



Dialysis Tech ConneXion  
 Schedule at a Glance  
 3-6 March 2020  
 Tropicana Hotel | Las Vegas, NV

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|                    | <b>Tuesday, 3 March 2020</b> <i>additional fee; must register in advance</i>                                                            |                                                                                | <b>7.8 CH</b> |
| 8:30 am – 4:30 pm  | <b>Home Dialysis Modalities</b>                                                                                                         |                                                                                |               |
| 8:30 am – 4:30 pm  | <b>Water Treatment Hands-on Workshop</b> <i>presented by Cantel and B Braun</i>                                                         |                                                                                |               |
| 8:30 am – 4:30 pm  | <b>Effective Troubleshooting Techniques for NBTs on Fresenius Machines Workshop</b>                                                     |                                                                                |               |
| 8:30 am – 4:30 pm  | <b>Vascular Access</b> <i>presented by the Association for Vascular Access, Avenue Medical, and Azura Care</i>                          |                                                                                |               |
| 11:30 am – 1:00 pm | Lunch on own                                                                                                                            |                                                                                |               |
| 4:45 pm – 5:45 pm  | Meet and Greet Reception                                                                                                                |                                                                                |               |
|                    | <b>Wednesday, 4 March 2020</b>                                                                                                          |                                                                                | <b>7.5 CH</b> |
| 8:00 – 9:00 am     | <b>Keynote Speaker: Lori Hartwell “I’m Taller Than I Look”</b>                                                                          |                                                                                |               |
| 9:00 – 10:00 am    | <b>Culture of Safety</b> – <i>Bonnie Greenspan</i>                                                                                      |                                                                                |               |
| 10:00 – 10:20 am   | Refreshment Break                                                                                                                       |                                                                                |               |
| 10:20 – 11:50 pm   | <b>Smart Communications / You’ve Been Deposed!</b> – <i>Greg Trulove, DaVita</i>                                                        |                                                                                |               |
| 11:50 – 1:00 pm    | Lunch on own                                                                                                                            |                                                                                |               |
| 1:00 – 1:45 pm     | <b>How to Navigate Different Styles of Communication: Patients/Coworkers/Supervisors</b> – <i>Ercelene Kinnebrew, MBA, BSN, RN, CVS</i> |                                                                                |               |
| 1:45 – 2:15 pm     | <b>Decoding Dialysis Legislation: Understanding the Dialysis Patient Care Act</b><br><i>Stan Langhofer, American Renal Associates</i>   |                                                                                |               |
| 2:15 – 3:00 pm     | <b>Controlling Infection in the Dialysis Unit</b> – <i>Shannon Novosad, MD, MPH, LCDR, CDC</i>                                          |                                                                                |               |
| 3:00 – 3:25 pm     | Refreshment Break                                                                                                                       |                                                                                |               |
| 3:25 – 4:10 pm     | <b>Building and Sustaining Your Relationships</b> – <i>Amanda Hale, MSN, MBA, RN, CNN, DaVita</i>                                       |                                                                                |               |
| 4:10 – 5:00 pm     | <b>The BEST in Dialysis Technology!</b>                                                                                                 |                                                                                |               |
| 5:00 – 7:00 pm     | <b>Grand Opening of Exhibits</b> – bar sponsored by <b>H&amp;S Technical Services</b>                                                   |                                                                                |               |
|                    | <b>Thursday, 5 March 2020</b>                                                                                                           |                                                                                | <b>6.7 CH</b> |
|                    | <b>Clinical</b>                                                                                                                         | <b>Biomedical</b>                                                              |               |
| 8:00 – 8:45 am     | Vascular Access                                                                                                                         | <b>Culture of Safety for Biomed Techs</b> – <i>Bonnie Greenspan</i>            |               |
| 8:50 – 9:35 am     | <b>Use of Home Equipment in the Clinical Setting</b> – <i>Heather Paradis, Fresenius</i>                                                | <b>Advancements in Water Treatment Technology</b> – Rob Kruger                 |               |
| 9:35 – 10:20 am    | Refreshments in Solutions Center                                                                                                        |                                                                                |               |
| 10:20 – 11:30      | <b>Culture of Safety for Clinical Techs</b> – <i>Bonnie Greenspan</i>                                                                   | <b>Technical Leader Panel – What’s coming?</b>                                 |               |
| 11:30 – 1:00 pm    | Lunch in Solutions Center made possible by our Exhibitors                                                                               |                                                                                |               |
| 1:00 – 1:45 pm     | <b>The Latest in Fistula Creation</b> – <i>Dr. Mawla</i>                                                                                | <b>Doing Dialysis Outside the Facility</b> – <i>Heather Paradis, Fresenius</i> |               |
| 1:50 – 2:35 pm     | <b>New Approach to the New Fistulas</b> – <i>Jessica Lancaster</i>                                                                      | <b>Latest Dialysis Technology Panel</b>                                        |               |
| 2:35 – 3:15 pm     | Refreshments in Solutions Center                                                                                                        |                                                                                |               |
| 3:15 – 5:00 pm     | <b>OMG! What Do I Do When...</b>                                                                                                        | <b>Hands-on for Biomed</b>                                                     |               |
| 5:00 – 6:00 pm     | Reception and Door Prize Drawing in the Solutions Center                                                                                |                                                                                |               |
| 8:30 – 10:00 pm    | <b>DTX ConneXions</b>                                                                                                                   |                                                                                |               |
|                    | <b>Friday, 6 March 2020</b>                                                                                                             |                                                                                | <b>3.6 CH</b> |
| 7:30 – 8:30 am     | Networking Breakfast                                                                                                                    |                                                                                |               |
| 8:30 – 9:30 am     | <b>Dialysis Patient/Dialysis Caregiver: Two Points of View</b> – <i>Sam Trevino and Robert Jacob</i>                                    |                                                                                |               |
| 9:30 – 10:15 am    | <b>Know Your Worth</b> – <i>Dwelyn Williams, CCHT</i>                                                                                   |                                                                                |               |
| 10:15 – 10:30 am   | Refreshment Breaks                                                                                                                      |                                                                                |               |



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**20/20 Vision: The Evolving Role of Technicians** – *Dani Concepcion, CBNT, CCHT-A, FNKF, St. Joseph Hospital*