

MONDAY

October 6, 2003

Room A

- 08:30 - 10.00 Renal Transplantation: oral presentations
Chairmen: A. Basci (Izmir), G. Yakupoglou (Antalya) and D. Jovanovic (Belgrade)
- New approaches for histocompatibility matching in kidney transplantation**
Ivanova M, Penkova K, Michailova S, Nedialkova A, Jordanova D, Mihaylova A, Naumova E (Sofia)
- Obesity and hyperhomocysteinemia after kidney transplantation**
Teplan V, Schuck O, Stollova M, Vitko S (Prague, Czech Republic)
- HCV infection acquired after renal transplantation: a progressive disease**
Delladetsima I, Psichogiou M, Sypsa V, Psimenou E, Margaritis E, Kostakis A, Hatzakis A, Boletis JN (Athens)
- Clinical risk factors of patient and graft survival after first kidney transplantation**
Vergoulas G, Miserlis G, Atmatzidis E, Antoniadis G, Eleftheriadis T, Imvrios G, Gakis D (Thessaloniki)
- Excellent results of living unrelated renal transplantation: a single center experience**
Ivanovski N, Popov Z, Kolevski P, Cakalaroski K, Masin J, Spasovski G, Zafirovska K (Skopje)
- The association of tuberculosis in patients on hemodialysis and after kidney transplantation**
Tanase A, Reaboi V, Evdochimov L, Codreanu I, Dumbraveanu I, Gaibu S (Chisinau, Moldova)
- Comparison of C2 monitorized cyclosporine and tacrolimus based immunosuppressive regimens in renal transplant recipients**
Tuncer M, Yavuz A, Gurkan A, Kacar S, Cetinkaya R, Demirbas A, Akaydin M, Yakupoglu G, Ersoy F (Antalya)
- The effect of pregnancy on cyclosporine levels in renal allograft patients**
Paskalev E, Gicheva M, Simeonov P (Sofia)
- Influence of tacrolimus and mycophenolate mofetil regimens on acute rejection rate and side effect profiles in renal transplant recipients**
Tuncer M, Yavuz A, Gurkan A, Kacar S, Cetinkaya R, Tekin S, Demirbas A, Akaydin M, Ersoy F, Yakupoglu G (Antalya)
- 10.00 - 10.30 Lecture
Podocin Mutation in Steroid Resistant Nephrotic Syndrome
Mir S (Izmir)
- 10.30 - 11.00 Coffee break (30 min)

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- 11.00 - 13.00 Joint State of the Art Seminar ISN and ERA-EDTA Renal Transplantation. Part I:
Immunosuppression in Renal Transplantation: Drugs and Combinations
Chairmen: A. Kostakis (Athens), P. Panchev (Sofia) and Ch.P. Stathakis (Athens)
- Corticosteroids - Azathioprine**
Blagojevic-Lazic R (Belgrade)
- Calcineurin Inhibitors: Cyclosporine A, Tacrolimus**
Pemer F (Budapest)
- Non-Nephrotoxic Immunosuppressive Drugs: MMF and Sirolimus**
Campistol JM (Barcelona)
- Polyclonal and Monoclonal Antibodies: ALG/ATG, OKT3 and IL2-R Inhibitors**
Stathakis ChP (Athens)
- Current Immunosuppressive Combinations**
Campistol JM (Barcelona)
- 13.00 - 13.30 Lunch
13.30 - 14.30 Poster Presentations
- 14.30 - 16.00 Joint State of the Art Seminar ISN and ERA-EDTA Renal Transplantation Part II
Chairmen: E. Naumova (Sofia) and Ch.P. Stathakis (Athens)
- Organ Transplantation in France**
Lepage V (Paris)
- Renal Transplantation in Bulgaria**
P. Panchev (Sofia)
- Genetic Factors Influencing Long-Term Graft Survival in Kidney Transplantation**
Naumova E (Sofia)
- 16.00 - 18.30 Break
18.30 - 20.00 Opening Ceremony
18.30 - 19.00 Chairmen: A. Basci, L. Djukanovic, D. Nenov, M. Polenakovic, Ch.P. Stathakis
Welcome Addresses: D. Nenov, President of the 6-th BANTAO Congress; S. Bogoev, Minister of Health; K. Jordanov, Mayor of Varna; Ch.P. Stathakis, President of BANTAO
- 19.00 - 19.30 **Lymphatic Neoangiogenesis in Transplanted Patients**
Kerjaschki D (Vienna)
- 19.30 - 20.00 Concert
20.00 - 22.00 Welcome Reception
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MONDAY
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Room B

- 08:30 - 10.00 Clinical Nephrology: Oral Presentations
Chairmen: M. Barbullushi (Tirana), V. Djordjevic (Nis) and P. Chankova (Varna)

The influence of urinary tract infections to the progression of autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease

Barbullushi M, Idrizi A, Grabocka E, Gjata M (Tirana)

Balkan endemic nephropathy in Bulgaria

Dimitrov T (Sofia)

Assessment of some trace elements in very old individuals in Varna region, Bulgaria

Todorova V, Chankova P, Madjova V, Savov L (Varna)

Genetic factors predisposing to Balkan endemic nephropathy

Toncheva D, Atanassova S, Dimitrov T (Sofia)

The incidence of the urothelial tumors in Jablanic area

Glogovac S, Djordjevic V, Stefanovic V (Nis)

Pulmonary-renal syndrome in patients with ANCA (+) vasculitis: an eleven-year single center experience

Stangou M, Asimaki A, Zoumbaridis N, Bamichas G, Christidou F, Natse T, Galanis N, Christaki P, Patakas D, Sombolos K (Thessaloniki)

Changes of plasma human atrial natriuretic peptide in different types of hypertensive disorders of pregnancy

Zafirovska GK, Maleska TV, Bogdanovska VS, Lozance AL, Gerasimovska-Kitanovska DB (Skopje)

Carvedilol in slowing down chronic renal failure progression

Dokic Z, Jovanovic DB, Pavlovic S, Milivojevic M, Nesic V, Djukanovic L (Belgrade)

10.00 - 10.30

Key - Notes Lecture

Chairman: V. Vargemesis (Alexandroupolis)

Peritoneal Membrane Alterations in Peritoneal Dialysis

Stojimirovic B (Belgrade)

10.30 - 11.00

Coffee break (30 min)

11.00 - 13.00

State of the Art Lectures

Blood Pressure - Independent Cardiovascular Protection: Myth or Reality?

Fournier A (Paris)

Chairman: St. Plesja (Belgrade)

New Perspectives to Improve Nutritional Status in Haemodialysis Patients

Savica V (Messina)

Chairman: K. Barboutis (Serres)

Dialysis Patients in Europe: The DOPPS Study

Andreucci V (Naples)

Chairman: L. Djukanovic (Belgrade)

Inflammation Markers as Cardiovascular Prognostic Factors in Haemodialysis Patients

Gherman M (Cluj-Napoka)

Chairman: V. Stojimirovic (Belgrade)

13.00 - 13.30

Lunch

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- 13.30 - 14.30 Poster Presentations
- 14.30 - 16.30 Round Table
Balkan Endemic Nephropathy (BEN)
Chairmen: M. Polenakovic (Skopje), S. Strachinic (Nis) and Tz. Dimitrov (Sofia)
- Current Research in BEN and Associated Urothelial Cancer**
Stefanovic V (Nis)
- Molecular - Biological and Virological Investigations in BEN**
Dimitrov Tz (Sofia)
- The Significance of Pathophysiology Findings in BEN**
Dimitrievic J (Belgrade)
- BEN in Romania**
Gluchovschi G (Timisoara)
- Could Balkan Nephropathy be a Disorder of Renal Embryogenesis?**
Nenov V (Varna)
- 16.00 - 18.30 Break
- 18.30 - 20.00 Opening Ceremony **Room A**
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TUESDAY

October 7, 2003

Room A

- 08:30 - 10.00 Clinical Nephrology: Oral Presentations
Chairmen: S. Michael (Athens) and H. Resic (Sarajevo)
- A four-year period overview of moderate to severe acute renal failure in nephrology department: report of 80 cases from a single center**
Strakosha A, Koroshi A, Tereska N, Babameto A, Dedej T, Idrizi A (Tirana)
- Ten-year survival of the patients with lupus nephritis treated with combine pathogenetic therapy**
Dobrev N, Rapondjieva A, Shurlev V, Tishkov I, Nikolov D, Delyiska B (Sofia)
- Comparison of the influence of ACE inhibitor Lisinopril and ATII receptor antagonist losartan in patients with idiopathic membranous nephropathy and nephrotic syndrome**
Michail S, Kosmadakis G, Giapraka N, Filiopoulos V, Tentolouris N, Georgoulas C, Smirloglou D, Gobou A, Stamataki E, Stathakis CP (Athens)
- The influence of angiotensin-converting enzyme inhibitor lisinopril in patients with idiopathic membranous nephropathy and nephrotic syndrome**
Michail S, Kosmadakis G, Giapraka N, Filiopoulos V, Stamataki E, Georgoulas C, Smirloglou D, Gobou A, Draganis T, Stathakis CP (Athens)
- Renal failure in glomerular diseases at the moment of biopsy**

Grcevska L, Dzikova S, Polenakovic M (Skopje)

Histopathological indexes of activity and chronicity: predictors of renal outcome in lupus nephritis

Grcevska L, Petrusevska G (Skopje)

Mutation in the MTHFR gene and homocystein levels in uremic patients

Simic-Ogrizovic S, Novakovic I, Mirkovic D, Jemcov T, Stosovic M, Djukanovic L (Belgrade)

Cystic disease of the renal sinus: twenty years later. Do we recognize it well yet?

Todorov V, Dimitrova B (Pleven)

10.00 - 10.30 Coffee break (30 min)

10.30 - 12.00 Round Table

New Therapeutic Approaches Towards the Well-Being of Renal Patients

Sponsored by Genesis Pharma, Greece

Chairmen: D. Tsakiris (Veria) and M.E. de Broe (Antwerp)

Anemia Management: European Guidelines

Tsakiris D (Veria)

Triggering Erythropoiesis: New Developments

Mac Dougal I (London)

Bone Mineral Metabolism - Serum Phosphate Control: New Developments

De Broe ME (Antwerp)

Lanthanum in Hyperphosphatemia Control

Goldsmith D (London)

12.00 - 13.30 Janssen - Cilag Symposium:

Epoetin alpha - update on anemia management in patients with chronic renal failure

Lunch will be provided during the symposium

13.30 - 14.00 Poster presentations

14.00 - 14.30 Lecture

Chairman: P. Simeonov (Sofia)

Podocyte Damage and Glomerular Permeability

Kerjaschki D (Vienna)

14.30 - 16.30 Round Table

Hypertension: New Aspects in Pathogenesis and Treatment

Chairmen: Ali Basci (Izmir) and E.I. Dorhout-Mees (Vorden)

Hypertension in Renal Disease

Dorhout-Mees EJ (Vorden)

Hypertension and Salt: Back to the Future

Arici M (Ankara)

Hypertension in Pregnancy

Zafirovska K (Skopje)

The Impact of Hypertension in Progression of Chronic Renal Failure

Pljesa S (Belgrade)

Hypertension Treatment: From Clinical Data to Clinical Practice

Erdem Y (Ankara)

16.30 - 16.45 Coffee break (15 min)

16.45 - 18.45 State of the Art Lectures

Molecular Basis of Acute Renal Failure

Oberbauer R (Vienna)

Chairman: N. Dobрева (Sofia)

Fabry's Disease: New Therapeutic Approach

Grunfeld JP (Paris)

Chairman: C. Siamopoulos (Ioannina)

Sexual Dysfunction in Uremia

Bellinghieri G (Messina)

Chairman: V. Todorov (Pleven)

The Cardio - Renal - Anemia Syndrome

Rozenfeld J (Tel Aviv)

Chairman: C. Iatrou (athens)

18.45 - 19.15 **General Assembly**

(Statute of BANTAO - Membership)

BANTAO Journal - BANTAO Nurse-Technician Association

21.00 - 22.00 Concert

22.0 - 23.30 Presidential Dinner

TUESDAY
October 7, 2003
Room B

08:30 - 10.00 Hemodialysis: Oral Presentations

Chairmen: V. Hadzikonstantinou (Athens) and R. Hrvasevic (Belgrade)

Online clearance monitoring: haemodialysis treatment and patients' benefit

Vlatkovic V, Jakovljevic B, Arezina A (Banja Luka)

Factors affecting long-time survival on dialysis treatment: experience of one dialysis center

Krivoshiev S, Vazelov E (Sofia)

Epo resistance - is it depended on some inflammatory factors?

Yonova D, Dobrev S, Stanchev I, Velizarova M, Kojcheva N, Hadjiev S, Minova D, Damova N (Sofia)

Iron status in hemodialysis patients on long-term erythropoietin treatment

Sonikian M, Stathakis S, Pani I, Mangana P, Diamantopoulou N, Franginea P,

Vlassopoulos D (Athens)

Thyroid function in symptomless, aged hemodialysis patients

Zerbala S, Kalocheretis P, Drouzas A, Fili K, Makriniotou I, Arvanitis N, Vlamis H, Palla S, Iatrou C (Athens)

Von Willebrand factor related to different hemodialysis membranes

Dejanov P, Dejanova B, Sikole A, Grozdanovski R (Skopje)

Intradialytic variations of oxidative stress markers

Capusa C, Mircescu G, Stoian I, Santimbrea C, Ursea N (Bucharest)

Pulse pressure and risk of cardiovascular events and mortality in patients on hemodialysis

Jovanovic DB, Stosovic M, Pejvanovic S, Ostric V, Nesic V (Belgrade)

10.00 - 10.30 Coffe break (30 min)

10.30 - 11.00 Lecture

Chairman: S. Krivosiev (Sofia)

Home Hemodialysis: Belgrade Shows the Way

Dimkovic N (Belgrade)

11.00 - 12.00 Pediatric Nephrology: Oral Presentations

Chairmen: A. Peco-Antic (Belgrade) and A. Mitsioni (Athens)

A population-specific formula predicting creatinine excretion in children on chronic peritoneal dialysis

Stefanidis CJ, Mitsioni A, Bitsiori M (Athens)

ATR2 gene polymorphism in children with urinary bladder dysfunction and upper urinary tract dilatation

Kostic M, Stankovic A, Peco-Antic A, Zivkovic M, Djuric T, Jovanovic O, Alavantic D (Belgrade)

ACE I/D and ATR1 A1166C gene polymorphisms and diabetic nephropathy in children. Prospective study

Stankovic A, Kostic M, Zivkovic M, Matejic M, Peco-Antic A, Jovanovic O, Sajic S, Alavantic D (Belgrade)

The deletion polymorphism of the ACE gene is not an independent risk factor for renal scarring in children suffering from vesico-ureteric reflux

Silan L, Kovacs L, Cervenova L, Vavrova D, Payer J, Reznicek J, Breza J (Bratislava, Slovak Republic)

Primary nephrotic syndrome of childhood. Twenty two years experience

Yuksel S, Ozcakar B, Arici S, Acar B, Ekim M, Yalcinkaya F (Ankara)

MEFV gene mutations in children with familial mediterranean fever: Ege universty experience

Berdeli A, Cura A, Mir S, Serdaroglu E, Ozkayin N (Izmir)

12.00 - 13.30 Janssen - Cilag Symposium: Epoetin alpha - update on anemia management in patients with chronic renal failure (with lunch In Room A)

13.30 - 14.00 Poster presentations

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- 14.00 - 14.30 Podocyte Damage and Glomerular Permeability, Kerjaschki D (Vienna) (in Room A)
- 14.30 - 16.30 Joint Round Table ISN and ERA-EDTA
Management of Chronic Renal Failure in Pediatric Patients
Chairmen: C. Stefanidis (Athens) and R. Topaloglou (Ankara)
- Progression to Renal Failure**
Topaloglou R (Ankara)
- Anemia**
Peco-Antic A (Belgrade)
- Hypertension**
Lilova M (Sofia)
- Renal Osteodystrophy**
Tasic V (Skopje)
- Growth and Nutrition**
Stefanidis C (Athens)
- 16.30 - 16.45 Coffee break (15 min)
- 16.45 - 17.15 State of the Art Lecture
Chairman: V. Nesic (Belgrade)
- Homocysteine in Uremia: A Cardiovascular Risk**
Splendiani G (Rome)
- 17.15 - 18.30 Clinical Nephrology: Oral Presentations
Chairmen: E. Erek (Istanbul) and V. Lezaic (Belgrade)
- Assessment of serum osteoprotegerin and SRANKL in predialysis patients with chronic renal failure**
Kumchev E, Dimitrakov D, Tsvetkova T, Pavlov P, Boyadjieva A (Plovdiv)
- Cisplatin induced anemia and preventive treatment with erythropoietin**
Zafirov D, Sikole A, Ristovski M, Milosevski P, Petrov S (Skopje)
- Acute renal failure due to rhabdomyolysis in narcotic drug users**
Michail S, Vaiopoulos G, Filiopoulos V, Michail PO, Balitsari A, Constantinidou I, Kosmadakis G, Georgoulas C, Gounari P, Stathakis CP (Athens)
- Intravenous iron supplementation for the treatment of anemia in predialyzed chronic renal failure patients**
Garneata L, Mircescu G, Grabowski D, Rusu M, Ursea N (Bucharest)
- Influence of inflammation on the relation between markers of iron deficiency in ESRD patients**
Yavuz A, Kolagasi O, Akbas H, Gurkan A, Tuncer M, Gultekin M, Demirbas A, Ersoy F, Akaydin M, Yakupoglu G (Antalya)
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WEDNESDAY

October 8, 2003

Room A

08:30 - 10.00 Hemodialysis: Oral Presentations
Chairman: M. Covic (Yasch) and R. Robeva (Sofia)

Dialysis treatment in Bulgaria 1993-2001
Krivoshiev S, Vazelov E, Lazarov G (Sofia)

Emergency admissions of chronic renal failure patients for acute hemodialysis: incidence rates, causes and outcome.
Arampatzis S, Barboutis CA, Spanou Z, Lazaridis I, Niavis G (Serres)

Hepatitis E virus antibodies in haemodialysis patients: epidemiological survey in Thessalia (central Greece)
Stefanidis I, Zerbou E, Rizos C, Syrganis C, Patsidis E, Kyriakopoulos G, Sdrakas L, Tsianas N, Liakopoulos V, Dalekos G (Larissa)

Lanthanum carbonate: a new phosphate binder
Behets GJ, Spasovski GB, Bervoets AR, Oste L, Dams G, Gritters M, Damment SJP, De Broe ME, D'Haese PC (Skopje)

Evaluation of diabetic patients on maintenance hemodialysis: single center experience
Polenakovic M, Petrovski G, Nikolov I, Pavleska S, Dzekova P, Grozdanovski R (Skopje)

Intravenous vs subcutaneous epo administration as maintenance therapy in haemodialysis patients: a prospective randomized trial
Covic A, Volovat C, Ungureanu S, Gusbeth-Tatomir P, Covic M (Iasi)

Obesity as risk factor in survival of patients on hemodialysis
Stosovic M, Stanojevic M, Ostric V, Nesic V, Ristic G, Jovanovic D, Simic S (Belgrade)

Reuse of different types of dialysers: first longterm results in Turkey
Erek E, Akoglu E, Dalmak Hunsicker S, Seymen P, Oygur D, Eren Z, Serdengeci K (Istanbul)

10.00 - 10.30 Lecture
Chairman: M. Tuncer (Antalya)
High - Flux Hemodialysis. Current Evidence
Ljubic D (Split)

10.30 - 11.00 Coffee break (30 min)

11.00 - 13.00 Joint Round Table ISN and ERA-EDTA: Selected Aspects of the Treatment of Glomerular Diseases
Chairmen: C. Siamopoulos (Ioannina) and B. Kiperova (Sofia)

Lupus Nephritis

Boletis JN (Athens)

ANCA - Associated Nephritis

Jayne D (London)

Membranous Nephropathy

Kiperova B (Sofia)

Cyclosporine in Nephrotic Syndrome

Meyrier A (Paris)

13.00 - 13.30

Lunch

13.30 - 14.30

Poster Presentations

14.30 - 16.30

Round Table: Peritoneal Dialysis Update

Chairmen: V. Vargemesis (Alexandroupolis) and F. Ersoy (Antalya)

Assessment of Co-Morbidity in Peritoneal Dialysis Patients

Ersoy F (Antalya)

The New KDOQI Guideline in Peritoneal Dialysis

Passadakis P (Alexandroupolis)

Treatment of Infections in Peritoneal Dialysis

Mushekov V (Sofia)

Integration of Peritoneal Dialysis in Uremia Treatment

Nesic V (Belgrade)

APD: Indications, Management, Prescription and Adequacy

Maksic D (Belgrade)

16.30 - 16.45

Coffee break (15 min)

16.45 - 17.15

State of the Art Lecture

Chairman: A. Osichenko (Sofia)

Sagliker Syndrome - Uglyfying Human Face Appearance

Sagliker Y (Adana)

17.15 - 18.30

Peritoneal Dialysis and Hemodialysis: Oral Presentations

Chairmen: M. Malovrh (Ljubljana) and N. Thereska (Tirana)

The influence of continuous ambulatory peritoneal dialysis on pulmonary functions

Mydlik M, Derzsiova K, Stubna J, Toth S, Molcanyiova A (Kosice, Slovak Republic)

Abnormalities of cellural immunity in uremic patients undergoing continous ambulatory peritoneal dialysis

Griveas I, Visvardis G, Fleva A, Mitsopoulos E, Manou E, Kyrikliou P, Ginikopoulou E, Meimaridou D, Rottstein L, Andreadis V, Papadopoulou D, Pavlitou A, Sakellariou G (Thessaloniki)

Experience with a high-dose oral iron sulphate and gluconate in peritoneal dialysis patients

Lausevic M, Nesic V, Stojimirovic B (Belgrade)

Quality of life and effecting factors in hemodialysis and CAPD patients

Guney I, Altintepe L, Tonbul HZ, Turk S, Kara F, Yeksan M (Konya)

Peritoneal dialysis-related peritonitis. Analysis of the local microbiology and sensitivity pattern of causative organisms

Maksic D, Mirovic V, Tomanovic B, Nonkovic Y, Aleksic S, Savic D, Kovacevic Z (Belgrade)

Impaired insulin sensitivity and insulin secretion in hemodialysis patients with and without secondary hyperparathyroidism

Rasic.....Perunicic G, Pljesa S, Komadina L (Belgrade)

18.30 - 19.00 **Closing Remarks**

Chairmen: D. Nenov, M. Polenakovic, L. Djukanovic, A. Basci, Ch.P. Stathakis

21.00 - 24.00 Gala Dinner

WEDNESDAY

October 8, 2003

Room B

08:30 - 10.00 Renal Transplantation and Hemodialysis: Oral Presentations
Chairmen: I. Ivanovski (Skopje) and G. Vergoulas (Thessaloniki)

Effect of HMG-CoA reductase inhibitors (statins) on bone mineral density in renal transplantation

Konstadinidou I, Filiopoulos V, Giapraka N, Piperos T, Liarakos N, Kostakis A, Boletis JN, Stathakis CP (Athens)

Evaluation of the effect of serum creatinine and body weight on blood pressure of renal transplant recipients

Vergoulas G, Miserlis Gr, Imvrios G, Eleftheriadis T, Gakis D (Thessaloniki)

Influence of single kidney GFR of donors' kidney on posttransplant graft function

Lezaic V, Naumovic R, Radivojevic D, Jaksic E, Djukanovic L (Belgrade)

Factors influencing 10-year survival of chronic allograft nephropathy

Savin M, Basta Jovanovic G, Blagojevic R, Petronic V (Belgrade)

Prevalence and risk factors of malignancy in renal transplant recipients

Yakupoglu G, Tuncer M, Gurkan A, Yavuz A, Demirbas A, Erdogan O, Ersoy F, Akaydin M (Antalya)

Cigarette smoking and alcohol intake in renal transplant recipients

Yavuz A, Gurkan A, Dikici H, Tuncer M, Kececiloglu N, Yucetin L, Demirbas A, Ersoy F, Akaydin M, Yakupoglu G (Antalya)

Assessment of myocardial perfusion with Tc-99m-MIBI spect: association with cardiovascular disease markers in haemodialysis patients

Kahraman S, Mahmoudian B, Genctoy G , Arici M, Caglar M, Altun B, Erdem Y, Yasavul U, Turgan C, Caglar S (Ankara)

The effect of HCV infection on insulin resistance in chronic hemodialysis patients

Ozdemir A, Yalinbas B, Türkmen F, Kumbasar F, Eres M, Murat B, Selamet U, Keskin AT, Barut Y (Istanbul)

10.00 - 10.30

Lecture

Chairman: R. Kveder (Ljubljana)

Diabetic Nephropathy: Progression to Renal Damage

Koroshi A (Tirana)

10.30 - 11.00

Coffee break (30 min)

11.00 - 13.00

State of the Art Lectures

Tubulo - Interstitial Injury in Glomerulonephritis: Causes and Consequences

Djukanovic L (Belgrade)

Chairman: M. Polenakovic (Skopje)

Antihypertensive Therapy for Renoprotection in Patients with Diabetic Nephropathy

Stein G (Jena)

Chairman: N. Belovezdov (Sofia)

Approach to the Patient with the Failing Kidney Graft

Kveder R (Ljubljana)

Chairman: Mushekov V (Sofia)

Embryogenesis Disorders Causing Renal Failure

Anadoliyska A (Sofia)

Chairman: D. Kuzmanovska (Skopje)

13.00 - 14.30

Lunch

14.00 - 14.30

Poster Presentations

14.30 - 16.30

Round Table: Hot Topics in Nephrology

Chairman: D. Nenov (Varna)

Hepatitis C in Renal Patients

Polenakovic M (Skopje)

Tuberculosis in Renal Patients

Basci A (Izmir)

Coagulation Derangements as a Tool for Toxicity Examination during Hemodialytic Treatment

DeSanto (Naples)

16.30 - 16.45

Coffee break (15 min)

16.45 - 17.15

State of the Art Lecture

Chairman: B. Jakovljevic (Banya Luka)

Prevention and Treatment of Acute Renal Failure After Open Heart Surgery

Kess P (Zagreb)

17.15 - 18.30

Clinical Nephrology: Oral Presentations

Chairmen: Y. Sagliker (Adana) and A. Stoyanov (Varna)

The incidence of biopsy proven primary glomerulonephritis at the department of nephrology, clinical centre, Skopje

Polenakovic M, Grcevska L, Dzikova S (Skopje)

Morphometry of glomeruli in IgA-nephropathy

Ryabov SI, Rakityanskaya IA, Ryabova TS (St. Petersburg, Russia)

The influence of inhibition of the renin-angiotensin system on the fi-brinolytic system in the different kinds of glomerulonephritis

Rammos G, Kapnissis S, Kakaletti C, Sakka M, Fragaki I, Karakassis P, Ziakka S, Papagalanis N (Athens)

Cyclosporine A-induced nephrotoxicity is associated with decreased renal BMP-7 expression in rats

Tuglular S, Yavuz DG, Cakalagaoglu F, Citak L, Arian H, Kocak H, Ozener C, Akoglu E (Istanbul)

Upper gastrointestinal tract endoscopy and duodenum biopsy for the diagnosis of renal involvement of amyloidosis

Yilmaz M, Unsal A, Sokmen M, Harmankaya O, Alkim C, Kabukcuoglu F, Aycan E (Istanbul)

Renal tubulo-interstitial impairment in intermittent porphyria

Mydlik M, Derzsiova K, Farkas M (Kosice, Trebisov, Czech Republic)

Follow-up of tunneled dialysis catheters: femoral vs. jugular vs. subclavian catheters

Gerasimovska V, Oncevski A, Dejanov P (Skopje)

POSTER SESSIONS

MONDAY, Oct 6, 2003

Acute and chronic renal failure

Etiology, clinics, treatment and mortality of acute renal failure in Konya

Altintepe L, Guney I, Tonbul HZ, Turk S, Kara F, Yeksan M (Konya)

Etiology and prognosis in the 36 cases which have acute renal failure related to the pregnancy

Altintepe L, Guney I, Tonbul HZ, Turk S, Yeksan M (Konya)

Hyperhomocysteinemia in Bulgarian renal patients

Andreev E, Tzontcheva A, Paskalev E, Yonova D, Stanchev I, Karshelova E, Kiperova B (Sofia)

The futility of hemoperfusion and hemodialysis in amanita phalloides poisoning

Chaparoska D, Stojkovski L, Chakalaroski K (Skopje)

Is atherosclerosis risk lower at CAPD patients

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