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# Save the dates and join us in Miami to hear the latest on transplant innovation.

**Dates:** January 12-15, 2023 **Location:** Loews Miami Beach

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## Thursday, Jan 12

7:30–10:30 PM Byblos Miami, 1545 Collins Ave Miami Beach, FL 33139

## Molecular Surveillance and Innovation for Improved Patient Support and Allograft Outcomes

Panel discussion and dinner program highlighting how we should utilize molecular and digital tools for clinical care.

# Friday, Jan 13

**11:00 AM–12:00 PM** Loews Miami - 2nd Floor Americana Room

## From Benchtop to Bedside: Clinical Utility of Multi-Modal Molecular and Digital Tools

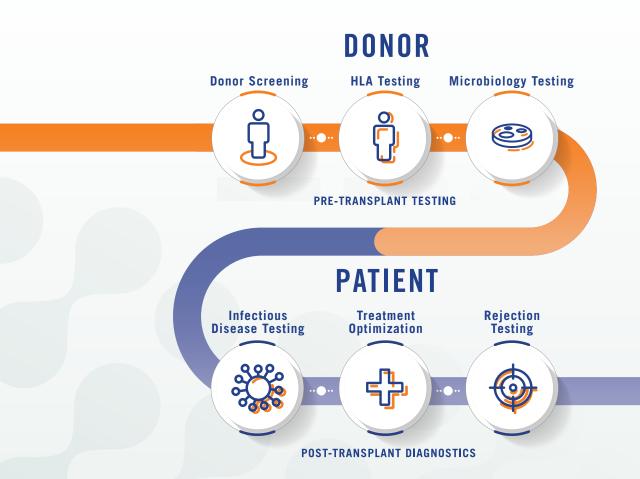
Sponsored lunch symposium highlighting the latest data on AlloMap Kidney, AlloSure for immuno-optimization, and AiKidney

# Thurs - Sat

**All Day** Loews Miami - 2nd Floor Americana Room

### **Visit Our Booth**

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# **Enhancing Living Donor Kidney Transplantation Opportunities**

Saturday, January 14, 2023 • 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM EST

#### **Loews Miami Beach Hotel**

Poinciana Room Miami, Florida

#### Matthew Cooper, MD

Chief, Division of Transplant Surgery Professor of Surgery Medical College of Wisconsin Mark B. Adams Chair in Transplant Surgery Milwaukee, Wisconsin

#### **Amit Govil, MD**

Medical Director, Kidney Transplant Program University of Cincinnati Cincinnati, Ohio

#### **Alexander Wiseman, MD**

Executive Director, Kidney Transplantation Centura Health Denver, Colorado

#### **Program Description**

Please join us for a discussion on the current state of living donor kidney transplantation in the United States. This program will highlight current trends and policies that seek to address gaps in equity and access. The evolution and expansion of kidney paired donation, strategies to engage living donors, and removal of financial disincentives will also be discussed.

This is an industry-sponsored session. CE/CME credit will not be available.

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The combination of dd-cfDNA fraction and quantity was found to be significantly more predictive than either variable alone.

- HALLORAN, ET AL<sup>1</sup>

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25 international and US sites 367

biopsy-matched plasma samples from adult kidney transplant recipients histology-confirmed rejections in an indication biopsy cohort

Reference: Halloran, Philip F. MD, PhD, et al. Combining Donor-derived Cell-free DNA Fraction and Quantity to Detect Kidney Transplant Rejection Using Molecular Diagnoses and Histology as Confirmation. Transplantation: June 29, 2022 - Volume - Issue - 10.1097/TP.00000000004212 doi: 10.1097/TP.000000000004212

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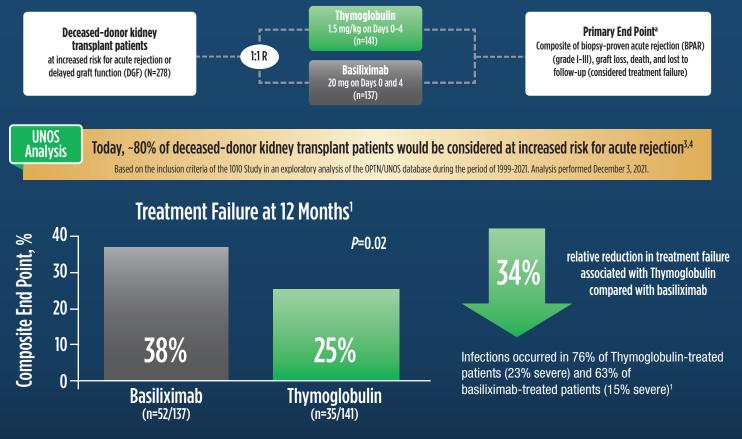


# Induction Therapy for Kidney Transplant: Protection in a Hostile Environment

# Thymoglobulin Anti-thymocyte Globulin (Rabbit)

# Thymoglobulin Induction Demonstrated Superiority to Basiliximab in Reducing Treatment Failure<sup>1</sup>

Brennan et al: Open-Label, Randomized, Active-Controlled Trial<sup>1,2</sup>



<sup>a</sup> The original primary end point of the trial published by Brennan et al was a composite of the first occurrence of BPAR, DGF, graft loss, or death.<sup>2</sup> The FDA filing used a new composite end point, which removed DGF and included lost to follow-up, accounting for differences in the Brennan et al data compared with the Thymoglobulin label.<sup>3</sup> The composite end point is defined as the occurrence of any of the following: BPAR (grade I-III), graft loss, death, or lost to follow-up. A patient can be counted in more than 1 category with the exception of lost to follow-up. First induction treatment was initiated prior to the reperfusion of the kidney and all patients received triple-maintenance immunosuppression involving cyclosporine, MMF, and corticosteroids. Patients were followed for 12 months or until they were withdrawn from the study or lost to follow-up.<sup>1</sup>

Thymoglobulin<sup>®</sup> (anti-thymocyte globulin (rabbit)) is indicated for the prophylaxis and treatment of acute rejection in patients receiving a kidney transplant. Thymoglobulin is to be used in conjunction with concomitant immunosuppression.

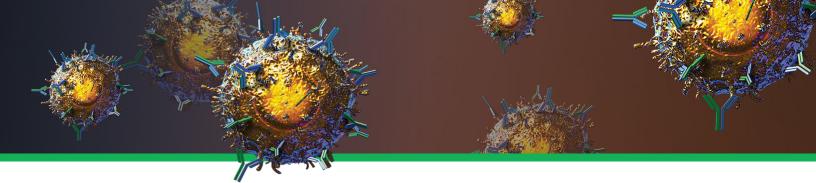
## **Important Safety Information**

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#### WARNING: IMMUNOSUPPRESSION.

Thymoglobulin should only be used by physicians experienced in immunosuppressive therapy in transplantation.

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## Important Safety Information (cont)

- **Contraindications.** Thymoglobulin is contraindicated in patients with a history of allergy or anaphylaxis to rabbit proteins or to any product excipients, or who have active acute or chronic infections which contraindicate any additional immunosuppression.
- Management of Immunosuppression. To prevent over-immunosuppression, physicians may wish to decrease the dose of the maintenance immunosuppression regimen during the period of Thymoglobulin use. Dosing for Thymoglobulin is different from dosing for other ATG products, because protein composition and concentrations vary depending on the source of ATG. Thymoglobulin should be used under strict medical supervision in a hospital setting, and patients should be carefully monitored during the infusion.
- **Immune Mediated Reactions.** Serious immune-mediated reactions, including anaphylaxis or severe cytokine release syndrome (CRS), have been reported with the use of Thymoglobulin. Fatal anaphylaxis has been reported. If an anaphylactic reaction occurs, the infusion should be terminated immediately.
- Infusion-Associated Reactions. Cases consistent with cytokine release syndrome (CRS) have been reported with rapid infusion rates. CRS is attributed to the release of cytokines by activated monocytes and lymphocytes. Severe acute CRS can cause serious cardiorespiratory events and/or death. Close compliance with the recommended dosage and infusion time may reduce the incidence and severity of infusion-associated reactions (IARs). Slowing the infusion rate may minimize many of these IARs. Reactions at the infusion site may include pain, swelling, and redness of the skin.
- Hematologic Effects. Low counts of platelets and white blood cells (including low counts of lymphocytes and neutrophils) have been identified and are reversible following dose adjustments. Total white blood cell and platelet counts should be monitored.
- Infection and Malignancy. Infections, reactivation of infection, febrile neutropenia, sepsis, malignancies including lymphoproliferative disorders (LPD) and other lymphomas as well as solid tumors have been reported after Thymoglobulin administration in combination with multiple immunosuppressive agents. These events can be fatal.
- Immunization. The safety of immunization with attenuated live vaccines following Thymoglobulin therapy has not been studied; therefore, immunization with attenuated live vaccines is not recommended for patients who have recently received Thymoglobulin.
- **Overdosage.** Thymoglobulin overdosage may result in leukopenia (including lymphopenia and neutropenia) and/ or thrombocytopenia, which can be managed with dose reduction.
- Adverse Reactions. The most common adverse reactions and laboratory abnormalities (incidence >5% higher than comparator) are urinary tract infection, abdominal pain, hypertension, nausea, shortness of breath, fever, headache, anxiety, chills, increased potassium levels in the blood, and low counts of platelets and white blood cells.
- During post-marketing surveillance, arthralgia/myalgia, lymphadenopathy, proteinuria, and decreased oxygen saturation tend to occur 5 to 15 days after Thymoglobulin infusion and are consistent with serum sickness. Symptoms are manageable with corticosteroid treatment.



Visit the Thymoglobulin Website to Learn More

#### Click here for full Prescribing Information, including Boxed WARNING.

FDA, Food and Drug Administration; MMF, mycophenolate mofetil; OPTN, Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network; R, randomization; UNOS, United Network for Organ Sharing.

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