Late Breaking IMPACT Session

Principles of a New Transplant Metrics System - A New Day

Sunday, May 31, 2020
11:40 AM – 12:55 PM

Session Description:
There has been widespread consensus that the current transplant center metrics are outdated and ineffective. Last year, the Joint American Society of Transplantation/American Society of Transplant Surgeons Metrics Taskforce published an AJT article calling for reform of the system. The goal of this session is report back to the community on the process for developing new center metrics.

Session Objectives:
1: Seek transplant community support of principles and priorities for the US Transplant System that will be recommended to replace current transplant metrics
2: Apply these principles and priorities for those in need of kidney transplantation due to the availability of ESRD data in this area and seek consensus from the community
3: Engage the community in then expanding this practice to cover all organ types

Moderators:
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11:40 AM – 12:00 PM Principles of a New Transplant Metrics System
Timothy Pruett, MD, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, USA

12:00 PM – 12:20 PM Inclusion of all Patients with ESRD not just those on the Wait-list
Rachel Patzer, PhD, MPH, Emory University School of Medicine, Atlanta, GA, USA

12:20 PM – 12:40 PM Does Developing Unified Metrics for Transplant Organs Make Sense?
Jesse Schold, PhD, M.Stat, M.Ed., Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland, OH, USA

12:40 PM – 12:55 PM Panel Discussion