieving together: How to engage patients in collaborative goal-setting for health and wellness <i>Speakers: Paul Watson, Helen Chiu, Dr. Nadia Zalunardo, Dara Lewis, Janice Rotinsky, Francine Gosselin</i> Learning Objectives: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Share best practices and success stories for embedding collaborative goal-setting conversations in routine kidney care. 2. Learn how to apply effective strategies and techniques for asking and helping patients set specific goals for health and wellness focusing on what matters to them. 3. Learn how to identify and prioritize patients' individual needs, preferences and circumstances when setting health and wellness goals. 	Parq Ballroom (Plenary room)
	D. Concurrent: Hemodialysis <i>Chair: Victoria Nevakshonoff</i>	KDOQI Guidelines <i>Speaker: Dr. Charmaine Lok</i> Learning Objectives: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Learn key new concepts of the KDOQI vascular access guidelines 2019. 2. Understand why and how the Guidelines differ from prior clinical practice guidelines. 3. Gain some tips and tricks on how to implement the KDOQI vascular access guidelines for patient care. 	Parq F
2:15 - 3:30 pm	Plenary 2: Perceptions of the renal team members towards home dialysis <i>Chair: Dr. Mike Copland & Dr. Suneet Singh</i>	On the bias: Addressing kidney care team perceptions towards home dialysis <i>Speakers: Dr. Jeff Perl, Dr. Kris Poinen, Sara Faulkner, Dino Angelucci, Eldon Mah</i> Learning Objectives: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Appreciate perceptions of kidney care practitioners towards home dialysis. 2. Understand how perceptions impact home dialysis utilization. 3. Understand strategies to improve kidney team members' perceptions towards home dialysis. 	Parq Ballroom (Plenary room)
	15 Minute Transition Time		
	Professional Breakout Sessions		
	1. Dietitians	by invitation only	Kitsilano C

3:45 - 5:15 pm	<i>Chairs: Karen Parinas & Jasmine Fitzpatrick</i>	Kelly Riccardi, MEd., RASP	
	2. Nephrologists/BC Consensus <i>Chair: Dr. John Antonsen</i>	by invitation only	Cambie
	3. Nurses <i>Chair: Victoria Nevakshonoff, Danielle McLaren, and Deidra Goodacre</i>	Understanding the patient: A workshop that explores gender diversity as it relates to patient care <i>Speaker: Kristy Ware</i> Learning Objectives: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Participants will have a better understanding of gender terminology and the gender spectrum. 2. Participants will understand pronouns, their importance, and how to use them correctly. 3. Participants will learn the difference between inclusive versus exclusive language. 	Parq Ballroom (Plenary room)
	4. Pharmacists <i>Chair: Dan Martinusen</i>	by invitation only	Kitsilano D
	5. Renal Administrators <i>Chair: Sarah Thomas</i>	by invitation only	Burrard
	6. TECHNICAL (Biomedical Technologists and Renal Technicians) <i>Chair: Jennifer McGill</i>	by invitation only	Oak
	7. BC Renal Patient Partner Connect <i>Chairs: William Dear, Helen Chiu</i>	by invitation only	Parq F
	8. Social Workers <i>Chairs: Ranj Woods, Karla Ramsay</i>	Compassion Fatigue and Burnout post pandemic by invitation only	Stanley
5:15 - 6:30 pm	Wilma Crockett Memorial Award Presentation & Networking Reception <i>Doors will open at 5:00pm</i> 5:15 pm Hors d'oeuvres & Cash Bar 5:45 pm Award presentation posthumously to the 2023 Recipient: Heather Johnson 6:00-6:30 pm Networking		Fairview Ballroom

Friday, November 10, 2023

TIME	SESSION	PRESENTATIONS & SPEAKERS	ROOM
7:00 am	CHECK-IN DESK OPEN		

			Pre-function area
7:00 - 8:25 am	FULL BREAKFAST Sponsor Exhibits Open		PODS A-E Pre-function area
	e-Posters available for viewing		
8:30 - 8:40 am	Opening Remarks and announcements, land acknowledgment	BC Kidney Days 2023 Co-Chair: Naomi Martens	Parq Ballroom (Plenary room)
8:40 - 9:40 am	Plenary 3: Planetary/green nephrology Chair: Dr. Naomi Glick	Caring for the environment is caring for patients Speakers: Dr. Caroline Stigant, Chief Michael Recalma Learning Objectives: <ul style="list-style-type: none">1. Living experiences as Chief, an Indigenous individual, and as a person living with kidney disease (Hon Chief Recalma) - spiritual and environmental reflections.2. Environmentally sustainable kidney care in British Columbia - current state and future directions (Dr. Caroline Stigant).3. Unify scientific data on environmental effects of kidney care with individual and spiritual experience of ecologic change.	
9:40 - 10:30 am	Plenary 4: Emergency Preparedness Chair: Naomi Martens	Preparing for the unexpected. Are we ready for the next disaster? Speakers: Sarah Thomas, Naomi Martens, Patients: Mitchell Dyck Learning Objectives: <ul style="list-style-type: none">1. Review lessons learned, including patient perspectives, from emergencies that impacted the renal community.2. Identify the overall BC Renal emergency management and response process, including communication and activation criteria.3. Provide an overview of key plans and tools to support emergency response in the renal community.	
10:30 - 11:00 am	COFFEE BREAK Sponsor Exhibits Open		Pre-function area
	e-Posters available for viewing		PODS A-E Pre-function area
11:05 - 12:05 pm (45 minute sessions with 15 minutes for Q&A)	E. Concurrent: Chair: Karen Parinas	Interdisciplinary potassium management: Are we ready Speakers: Dr. Michelle Wong, Dr. Kevin Kwok, Tamara Graham, Patient Partner Panel: Michelle Spittel, Leilani Borja, AnnaLyn Delfino Learning Objectives:	Parq Ballroom (Plenary room)

		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Examine traditional potassium management approaches and areas for practice change. 2. Identify key learning support tools for care providers and patient partners. 3. Discuss implementation plans for an interdisciplinary potassium management strategy. 	
	F. Concurrent: Palliative care <i>Chair: Dr. Gaylene Hargrove</i>	Integrated palliative nephrology: Helping persons with kidney disease live their best life <i>Speaker: Dr. Christine Jones</i> Learning Objectives: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Describe the evolution of palliative care models from end of life only, to the current integration into chronic disease management. 2. Outline the multi-dimensional domains required of our health systems to support meaningful person and family centered outcomes. 3. Commit to one of many ways in which the learner can make changes in their clinical, administrative or patient advocacy activities to improve whole person kidney care. 	Kitsilano C
	G. Concurrent: Transplantation <i>Chair: Dr. Elizabeth Hendren</i>	Implementation of precision medicine in kidney transplantation <i>Speaker: Dr. James Lan</i> Learning Objectives: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Describe the implementation of eplet analysis to inform induction therapy. 2. Describe the willing to cross program for highly sensitized patients. 	Kitsilano D
	H. Concurrent: Antibiotic stewardship/updates to ISPD peritonitis guidelines <i>Chair: Dr. Claudia Ho</i>	Deconstructing ISPD guidelines in the management of peritonitis <i>Speakers: Dr. Yangmin Zeng, Luzhi Yan</i> Learning Objectives: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Review updates in peritonitis terminology. 2. Review the role of fungal prophylaxis. 3. Review major updates to antibiotic management of peritonitis. 	Parq F
12:05 - 1:05 pm	LUNCH Sponsor exhibits open		Pre-function area
	e-Posters available for viewing		PODS A-E Pre-function area
1:05 - 1:35 pm	Plenary 5: Networking	Sponsor exhibits open E-poster viewing with authors Kidney Wellness HUB	Pre-function area PODS A-E Granville

1:35 - 2:25 pm	Plenary 6: New medications to change the trajectory of renal health <i>Chair: Dr. Dan Martinusen</i>	From promise to progress: Exploring and integrating novel drug therapies for kidney health <i>Speakers: Dr. Mike Bevilacqua, Dr. Ada Chiu</i> Learning Objectives: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Discuss how to incorporate new guideline-based medications into your practice. 2. Review up-and-coming medications in the nephrology world. 3. Understand the processes in BC for assessing the role of new drugs in clinical nephrology practice. 	Parq Ballroom (Plenary room)
2:25 - 3:15 pm	Plenary 7: Indigenous health Can-SOLVE CKD Network <i>Chair: Dr. Mike Copland</i>	All my relations: A roadmap to embody cultural competency and Indigenous engagement within a kidney research network <i>Speakers: Catherine Turner, Craig Settee, Jocelyn Jones</i> Learning Objectives: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Introduce 6 R's of Culturally relevant engagement practices; 2. Learn about a model of Indigenous patient partner engagement, leadership and governance within the Indigenous Peoples' Engagement and Research Council (IPERC); 3. Understand and apply practices for involving Indigenous Elders/Knowledge Keepers in Research from the Wabishki Bizhiko Skaanj Learning Pathway. 	
3:15 - 3:30 pm	E-Poster awards Door Prizes <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. One night's stay for double occupancy at JW Marriott with full breakfast 2. One fifty minute treatment at the Spa by JW Marriott 	Top 2 in each category <i>Speaker: Dr. Megan Borkum</i> <i>Stephanie Allan</i>	
3:30 - 4:00 pm		Territorial Closing <i>χ^{wəy}χ^{wiq̓tən} Audrey Siegl</i> Closing Remarks <i>Co-chair: Naomi Martens</i>	