

Technical Expert Panel Composition (Membership) List

Project Title: End-Stage Renal Disease Access to Kidney Transplantation Technical Expert Panel

Dates: February – August 2015

Project Overview: The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) has contracted with The University of Michigan Kidney Epidemiology and Cost Center (UM-KECC) to develop a quality measure(s) for access to kidney transplantation. The contract name is ESRD Quality Measure Development, Maintenance, and Support contract. The contract number is HHSM-500-2013-13017I. As part of its measure development process, CMS asks measure developers to convene groups of stakeholders and experts who contribute direction and thoughtful input to the measure developer during measure development and maintenance. The following individuals were selected and have agreed to serve as the Technical Expert Panel for this project.

Name , Credentials, and Professional Role	Organizational Affiliation, City, State	Consumer Perspective	Clinical Content	Performance Measurement	Coding and Informatics	Conflicts of Interest Disclosure
Stephen Pastan, MD <i>Associate Professor of Medicine</i>	Renal Division, Emory University School of Medicine, Atlanta, GA					Old National Dialysis, College Park, Georgia. 15% owner in joint venture with Fresenius Medical Care
<i>Medical Director of the Kidney and Pancreas Transplant Program</i>	Emory Transplant Center, Emory University, Atlanta, GA		X	X		Research Support from Bristol Meyers Squibb
<i>Board of Directors Member ; Chair of the transplantation task subcommittee</i>	National Kidney Foundation (NKF)					Data Safety Monitoring Committee for Retrophin, Inc. Consulting for Dompé Pharmaceuticals
Amy Waterman, PhD <i>Associate Professor</i>	David Geffen School of Medicine, University of California, Los Angeles					Dr. Waterman founded the non-profit Explore Transplant. She has since

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<i>of Medicine, Division of Nephrology; Director of the Transplant Research and Education Center (TREC)</i>	(UCLA), Los Angeles, CA		X	X		signed a royalty-free agreement and does not have any financial affiliation with the organization. In the past, Dr. Waterman had HRSA grants specific to dialysis center studies, but does not have any at this time.
Todd Pesavento, MD <i>Professor of Medicine, Department of Medicine; Medical Director of Kidney and Pancreas Transplantation,</i>	Comprehensive Transplant Center, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH		X	X		Grant/Research support from Bristol Meyers-Squibb
Sandra Amaral, MD, MHS <i>Assistant Professor, Co-Director of the Kidney Transplant Program</i> <i>Senior Scholar</i>	Division of Nephrology, Department of Pediatrics; The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, PA Center for Clinical Epidemiology and Biostatistics, Perelman School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania,		X	X		None

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	Philadelphia, PA					
Ranjan Chanda, MD, MPH <i>Medical Director</i> <i>Partner</i>	Centennial Kidney Transplant Center, Nashville, TN Nephrology Associates, Nashville, TN		X	X		None
Mary Beth Callahan, ACSW, LCSW <i>Senior Social Worker</i>	Dallas Transplant Institute, Dallas, TX		X	X		None
Duane Dunn, MSW <i>National Director of Social Work Services</i>	DaVita Healthcare Partners Inc., Columbia, SC		X	X		None
Linda Wright, DrNP, RN, CNN, CCTC <i>Kidney and Pancreas Transplant Coordinator; Certified Nephrology Nurse</i>	Thomas Jefferson University Hospital, Philadelphia, PA American Nephrology Nurses' Association		X	X		None
Robert Teaster, RN, MBA, CPTC, CPT <i>Administrator for Transplant Services</i>	University of Virginia Medical Center, Charlottesville, VA		X	X		None

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Chris Elrod, CCHT <i>Chief Technician/ Bio Med</i>	Dialysis Clinic, Inc. (DCI) Chattanooga, TN	X	X	X		None
Nancy Scott <i>President</i>	Dialysis Patient Citizens Education Center Washington, DC	X				None