ORGAN FAILURE AND REPLACEMENT: Why Organs Fail and What Therapies are Available for Organ Replacement

This program will focus on the causes of organ failure, how to prevent loss of organ function and how we can replace organs when they do fail. Participants will hear from a variety of experts, including kidney and liver specialists that are part of the UCSF Abdominal Transplant team, as well as transplant surgeons who perform liver, kidney and pancreas transplants. This comprehensive review should give the learners a better understanding as to why our organs fail, and the incredible outcomes achieved with organ transplantation when organs need to be replaced. The important role of living donors will also be reviewed.

TOPICS
• DIET AND LIFESTYLE FOR KIDNEY DISEASE
• LIVING DONOR KIDNEY TRANSPLANT: THE BASICS AND NEW DEVELOPMENTS
• LIVING DONOR LIVER TRANSPLANT: HOW IT IS DONE AND WHY IT MAKES SENSE
• FATTY LIVER: THE SILENT EPIDEMIC. WHAT IT IS AND WHAT WE CAN DO TO FIGHT IT
• DIAGNOSIS AND MANAGEMENT OF LIVER CANCER, INCLUDING TRANSPLANT
• STRATEGIES TO TREAT DIABETES WITH TRANSPLANTATION: HOW CLOSE ARE WE TO A CURE?

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UCSF has a long history of pioneering biomedical research and a bold vision for advancing health worldwide. However, what does that really mean in the near future and beyond? Hailing from a wide spectrum of disciplines, six UCSF scientists invite you inside their work to learn what the next decade may bring to the world of medicine. Direct from those who live and breathe it every day, find out what’s NEXT in science.

TOPICS
• DOES AN ASPIRIN A DAY KEEP CANCER AWAY?
• STAYING SHARP: CURRENT AND FUTURE APPROACHES TO BRAIN HEALTH AND ALZHEIMER’S THERAPEUTICS
• UNDERSTANDING AND TREATING CANCER AND OTHER DISEASES THROUGH THE IMMUNE SYSTEM
• THE HUMAN MICROBIOME: A NEW FRONTIER IN HEALTH
• TICK TALK: ADVANCING THE UNDERSTANDING AND PREVENTION OF TICK-BORNE DISEASES
• MELTING MINDS WITH MACHINES: DEVELOPMENT OF IMPLANTABLE INTERFACES TO RESTORE MOTOR FUNCTION

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