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THE SECOND NATIONAL CONGRESS ON ORGAN PROCUREMENT & TRANSPLANTATION

Metropolitan Hotel - Hilton, Sin El Fil, Lebanon - Beirut

May 14 -16, 2015

FINAL PROGRAM

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May 1991, is a very special month in the history of donation and transplantation in Lebanon. It was in this blessed month that two families, in a row, took the courageous decision of donating the organs of a dear relative to be transplanted in 2 needing, desperately waiting patients.

So it is no coincidence that we have chosen the month of May to celebrate our “Lebanese Donor’s Day”.

This year, our celebration will be marked by a scientific meeting, to discuss the new developments in the medical and ethical aspects of donation and transplantation.

The scientific sessions will be followed by a gathering to honor the donors’ families and commemorate the death of their loved ones.

It is with great pleasure that I invite you to attend the 2nd National Congress on Organ Procurement and Transplantation on May 13-16, 2015.

Together we can make a difference.

Antoine Stephan, MD
President of the Congress
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Dr. Sayed Ali Malek Hosseini
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Dr. Martí Manyalich

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ATTENDEES

• Critical care, Emergency and Anesthesiology:
  Physicians and Nurses
• Organ Procurement and Transplant Coordinators
• Neurologists and Neurosurgeons
• Urologists

• Nephrologists, Cardiologists, Hepatologists, Immunologists
• Psychologists, Ethicists...
• Hospital Administrators
• Medical and Nursing Schools
• General Surgery
• Transplant Surgeons

CONGRESS OBJECTIVE

Educate and sensitize the professionals of ICU, critical care, emergency, operating theaters, coordinators, physicians and surgeons on the diagnosis and management of potential donors of organs and tissues. Initiate a regional dynamic scientific research on this theme and create among all health professionals in public and private schools a culture of donation and transplantation.
PRE CONGRESS WORKSHOP ON DCD
LAU-CLINICAL SIMULATION CENTER BYBLOS, LEBANON

WEDNESDAY MAY 13, 2015 - 4th floor

Chairman: Dr. Diaa Abou Chacra, Dr. Walid Faraj

DONATION AFTER CIRCULATORY DEATH: CONTROLLED & UNCONTROLLED PROCEDURES

8:30  Registration and Breakfast
9:00  Welcome and seminar presentation
9:15  International overview of DCD Dr. Martí Manyalich

UNCONTROLLED DCD
10:00 General concepts and procedures Dr. Martí Manyalich
11:00 Cannulation and preservation techniques and outcomes Dr. Martí Manyalich

12:00 Lunch

Chairman: Dr. Gaby Kamel, Dr. Joe Nohra, Dr. Mohammad Wehbé

CONTROLLED DCD
13:00 Withdrawal of life sustaining therapies and determination of death Dr. David Paredes / Dr. Georges Juvelekian
14:00 Organ perfusion, techniques and outcomes Dr. David Paredes
15:00 Organ retrieval organization Dr. Jacinto Sánchez

16:00 End

Note: Pre registration is required. Limited places. First come first serve.
13:00 Registration

**Chairman:** Prof. Mehmet Haberal, Dr. Mohamad Khalifeh, Dr. Faisal Shaheen

### ETHICS AND ORGAN PROCUREMENT

14:00 Organ procurement: A necessity *Dr. Francis Delmonico*

14:30 Middle east medicine (ethics) *Dr. Rashad Barsoum*

15:00 High Quality Programs and Living Donor Observatory Recommendations *Dr. Marti Manyalich*

15:45 Discussion

16:00 Coffee Break

**Chairman:** Dr. Mustafa Al-Mousawi, Dr. Antoine Barbari, Dr. Samir Mallat

### INCREASING ORGAN DONATION

16:30 How to increase the number of organ transplants? *Dr. Lionel Rostaing*

17:15 Paired Donation *Dr. Michael Rees*

17:45 Donation and the media: do’s and dont’s *Dr. Jacinto Sánchez*

18:15 Discussion

18:30 Opening ceremony

19:15 Welcome reception

**TOWARDS A CULTURE OF ORGAN DONATION, ORGAN RETRIEVAL AND TRANSPLANTATION AMONG HEALTH PROFESSIONALS**
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**LIVER TRANSPLANTATION**

17:40 Living Liver Transplantation *Dr. Refaat Kamel*
18:00 Deceased Liver Transplantation *Dr. Malek Hosseini*
18:20 Discussion

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**HEART TRANSPLANTATION**

18:30 Heart Transplantation in Lebanon *Dr. Fayez Abou Jaoudé*
18:50 Assist device a necessary bridge to transplantation *Dr. Mohamad Saab*
19:10 Discussion
19:20 End of day

**SATURDAY MAY 16, 2015**

**IMMUNOLOGY AND TRANSPLANTATION**

9:00 FSGS and Recurrent FSGS *Dr. Flavio Vincenti*
9:30 Histopathological aspects of transplants Problems *Dr. Hala Kfoury Kassouf*

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**ROCHE LEBANON SYMPOSIUM**

10:00 Optimizing outcomes after transplantation *Dr. Flavio Vincenti*
10:30 Discussion
10:40 Coffee Break
Chairman: Dr. Saadé Abboud

NOVARTIS PHARMACEUTICALS SYMPOSIUM

11:00  Effective de novo solutions for better long-term outcomes in kidney transplantation  
       Dr. Lionel Rostaing
11:30  Discussion

Chairman: Dr. Maroun Moukarzel, Dr. Robert Najem

ORGAN PRESERVATION

12:00  Is the ice age over?  Dr. David Paredes
12:30  Machine Preservation When, How and Why?  
       Dr. David Paredes
13:00  Discussion
13:30  Recommendations  Dr. Antoine Stephan
14:00  End of the congress

• This congress is organized with the support of pharmaceutical companies. Remember to visit them during breaks.
• All conferences of the 2nd National Congress on Organ Procurement and Transplantation will be available on the site of NOD-Lb (www.nodlb.org).
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