Transplantation: Part of the Fabric of America
A Kaleidoscopic View of Everyday Psychosocial and Ethical Challenges in Transplantation

Friday, December 2, 2011
7:30 am–4:00 pm
New York Academy of Medicine
1216 Fifth Avenue
New York, New York 10029
Overview

General Information
Montefiore Medical Center’s Third Annual Transplant Symposium will take place at the New York Academy of Medicine on Friday, December 2nd, 2011. Authorities in government, economics and healthcare will lead the discussion. The aims of this activity are: (1) to present a comprehensive narrative of transplantation in terms of social justice as exemplified by the goals of equality in allocation and access; (2) to generate a discussion of the psychosocial and ethical issues in transplantation led by leaders in government, economics and healthcare; and (3) to examine the future of transplantation in the era of healthcare reform.

Statement Of Need
The major determinants of wellness cross well beyond the boundaries of traditional concepts of healthcare delivery. Contributing factors are measures of socioeconomic status: education, employment, nutrition, exercise and, most important, the ability to care for oneself. The capacity to ensure that basic rights are protected reflects a society’s commitment to support the individual, family and community and the entire healthcare system’s efforts to overcome these obstacles.

Transplantation is the starkest example of this paradox. The enormous economic costs of healthcare delivery threaten to overwhelm our capacity to provide equitable access to treatment. The scarcity of organs demands that society ration this precious resource.

This symposium will present a multidisciplinary approach to the psychosocial and ethical issues in transplantation. In this sense, transplantation, as part of the very fabric of America, exemplifies the challenges facing healthcare delivery in our country. Anticipated healthcare reform will inform the methods we develop to address these critical problems.

Target Audience
This symposium is targeted to all transplant practitioners, surgeons, physicians, coordinators, registered nurses, social workers and administrative leaders.
Accreditation
Albert Einstein College of Medicine of Yeshiva University is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

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Goals and Objectives
At the completion of the activity the learner will be able to:

1) define the psychosocial and ethical issues that challenge patients, families, the healthcare system and the community at large as society endeavors to maintain equality in allocation and access to organ transplantation.

2) identify strategies to promote the stewardship of this precious commodity through improving adherence and easing the caregiver’s burden.

3) outline how an academic medical center plans to confront the challenges posed by anticipated healthcare reform.
Thursday, December 1, 2011
7:00 PM Welcome Reception–New York Organ Donor Network
Location: New York Organ Donor Network
460 West 34th Street (at Tenth Avenue)
New York, New York 10001

Friday, December 2, 2011
Transplantation Symposium
Location: New York Academy of Medicine
1216 Fifth Avenue (corner of 103rd Street)
New York, New York 10029

7:15–8:00 AM Registration and Breakfast
8:00–8:30 AM Welcome and Introduction
   Program Summary and Purpose Milan Kinkhabwala, MD
8:30–9:15 AM E Pluribus Unum (from many, one)
   How an integrated delivery system enables an academic medical center to address the psychosocial needs of a health-challenged population while upholding ethical decision-making in an era of social and economic change. Steven Safyer, MD
   Innovative methods are essential to transition to lower-cost, patient-centered health care for the 21st century to ensure that every resident of New York State has access to affordable insurance coverage, high-quality care and services to prevent chronic disease and improve overall health. Nirav Shah, MD, MPH
Q and A Moderator: Milan Kinkhabwala, MD
9:15–10:30 AM Towards a more perfect Union…
   of organs with their custodians
   “The Achilles heel of transplantation…” Nonadherence, before and after transplant–Why? Daniel Glicklich, MD
   “Where the rubber meets the road” The U.S. has the greatest expenditures of any developed country and the worst outcomes. We are using healthcare dollars to address social problems. But how do we maintain equal access for all transplant patients? Roger W. Evans, MD
   “My brother’s keeper… Stewardship “ Unique to transplantation, organs are a “public commodity.” What is the impact of one person’s transplant upon society? Paul J. Gaglio, MD/Pat McDonough, RN, CCPTC, CCTC
Q and A .......................... Moderator: Milan Kinkhabwala, MD

10:30–11:00 AM .......... BREAK

11:00 AM–12:15 PM .. “To the rescue…”
Helping to lighten the caregiver’s burden
Mary Amanda Dew, PhD

“Developing partnerships between healthcare professionals and family caregivers” Carol Levine

“A mother’s journey through the complex path to successful transplantation—guidance to others” Paola Corallo

Panel Discussion: Moderator Paula Marcus, MD
Daniel Glichlick, MD; Paul J. Gaglio, MD; Roger W. Evans, PhD; Pat McDonough, RN, CCPTC, CCTC; Mary McKinney, LCSW, MPA

12:15–1:30 PM .......... LUNCH

1:30–2:30 PM .......... Vivian A. Tellis, MD, Lecture Series

Keynote Address .................... Transplantation and Government:
Inextricably Interwoven. Can transplantation be a model to inform health care reform?
Michael Abecassis, MD, MBA, FACS, FRCS(c), FACPE

Q and A .......................... Moderator: Milan Kinkhabwala, MD

2:30–4:00 PM ............... Ex Unum, Plures (from one, many)
How shall we tackle the many ethical challenges in the care of our patients? A representative case will be examined.
Hannah J. Lipman, MD, MS

Open Forum
Panel Discussion .......... Moderator: Hannah J. Lipman, MD, MS
Michael Abecassis, MD, MBA; Frederick J. Kaskel, MD, PhD; Roger W. Evans, PhD; Daniel Goldstein, MD; Helen M. Irving, RN, MBA
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