



18th Annual Dialysis Conference

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Date



11 & 12 October 2025

Venue



One World Hotel,
Petaling Jaya, Selangor

DAY 1 - 11 OCTOBER 2025 (SATURDAY)

0700-0800	REGISTRATION
	SYMPOSIUM 1: TRANSFORMING KIDNEY CARE - REVOLUTIONIZING PATIENT CENTERED CARE FOR A BETTER TOMORROW Chairperson: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Wan Ahmad Hafiz Co-Chairperson: Dr. Azim Hazizuddin
0800-0830	Kidney Care Burden in Malaysia: A Journey through Past Challenges Speaker: Prof. Dr. Lim Soo Kun (<i>Malaysian Society Nephrologist President, Senior Consultant Nephrologist, UMMC</i>)
0830-0900	Shaping the Future of Kidney Care in Malaysia: What is on the Horizon Speaker: Mr. Choo Kok Ming (<i>Chief Executive Officer, National Kidney Foundation of Malaysia</i>)
0900-0930	PLENARY 1: EXPANDING HORIZONS IN KIDNEY TRANSPLANTATION – INNOVATIONS & CHALLENGES Speaker: Dr. Mohamad Zaimi Abdul Wahab (<i>Malaysian Society of Transplantation President, Senior Consultant Nephrologist, HKL</i>) Chairperson: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Wan Ahmad Hafiz Wan Md Adnan
0930-1000	TEA BREAK
	SYMPOSIUM 2: HIV Chairperson: Dr. Irene Wong Co-Chairperson: Ms. Nor Zakiyah Abd Razak
1000-1030	HAART treatment in HIV patients with CKD Speaker: Dr. Tay Kim Heng (<i>Consultant Infectious Disease & General Physician, Desa Park City Medical Centre</i>)
1030-1100	Shattering the HIV stigma among dialysis populations and healthcare workers Speaker: Dr. Wong Pui Li (<i>Consultant Infectious Disease Physician, UMMC</i>)
1100-1130	Future of patients with HIV in dialysis and transplant Speaker: Dr. Sunita Bavanandan (<i>Senior Consultant Nephrologist KPJ Tawakkal, Columbia Asia Setapak and HKL</i>)
	SYMPOSIUM 3: VASCULAR ACCESS Chairperson: Dr. Rafidah Abdullah Co-Chairperson: Ms. Chang Mei Sime
1130-1200	US guided AV fistula cannulation Speaker: Dr. Suryati Yakob (<i>Senior Consultant Nephrologist, HKL</i>)
1200-1230	TCC over IJC Speaker: Dr. Gan Chye Chung (<i>Consultant Interventional Nephrologist, UMMC</i>)
1230-1300	Best Practice for Care of Catheter Speaker: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Nor Fadhlina Zakaria (<i>Consultant Nephrologist, HSAAH, UPM</i>)
1300-1400	LUNCH BREAK
1400-1410	Welcome Speech Dato' Dr. Zaki Morad Mohamed Zaher (<i>Board of Directors, National Kidney Foundation of Malaysia</i>)



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1410-1430	OPENING CEREMONY <i>Datuk Seri Dr. Haji Dzulkefly Ahmad (Minister of Health)</i>	
	SYMPOSIUM 4: VACCINATIONS Chairperson: Dr. Muhammad Iqbal Abdul Hafidz Co-Chairperson: Ms. Siti Fatimah Basir	
1430-1500	Vaccination – Back to Basic Speaker: Dr. Irene Wong (<i>Consultant Nephrologist, HTAR</i>)	
1500-1530	Vaccines for Dialysis Patients Speaker: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Wan Ahmad Hafiz (<i>Consultant Nephrologist, UMMC</i>)	
1530-1600	Vaccines: Promises, Perils, and Public Perception Speaker: Dr. Choong Jin Ian (<i>Family Medicine Specialist, UMMC</i>)	
1600-1630	TEA BREAK	
	SYMPOSIUM 5: PD, Transplant & Palliative Care Chairperson: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Nor Fadhlina Co-Chairperson: Matron Noriah Mat	SYMPOSIUM 6: COMPLICATIONS IN HD Chairperson: Dr. Suryati Yakob Co-Chairperson: Ms. Puspa Arjunan
1630-1700	Performing PD in Private/NGO Centre Speaker: Dato' Dr. Lily Mushahar (<i>Senior Consultant Nephrologist, HTJ, Seremban</i>)	Anemia-EPO vs HIF Inhibitor Speaker: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ruslinda Mustafar (<i>Consultant Nephrologist, HCTM</i>)
1700-1730	MyKAS - Update Speaker: Dr. Yee Seow Yeing (<i>Consultant Nephrologist & Kidney Transplant Physician, HKL</i>)	CKD-MBD Speaker: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ng Kok Peng (<i>Senior Consultant Nephrologist, UMMC</i>)
1730-1800	When Palliative Care becomes the Optimal Choice? Speaker: Dr. Rafidah Abdullah (<i>Senior Consultant Nephrologist, Hospital Putrajaya</i>)	Advances in Hemodialysis Technologies Speaker: Dr. Muhammad Iqbal Abdul Hafidz (<i>Consultant Nephrologist, HASA, UiTM</i>)

DAY 2 – 12 OCTOBER 2025 (SUNDAY)

0730-0815	REGISTRATION	
0815-0845	PLENARY 2: GREEN NEPHROLOGY (Moderator: Dr. Nurul Zaynah Nordin) Panelist: Dr. Azrini Abdul Aziz (<i>Consultant Nephrologist, HKL</i>) Dr. Eason Chang (<i>Consultant Nephrologist, Pantai Hospital Laguna Merbok, Sg. Petani</i>) Dr. Muhammad Yusuf Abu Shamsi (<i>Consultant Nephrologist, HCTM</i>)	
	SYMPOSIUM 7: QUALITY OF LIFE IN DIALYSIS PATIENTS Chairperson: Dr. Nurul Zaynah Nordin Co-Chairperson: Mr. Loo Leong Heng	
0845-0915	Sexual Health in Dialysis Patients Speaker: Dr. Tan Li Ping (<i>Consultant Nephrologist, Ara Damansara Medical Centre</i>)	
0915-0945	Insomnia in Dialysis Patients Speaker: Dr. Vinoth Kasi Rajan Athmalingam (<i>Consultant Nephrologist, Hospital Queen Elizabeth, K. Kinabalu</i>)	



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0945-1015	Physical Activity for Dialysis Patients Speaker: Dr. Wan Hazlina Wan Mohamad (<i>Consultant Nephrologist, HKL</i>)
1015-1045	Improving Food Compliance Speaker: Ms. Teong Lee Fang (<i>Clinical Dietitian, Hospital Selayang</i>)
1045-1115	TEA BREAK
	SYMPOSIUM 8: FORUM – Patient’s Perspective (Moderator: Dr. Muhammad Yusuf Abu Shamsi)
1115-1145	Physical, Spiritual, and Emotional Adjustment for Dialysis patients Panelist: Ust. Abdullah Bukhari, Mr. Siva Kumar Raghavan, Mr. Chee See Soon
	SYMPOSIUM 9: BRIDGING THE GAP Chairperson: Dr. Muhammad Yusuf Abu Shamsi Co-Chairperson: Mr. Dixon Kinson @ Benedict
1145-1215	The Role of Primary Care Doctor in Dealing with Dialysis Patients Speaker: Dr. Wong Ping Foo (<i>Family Medicine Specialist, Klinik Kesihatan Cheras Baru</i>)
1215-1245	Care Transition for Adolescent CKD Patients Speaker: Dr. Selva Kumar A/L Sivapunniam (<i>Professor of Paediatric, AIMST University, Bedong, Kedah</i>)
1245-1300	LUNCH & CLOSING CEREMONY