

Desensitization in Crossmatch-positive Kidney Transplant Candidates

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Teams (Contact Activity Coordinator for link)

Learning Objectives: *As a result of participating in this Live Activity, Journal-based CME activity, participants should be able to:*

- 1 Compare individual practice with evidence based medicine practice.*
- 2 Review new programs or new regulations that will affect patient care.*
- 3 Identify processes that may result in successfully decreasing morbidity and mortality.*
- 4 Improve multidisciplinary communication during complex cases.*
- 5 • Review the definition and importance of panel reactive antibody (PRA) in kidney transplantation*
- 6 • Review methods and medications of desensitization*
- 7 • Review risks and benefits of desensitization*
- 8 • Discuss how desensitization protocols could help decrease the wait time to organ transplantation and improve morbidity & mortality of our patients at Hartford Hospital*

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- Cheryl Waltman, PA : Nothing to disclose - 02/22/2026

