

Meeting Agenda

Region 3

Monday, February 13, 2023, 8:30am-3pm EST

Hilton Atlanta Airport, Atlanta, GA

Virtual Meeting Link: [GoToWebinar Meeting Link](#)

Councillor: Virginia (Ginny) McBride, RN, MPH

Associate Councillor: David Vega, MD

Board Members: Virginia (Ginny) McBride, RN, MPH, Daniel Yip, MD

Transplant Community Administrator: Betsy Gans

Time (EST)	Agenda Item	Speaker(s)
8:00-8:30 am	Breakfast	
8:30-9:10 am	Predictive Analytics	Lloyd Board UNOS
9:10-9:30 am	Councillor Update & Patient Affairs Committee Update	Virginia (Ginny) McBride, RN, MPH OurLegacy Calvin Henry OPTN Patient Affairs Committee
9:30-10:00 am	Membership & Professional Standards Committee Update	David Vega, MD Emory University Hospital
10:00-10:20 am	Histocompatibility Committee: Require Human Leukocyte Antigen (HLA) Confirmatory Typing for Deceased Donors	Valia Bravo-Egana, PhD, MBA, D(ABHI) Histocompatibility Immunology Laboratory at the Medical College of Georgia
10:20-10:35 am	Break	
10:35-10:55 am	Ethics Committee: Ethical Evaluation of Multiple Listings	Megan Urbanski, MSW,LSW Emory University Hospital
10:55-11:15 am	Liver & Intestinal Organ Transplantation Committee: National Liver Review Board (NLRB) Guidance for Multivisceral Transplant Candidates	Vanessa Pucciarelli, RN, CCTC AdventHealth Orlando
11:15-11:35 am	Liver & Intestinal Organ Transplantation Committee: Update on Continuous Distribution of Livers and Intestines	
11:35-11:55 am	Kidney Transplantation Committee and Pancreatic Transplantation Committee: Continuous Distribution of Kidneys and Pancreata Committee Update	Arpita Basu, MD Emory University Hospital

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11:55-12:00 pm	Morning Announcements & Reminders	Betsy Gans UNOS
12:00 -12:45 pm	Lunch	
12:45-1:15 pm	Executive Committee Update	Jerry McCauley, MD, MPH, FACP President, OPTN Board of Directors
1:15-1:40 pm	Operations & Safety Committee: Optimizing Usage of Offer Filters	Laura Huckestein OurLegacy
1:40-2:00 pm	Network Operations Oversight Committee: Establish Member System Access, Security Framework, and Incident Management and Reporting Requirements	Daniel Yip, MD Mayo Clinic Hospital Florida
2:00-2:20 pm	Ad Hoc Multi-Organ Transplantation: Identify Priority Shares in Kidney Multi-Organ Allocation	Nicole Turgeon, MD Chair, OPTN Policy Oversight Committee
2:20-2:40 pm	Ad Hoc Multi-Organ Transplantation: Expand Required Simultaneous Liver-Kidney Allocation	
2:40-2:50 pm	Announcements & Reminders	Virginia (Ginny) McBride, RN, MPH Betsy Gans
2:50-3:00 pm	Poll Everywhere Results & Meeting Adjourn	Virginia (Ginny) McBride, RN, MPH Betsy Gans

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Winter 2023 Public Comment

Non-Discussion – *Sentiment collection only; no presentation or discussion*

- Modify Heart Policy for Intended Incompatible Blood Type (ABOi) Offers to Pediatric Candidates *OPTN Heart Transplantation Committee*
- Improve Deceased Donor Evaluation for Endemic Diseases, *OPTN Ad Hoc Disease Transmission Advisory Committee*
- Align OPTN Kidney Paired Donation Blood Type Matching Policy and Establish Donor Re-Evaluation Requirements, *OPTN Kidney Transplantation Committee*

Discussion

- Require Human Leukocyte Antigen (HLA) Confirmatory Typing for Deceased Donors, *OPTN Histocompatibility Committee*
- Ethical Evaluation of Multiple Listings, *OPTN Ethics Committee*
- National Liver Review Board (NLRB) Guidance for Multivisceral Transplant Candidates, *OPTN Liver and Intestinal Organ Transplantation Committee*
- Update on Continuous Distribution of Livers and Intestines, *OPTN Liver and Intestinal Organ Transplantation Committee*
- Continuous Distribution of Kidneys and Pancreata, *OPTN Kidney Transplantation Committee and Pancreatic Transplantation Committee*
- Establish Member System Access, Security Framework, and Incident Management and Reporting Requirements, *OPTN Network Operations Oversight Committee*
- Optimizing Usage of Offer Filters, *OPTN Operations & Safety Committee*
- Identify Priority Shares in Kidney Multi-Organ Allocation, *OPTN Ad Hoc Multi-Organ Transplantation*
- Expand Required Simultaneous Liver-Kidney Allocation, *OPTN Ad Hoc Multi-Organ Transplantation*

Resources

Regional Meeting Materials: <https://optn.transplant.hrsa.gov/members/regions/regional-meetings/>

OPTN Policies: <https://optn.transplant.hrsa.gov/governance/policies/>

Final Rule: <https://optn.transplant.hrsa.gov/about/final-rule/>