

## PURPOSE

To enhance safety practices and increase patient engagement by involving the dialysis team, patient caregivers, and the patient.

## TARGET AUDIENCE

Nephrology nurses, patient care technicians, renal dietitians, nephrology social workers, and full time students engaged in healthcare training programs.

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National Kidney Foundation of Wisconsin

American Nephrology Nurses Association  
Wisconsin Chapter #304

Council of Nephrology Social Work, Wisconsin Chapter

WI Council on Renal Nutrition

## CREDITS ACCREDITATION CONTINUING EDUCATION

### Pending Approval

This activity has been submitted to American Nephrology Nurses Association for approval to award contact hours. American Nephrology Nurses Association – Approver is accredited as an approver of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

Earn up to 7.75 CEUs total, pending ASWB approval. The National Kidney Foundation Council of Nephrology Social Workers, Provider #1014, is approved as a provider for social work continuing education by the Association of Social Work Boards (ASWB) [www.aswb.org](http://www.aswb.org), through the Approved Continuing Education (ACE) program. The National Kidney Foundation Council of Nephrology Social Workers maintains responsibility for the program. Licensed social workers should contact their individual jurisdiction to review current continuing education requirements for licensure renewal.

Registered Dietitians (RD) and/or Registered Dietitian Nutritionists (RDN) can earn Continuing Professional Education (CPE) units.



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# 2017 Dialysis Symposium

# The Changing Climate of Care

Thursday, November 9, 2017  
7:30am – 5:00pm

Crowne Plaza Hotel  
Madison, Wisconsin



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**6:45am REGISTRATION**

**EARLY BIRD BREAKFAST WORKSHOPS**

- EBB #1** *Pancreas Transplantation 2017: Coming of Age, Expanding Indications and Current Outcomes (Level II)*  
**Presenter:** Jon Odorico, MD, Transplant Surgeon, UW Health
- EBB #2** *Improving Food Access for Healthier Outcomes (Level II)*  
**Presenters:** Beth Neary, MD, MS Nutritional Science, Adjunct Clinical Assistant Professor, UW School of Medicine and Public Health  
 Jill Jacklitz, MSSW, Director of Education, UW-Madison Center for Patient Partnerships
- EBB #3** *Removing Waste and Variation from Home Hemodialysis Treatments (Level I)*  
**Presenter:** Jeff Stumpe, PE, MS, Process Improvement Specialist, Quality Process Improvement Department, Froedtert Hospital

**8:30am – 9:00am BREAK**

**EXHIBIT EXPO OPEN**

**9:00am – 10:15am PLENARY SESSION**

Welcome, Announcements and Agenda Overview

**KEYNOTE: Risky Business: Numeracy and the Communication of Health Information (Level II)**

**Presenter:** Steve Sparks, MS, Health Literacy Director, Wisconsin Health Literacy

**10:15am – 10:45am BREAK**

**EXHIBIT EXPO OPEN**

**WORKSHOPS**

- AM #4** *Nutrition Considerations for Diabetics with Advanced Kidney Disease (Level II)*  
**Presenter:** Rebecca Wallschlaeger, MS, RDN, CD, Transplant Nutritionist, UW Health Abdominal Transplant Program
- AM #5** *When Patients Can't Make Decisions: Ethical Lessons from the Pediatric World (Level III)*  
**Presenter:** Julie Raether, MSW, LICSW, Post 9/11 Transition and Care Management Care Coordinator, Minneapolis VA Health Care System
- AM #6** *The Evils of Access (Level II)*  
**Presenter:** Allan Roza, MD, FACS, Professor, Department of Surgery, Division of Transplant Surgery, Medical College of Wisconsin

**12:00pm – 12:15pm BREAK**

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**LUNCH WORKSHOPS**

- LUNCH #7** *97,126 + 1: Getting on the Kidney Transplant List (Level II)*  
**Presenters:** Joan Heimler, RN, CPTC, Moderator  
 Allison Stephans, MSW, APSW, Abdominal Transplant Social Worker, Froedtert Abdominal Transplant Program  
 Christine Carloni, Financial Coordinator, Aurora-St. Luke's Abdominal Transplant Program  
 Rebecca Wallschlaeger, MS, RDN, CD, Transplant Nutritionist, UW Health Abdominal Transplant Program  
 Deborah Dicke Henslin, RN, CCTC, Mayo Clinic Transplant Program
- LUNCH #8** *Time Management and the Challenge of Infection Control (Level III)*  
**Presenter:** Jesus Almeida, BSN, RN, CNN, Kidney Care Manager, Aspirus Langlade Hospital
- LUNCH #9** *Cooking From the Food Pantry (Level II)*  
**Presenter:** Chef Duane Sunwold, Instructor, Spokane Community College, Inland Northwest Culinary Academy, Contributing Chef, National Kidney Foundation Kidney Kitchen

**12:15pm – 1:30pm**

**WORKSHOPS**

- PM #10** *Vascular Access: Teaching Your Patients How to be Advocates for Their Lifelines (Level III)*  
**Presenters:** Rod Luther, CCHT, BSE Vascular Access Coordinator, Upper Midwest Region, Fresenius Kidney Care  
 JeVonie Tyars, Former Hemodialysis Patient (In-Center and Home Therapies)
- PM #11** *Using Quality Improvement to Tackle the Dialysis Unit's Most Difficult Problems: Can We Improve Albumin? (Level III)*  
**Presenters:** Laura J. Maursetter, DO, UW Health  
 Meredith Ludwig, RD, CD, Clinical Dietitian, Divine Savior Healthcare
- PM #12** *Tangled Webs We Weave with Caregiver Boundaries—Solution Q-Tip! (Level I)*  
**Presenter:** Candace Williams, LCSW, FDC, CMS, Cognitive Psychotherapist, Wellqor

**1:30pm – 2:30pm**

**2:30pm – 2:45pm BREAK**

**WORKSHOPS**

- PM #13** *Bring Climate Change to Your Clinic Through Fun & Fun Education (Level III)*  
**Presenter:** Bruce R. Bacon, Northeast Area Director of Sales, Patient Care America
- PM #14** *Palliative Care for Patients with ESRD (Level II)*  
**Presenter:** Renee Foutz, MD, Assistant Professor of Palliative Medicine, Department of Medicine, Division of Hematology and Oncology, Medical College of Wisconsin
- PM #15** *Certification Update (Level III)*  
**Presenter:** Katherine H. Houle, MSN, APRN, FNP-BC, CNN-NP, Associate Executive Director, Nephrology Nursing Certification Commission (NNCC)

**2:45pm – 3:45pm**

**3:45pm – 4:45pm PLENARY SESSION**

*"It's an Inside Job Today...and Everyday" (Level III)*

**Presenter:** Jenn Fredericks, Coach, Caregiver, Consumer

**4:45pm – 5:00pm EVALUATION/ADJOURN**

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Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Work  Mobile

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City/State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Select one (1) workshop preference option for each time slot.

EBB #1  EBB #2  EBB #3  No Preference

AM #4  AM #5  AM #6  No Preference

LUNCH #7  LUNCH #8  LUNCH #9  No Preference

PM #10  PM #11  PM #12  No Preference

PM #13  PM #14  PM #15  No Preference

**FEE:** (includes meals and continuing education credits)

\$140  Dietitian  Nurse  Social Worker

Other Healthcare Professional

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

\$70  Patient Care Technician

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

\$40  Full-Time Student (12+ credits current semester)

School & Program of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

Comp.  Presenter / Planning Committee Member

Diet/Special Accommodations Requested \_\_\_\_\_

**PAYMENT:** (Receipts & attendance verification provided at Symposium)

A \$50 service fee assessed for cancellations before November 3. No refunds after November 3, 2017.

Invoice requested \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (amount)

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