



SPECIAL STUDIES

Lead Investigator	Topic	Status
2022		
Hannah Kim, M.D.	Sex differences in cardiovascular and infectious complications in a pediatric hemodialysis population	Pending
Brian Stotter, MD	Viral infections by totality of immunosuppression and association with 12 month estimated GFR	Pending
2021		
Eliza Blanchette	Evaluation of Mycophenolate versus Azathioprine for pediatric renal transplantation in the Tacrolimus-era	Presented
Nicole Hayde, M.D	The long-term outcomes of steroid free maintenance immunosuppression regimens in pediatric kidney transplant recipients	Published
Sarah Twichell, M.D.	Rapid weight gain after pediatric kidney transplant and development of cardiometabolic risk factors	Published
Rima Zahr, D.O. Sushil Gupta, M.D.	The characterization of CKD and ESKD in children with Sickle Cell Disease	Presented
2020		
Eileen Ciccio, M.D.	Differential progression to end stage renal disease by race and ethnicity in children with chronic kidney disease:	In Progress
Daniella Levy Erez, M.D.	The occurrence of viral infections among transplant recipients in the NAPRTCS registry over the course of the last 20 years and impact of induction therapy	Published
Kyle Merrill, M.D.	Analysis of the changes in left ventricular hypertrophy on maintenance dialysis over time and after kidney transplantation	Published
Helen Pizzo, M.D.	Alemtuzumab induction in pediatric kidney transplantation	Presented
Nancy Rodig, M.D.	Clinical outcomes associated with induction regimens among pediatric and young adult recipients of kidney retransplantation	Presented
2019		
Kevin Barton, M.D.	Late first acute rejection in pediatric kidney transplantation: A North American Pediatric Renal Trials and Collaborative Studies special Study	Published
Vimal Chadha, M.D.	Transplant outcomes for children with lupus nephritis	Presented
Raja Dandamudi, M.D	Impact of Dialysis Adequacy on Morbidity in Children on Chronic Hemodialysis: A NAPRTCS Report	Presented
Shina Menon, M.D.	Practice patterns and outcomes of maintenance dialysis in children < 2 years of age: a report of the North American Pediatric Renal Trials and Collaborative Studies (NAPRTCS)	Published
Heather Wasik, M.D.	Dialysis outcomes for children with lupus nephritis compared to children with other forms of nephritis: a retrospective cohort study	Published
2017		
Lee J. Koh, M.D.	Does induction treatment affect recurrent idiopathic FSGS onset and graft survival?	Published
Sarah Twichell, M.D.	Longitudinal Assessment of Blood Transfusion Use in Pediatric Dialysis	Published
2016		



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Isa Ashoor, M.D.	Reassessing thymoglobulin induction in kidney transplantation (RETHINK): An analysis of the North American Pediatric Renal Trials and Collaborative Studies (NAPRTCS) Registry	Published
2008		
Ashton Chen, D.O.	Effect of allograft failure on peritoneal and hemodialysis outcomes in pediatric population	Published
Susan Halbach, M.D.	Hypertension in children on dialysis	Published
Karen McNeice, M.D.	Effect of Blood Pressure Control on Progression of Chronic Kidney Disease	Completed
2007		
Ayesa Mian, M.D.	Outcomes of renal transplants performed during the first year of life	Presented
Meredith Atkinson, M.D.	Racial and ethnic disparities in the prevalence and severity of anemia in children with chronic kidney disease	Published
Asha Moudgil, M.D.	Investigation of Estimated Glomerular Filtration Rate (eGFR) Changes after Renal Transplantation in Children and Analysis of Risk Factors Associated with Deterioration of eGFR	Published
2006		
Beth Foster, M.D.	Predictors of obesity and its impact in pediatric renal transplant recipients	Published
Jeffrey Fadrowski, M.D.	Associations between vascular access type and hospitalization/transplant/intermediate outcomes	Presented
Kera Luckritz, D.O.	Impact of hyperphosphatemia on morbidity in the CKD and dialysis population	Presented
2005		
Michelle Baum, M.D.	Analysis of low growth hormone utilization in the NAPRTCS CRI and dialysis registries	Completed
Meredith Atkinson, M.D.	GFR at dialysis initiation and impact on clinical outcomes in the first year of dialysis	Completed
Arlene Gerson, Ph.D.	Evaluation of the relationship between graft type, gender and age on medication adherence post transplant	Presented
Amy Staples, M.D.	Anemia, erythropoietin use and adverse clinical outcomes in pediatric patients with CKD	Presented
2004		
Eileen Ellis, M.D.	Factors related to long-term renal transplant function in children	Published
William Carey, M.D.	Outcomes of renal replacement therapy initiated during the neonatal period (birth to three months)	Published
Vikas Dharnidharka, M.D. Jodi Smith, M.D.	BK virus nephropathy (BKVN) in pediatric renal transplantation	Published
Dechu Puliyaanda, M.D.	Risk factors for infection in pediatric renal recipients	Published
Stuart Goldstein, M.D.	Allograft removal and anemia in children who return to dialysis	Published
Abi Omoloja, M.D.	Racial differences in graft survival	Published



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Vikas Dharnidharka, M.D.	Increased risk for post-transplant lymphoproliferative disease (PTLD) with recombinant human growth hormone (rhGH) use pre- and post-renal transplant	Published
2003		
Alicia Neu, M.D.	Tacrolimus vs. cyclosporine A as primary immunosuppression in pediatric renal transplantation: A NAPRTCS study	Published
Vikas Dharnidharka, M.D.	Profile of infections post-transplantation in NAPRTCS	Published
Paul Hmiel, M.D. Ph.D.	Graft survival after preemptive kidney transplantation	Presented
Mark Mitsnefes, M.D.	Analysis of hypertension in children on chronic dialysis	Published
Minnie Sarwal, M.D.	Complete steroid free immunosuppression achieves unprecedented advantages in growth and graft function in pediatric renal transplantation: a single center and NAPRTCS analysis	Published
2002		
Coral Hanevold, M.D.	The impact of obesity on pediatric renal transplant outcome	Published
Michelle Baum, M.D.	Outcome of children with Wilms' tumor as a primary diagnosis following renal transplant	Published
2001		
Alicia Neu, M.D.	Tacrolimus vs. Cyclosporine as primary immunosuppression in pediatric renal transplant patients	Published
Mark Mitsnefes, M.D.	Blood pressure changes in renal function in children with chronic renal insufficiency	Published
Peter Yorgin, M.D.	Comparison of effects of recombinant human growth hormone in children with chronic renal insufficiency and on dialysis	Published
Michael Braun, M.D.	Transplantation in Children with Membranoproliferative Glomerulonephritis	
2000		
Sharon Bartosh, M.D.	Outcomes of pediatric renal transplantation in children receiving non-primary transplants using tacrolimus as primary immunosuppression	Presented
Susan Furth, M.D.	Does poor growth predict morbidity and mortality in children with ESRD?	Published
Ira Davis, M.D.	The impact of advanced hepatobility disease on the survival of patients with autosomal recessive polycystic kidney diseases following renal transplantation	Published
Peter Yorgin, M.D.	The effect of recombinant human growth hormone in children with chronic renal insufficiency	Presented
1999		
Richard Cohn, M.D.	Outcome after renal transplantation for Drash Syndrome	Presented
Mary Leonard, M.D.	The dose of hemodialysis and outcomes in children	Published
Alicia Neu, M.D.	Comparison of CMV disease in pediatric renal transplant patients receiving azathioprine vs. mycophenolate mofetil	Presented



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Scott Schurman, M.D.	Changes in renal function through puberty in children with chronic renal insufficiency	Presented
1998		
Sharon Bartosh, M.D.	Outcomes in children with ESRD secondary to systemic lupus erythematosus	Published
Mary Leonard, M.D.	Comparison of mortality risks of maintenance dialysis and renal transplantation	Published
Valerie Panzarino, M.D.	The effect of donor sex on renal allograft survival in pediatric renal transplantation	Published
Blanche Chavers, M.D.	Outcome of renal transplantation in pediatric peritoneal dialysis patients	Published
1997		
Amira Al-Uzri, M.D.	Post transplant diabetes mellitus	Published
1996		
Scott Schurman, M.D.	Impact of transplant center volume on pediatric allograft outcome	Published
Anup Singh, M.D.	Risk factors that impact on renal graft thrombosis in the NAPRTCS registry	Published
Bradley A. Warady, M.D.	Fungal peritonitis in children receiving long-term peritoneal dialysis	Published
Alicia Neu, M.D.	Beneficial effect of maternal vs. paternal kidney donation in pediatric renal transplant patients	Published
Ellen Wood, M.D.	Risk factors in young children on dialysis	Published
Amira Al-Uzri, M.D.	Living-unrelated transplantation	Published
1995		
The NAPRTCS Investigators	Controlled clinical trial in pediatric transplantation	Presented
Albert Quan, M.D.	Graft outcome of patients with hemolytic uremic syndrome	Published
Kathy Jabs, M.D.	Graft loss and decreased function in adolescent recipients of LRD grafts	Presented
Susan Furth, M.D.	Vaccine-preventable illness in pediatric renal patients	Published
Noosha Baqi, M.D.	Graft outcome of patients with Down Syndrome	Published
1994		
Glenn Bock, M.D.	Post-transplant CMV infection	Published
Benjamin Brouhard, M.D.	Education status of children with ESRD	Published
Diane Hebert, M.D.	Post-transplant malignancies	Presented
Bradley Warady, M.D.	Socioeconomic status and mortality of children with ESRD	Completed
1993		
Aaron Friedman, M.D.	Serial serum creatinine assessments and graft outcome	Completed
Kathy Jabs, M.D.	Daily versus alternate day steroids and graft outcome	Published



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Ronald Kerman, M.D.	MLR hyporesponsiveness	Published
Melanie Kim, M.D.	Graft outcome of patients with congenital nephrotic syndrome	Published
Paul McEnery, M.D.	Primary diagnosis and graft outcome	Published