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Endocrinology Symposium

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Synopsis

Enabled by advances in medical science, endocrinologists (and internists) are confronted with many new challenges. One of these evolving fields is transplant endocrinology. Proliferation of solid organ, hematogenous and cell-based transplant in many disciplines together with the use of growing gamut of immuno-suppressives with profound endocrine and metabolic actions, transplant endocrinology proves to be a brave new world for the practicing physicians.

Osteoporosis, a worldwide public health concern, especially in an aging population like Singapore, has made tremendous advances in prediction, imaging and pharmacotherapy. The discussant will provide in-depth review of the field beyond bone mineral density and bisphosphonates.

Evaluation of thyroid nodule (both solitary and multiple) is a common clinical dilemma. Assessment of thyroid hormone-genesis function, anatomical compression and mitogenicity which directly affects the downstream management plan requires careful considerations. The lecturer with extensive personal experience in this field will share his insights and clinical pearls.

Symposium Topics

A Brave New World - Transplant Endocrinology (Made Easy)

Dr KEK Chin Ping, Consultant, Diabetes Centre, Singapore General Hospital, Singapore

Osteoporosis - What Is New?

Dr CHIONH Siok Bee, Senior Consultant, Endocrinology, National University Hospital, Singapore

Evaluation Of Thyroid Nodules - What Clinicians Need To Know

Prof Luke TAN, Specialist, Ear, Nose and Throat Surgery, Gleneagles Hospital, Singapore

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