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CLINICAL FOCUS

- Pediatric Nephrology
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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Clinical Professor, Pediatrics - Nephrology
- Member, Maternal & Child Health Research Institute (MCHRI)

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION

- Fellowship: Stanford University Pediatric Nephrology Fellowship (2010) CA
- Medical Education: RG Kar Medical College and Hospital (1994) India
- Residency: Kaiser Permanente Oakland Pediatric Residency (2007) CA
- Internship: Manchester University - St Mary's Hospital (2003) United Kingdom
- Board Certification: Pediatric Nephrology, American Board of Pediatrics (2014)
- Board Certification: Pediatrics, American Board of Pediatrics (2007)
- MRCP, Royal College of Pediatrics and Child Health, London , Pediatrics (1998)
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Research & Scholarship

CLINICAL TRIALS

- Randomized, Double-Blind, Safety and Efficacy Study of RE-021 (Sparsentan) in Focal Segmental Glomerulosclerosis, Not Recruiting

Publications

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McCarthy, E., Kaplinski, M., Adamson, G., MacMillen, K., Zucker, E., Chaudhuri, A., Algaze, C., Collins, R.
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2024
- **Immunosuppression and recurrence free parental donor kidney transplant in patient with previous graft loss secondary to recurrent FSGS using prospective a/b T cell, CD19 depleted haploidentical parental stem cell transplant**
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- **Patterns in Tacrolimus Variability and Association with De Novo Donor-Specific Antibody Formation in Pediatric Kidney Transplant Recipients.** *Clinical journal of the American Society of Nephrology : CJASN*
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