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Webinars Presents:

Transplant Considerations for the ACHD Patient

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About the Webinar

Were you born with a congenital heart defect and told you might need a heart transplant one day? Have you already had a heart transplant? If you answered yes to either of these questions, you don't want to miss this webinar. Advanced therapy options, including transplant and mechanical circulatory support that exist for ACHD patients, will be discussed. You will also learn when patients should be referred, what to expect from an evaluation standpoint, and risks/benefits to these therapies. The most recent research and data will be presented. In addition, the webinar will cover areas where the field is lacking, as well as options for new studies.

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About the Presenter

Dr. Jonathan Menachem is a transplant cardiologist and director of Advanced Congenital Cardiac Therapies (ACCT) and Vanderbilt University. Dr. Menachem attended Tulane University School of Medicine and then completed his internal medicine residency at Duke University. Subsequently, he completed his cardiology (including a dedicated ACHD year) and advanced heart failure fellowships at the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania. The majority of Dr. Menachem's research is focused on advanced therapies including transplant and mechanical circulatory support for ACHD patients.

About the Adult Congenital Heart Association

The Adult Congenital Heart Association (ACHA) is a national not-for-profit organization dedicated to improving the quality of life and extending the lives of adults with congenital heart disease (CHD). ACHA serves and supports the more than one million adults with CHD, their families and the medical community—working with them to address the unmet needs of the long-term survivors of congenital heart defects through education, outreach, advocacy, and promotion of ACHD research. For more information about ACHA, contact (888) 921-ACHA or visit www.achaheart.org.

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