

UW HEALTH TRANSPLANT PROGRAM

Kidney Transplant Program



Anna donated a kidney to her mom, Bonnie.

Transplant Office Hours

Monday-Friday
8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Thursday only
9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Location

UW Hospital and Clinics
F8/152, MC 1735
600 Highland Ave.
Madison, WI 53792

Phone

(608) 263-1384

After Hours Care

1-800-472-0111

Fax

(608) 262-5624

Website

uwhealth.org/transplant

Welcome

The physicians and staff of the UW Health Kidney Transplant Program are pleased to provide customized, comprehensive care to their transplant patients and are truly committed to patient success. This commitment has resulted in UW Health being recognized nationally, and internationally, as a leader in the field of transplantation.

Our Kidney Transplant Team

- Kidney transplant surgeons who serve as members of the faculty of the UW Medical School Department of Surgery
- Kidney transplant physicians and nephrologists who serve as members of the faculty of the UW Medical School Department of Medicine
- Transplant coordinators who are registered nurses that specialize in the care of transplant patients
- Physician Assistants
- Nurse Practitioners
- Clinic nurses
- Social workers
- Dietitians
- Pharmacists
- Inpatient nurses who provide care to patients during their hospital stay
- Financial counselors

Services

- Individual patient evaluations
- Living donor kidney transplants
- Deceased donor kidney transplants
- Simultaneous kidney/pancreas transplantation
- Clinical Trials
- Desensitization protocol for potential kidney transplant patients more likely to reject a transplanted organ
- ABO incompatible transplants
- Dialysis Access Surgery
- Corticosteroid-free immunosuppression for HLA identical kidney transplants
- Active participation in a national kidney exchange program

See the reverse side for photographs and brief biographies of surgeons and physicians.

Kidney Transplant Team

Surgeons



Dixon B. Kaufman, MD, PhD

Dr. Kaufman, Ray D. Owen Professor of Surgery, is the Chief of the Division of Transplantation and the Director of the Adult Kidney Transplant Program. He received his medical degree from the University of Minnesota, where he also completed his residency and fellowship training, and received his PhD. Dr. Kaufman is board certified in surgery.



Anthony M. D'Alessandro, MD

Dr. D'Alessandro is Director of the Pediatric Kidney, Adult and Pediatric Liver, and Multi-Organ Transplant Programs, and is the Medical Director of UW Organ and Tissue Donation. He received his medical degree at Hahnemann University in Philadelphia, and completed his internship, residency and fellowship at the University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics. Dr. D'Alessandro is board certified in surgery and surgical critical care medicine.



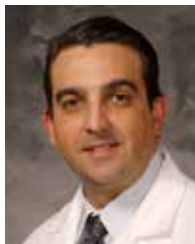
Hans Sollinger, MD, PhD

Dr. Sollinger, Folkert O. Belzer Professor of Surgery, received his medical degree from the University of Munich, Germany, where he also completed his internship and fellowship. Dr. Sollinger is board certified in surgery.



Jon S. Odorico, MD

Dr. Odorico is the Director of the Pancreas Transplant Program and is Co-Director of the Islet Cell Transplant Program. He received his medical degree from New York University. He completed his internship and residency at University Hospital of Pennsylvania, and his fellowship at the University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics. Dr. Odorico is board certified in surgery.



Luis A. Fernandez, MD

Dr. Fernandez is the Co-Director of the Islet Cell Transplant Program. He received his medical degree at the Universidad Central de Venezuela, Caracas, and completed his residency at Jackson Memorial Hospital, Miami, FL. He completed his fellowship at the University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics. Dr. Fernandez is board certified in surgery.



David P. Foley, MD

Dr. Foley received his medical degree at Boston University and completed his internship and residency at the University of Massachusetts. He completed his fellowship at the University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics. Dr. Foley is board certified in surgery.



Joshua D. Mezrich, MD

Dr. Mezrich received his medical degree at Cornell University, NY and completed his residency at the University of Chicago Hospitals. He completed his fellowship at the University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics. Dr. Mezrich is board certified in surgery.

Physicians



Arjang Djamali, MD

Dr. Djamali is the Chair of the Division of Nephrology, the Medical Director of the Islet Cell Transplant Program and the Medical Director of the Living Kidney Donor Program. He received his medical degree from the Montpellier Medical School, France. Dr. Djamali completed his internship at the Montpellier Medical School and his residency at Montpellier Medical School and Wayne State University, Detroit, MI. He completed his fellowship at the University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics. Dr. Djamali is board certified in internal medicine and nephrology.



Maha Mohamed, MD

Dr. Mohamed completed her residency at Mary Imogene Bassett Hospital/Columbia University, New York and her transplant fellowship at University of California School of Medicine, San Francisco. Dr. Mohamed is board certified in internal medicine, geriatrics and nephrology.



Vijay Vidyasagar, MD

Dr. Vidyasagar completed his residency at Carraway Methodist Medical Center, Birmingham, AL and completed a fellowship at University of Alabama Hospital, Birmingham, and a transplant fellowship at University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics. Dr. Vidyasagar is board certified in internal medicine and nephrology.