

LABORATORY OF KIDNEY TRANSPLANTATION AND RENAL REPLACEMENT THERAPY



ABOUT US

Research activity is focused on infectious complications and their association with long-term results of kidney transplantation, and mainly with the incidence of graft rejection. In a long run optimal mode of cytomegalovirus prevention has been evaluated in independent randomized trials with results being incorporated to the International Guidelines. The possibilities of improvement of biocompatibility and anticoagulation therapy during dialysis are assessed in patients with end-stage kidney disease.

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- Suggestion of designing methods of clinical studies in the field of viral infections after kidney transplantation, biocompatibility of dialysis membranes and peritoneal dialysis solutions, anticoagulation therapy during hemodialysis, and infectious complications in hemodialysis population.
- Evaluation of biocompatibility of dialysis membranes.
- Cytomegalovirus and polyomavirus detection in blood or other tissues based on molecular biology methods.
- Assessment of cytomegalovirus antiviral drug resistance.

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