An End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD)
National Coordinating Center (NCC)
Professional Education Quickinar

July 29, 2020
Future COVID-19 Webinar Events

• Starting August 5, webinar events move to a new time and will last 1 hour.

Provider-focused event
August 5 at 3 p.m. ET

Patient-focused event
August 11 at 4 p.m. ET
Agenda

• What is this call about?
• Today’s speakers
  ▪ Janice I.P. Lea, MD, MSc, FASN, FASH
    − Chief Medical Director Emory Dialysis
    − Director of Telenephrology
    − Clinical Specialist in Hypertension
    − Emory University School of Medicine

• Topic: COVID-19: Separating Myths From Facts
• Questions and answers (Q&As) from chat and Q&A panels
What Is This Call About?

• Hear from experts who share tips for coping in a COVID-19 environment.
• Provide real-world experiences for others to put into use.
• Engage in weekly calls on varying topics.
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• If you are asymptomatic, should you be tested again after knowing someone you have been in contact with has tested positive for COVID-19?
Separating Myths From Facts

• Not everyone is wearing masks correctly or recommending when to wear them consistently. My doctor recommended wearing a mask all the time, even when walking outside or driving. When should a person wear a mask and what is the proper way to wear one?
Separating Myths From Facts

• We know COVID-19 is airborne and affects the respiratory system. We are told to cover our mouths and noses. However, our eyes are a gateway to our bodies. Are the eyes another pathway to possibly contracting COVID-19?
Separating Myths From Facts

• A face mask and a shield protects you from a person who is not wearing a face mask or a shield.

True or False?
Separating Myths From Facts

• Can our pets develop COVID-19?
Separating Myths From Facts

• Is it true that a person can get COVID-19 more than once?
Separating Myths From Facts

• Kidney transplant patients are at a higher risk of developing COVID-19.  
  True or False?
Separating Myths From Facts

• You will not catch COVID-19 if you are outdoors.  
  True or False?
Separating Myths From Facts

• The long-term effects of COVID-19 include weak lung capacity and damage to the heart.

True or False?
Separating Myths From Facts

• Since I am elderly, if I had COVID-19, it would be more difficult for me to pass it on to my grandkids.

True or False?
Let Us Hear From You

• Q&As from chat and Q&A panels
American Association of Kidney Patients

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AAKP Free Membership for kidney patients, family members, and living kidney donors
1-800-749-AAKP (2257)
https://aakp.org/join/

Patient and Caregiver Resources
https://aakp.org/center-for-patient-research-and-education/educational-brochures-and-resources/

2nd Annual Global Summit: Global Kidney Innovations—Expanding Patient Choices & Outcomes

3rd Annual Policy Summit (August 6th)—Free registration is now open! https://aakp.org/programs-and-events/public-policy-summit/

45th National Patient Meeting: Patient Voice, Patient Choice (Sept. 11–12)—Free registration is now open!
https://aakp.org/2020-national-patient-meeting-2/
Visit the www.TheKidneyHub.org

- Secure, mobile-friendly web tool for patients and professionals.
- Developed by the ESRD NCC with assistance from patient Subject Matter Experts (SMEs).
- Links to important resources, such as:
  - COVID-19, infection prevention, transplant, home dialysis, and new ESRD patient education.
  - New features include access to the Patient Grant Library, an informative Understanding High-Kidney Donor Profile Index (KDPI) and Increased Risk Kidneys video, and more.
- Visit today and bookmark to your device’s home screen.
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Additional COVID-19 resources for patients and providers:

wwwthekidneyhub.org/covid19/
www.kidneyCOVIDinfocenter.com

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