# November eNews

# Kidney Transplant Program



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### Meet Jason Rolls, MD, FACS

## Associate Director of Kidney Transplant Program

Dr. Rolls is certified by the American Board of Surgery and the American Society of Transplant Surgeons and is a fellow of the American College of Surgeons. He specializes in abdominal solid organ transplantation, and also provides surgical care of dialysis access for end-stage kidney disease patients, as well as general surgical care.



He earned his medical degree at Columbia University, completed a residency in

general surgery at Cornell Medical College / New York Hospital, and then returned to Columbia for his transplant surgery training. Prior to joining ChristianaCare, he served as a transplant surgeon in Detroit, Michigan.

He regularly volunteers for roles within the American Society of Transplant Surgeons and felt honored to be a board officer at The Gift of Life Michigan. He looks forward to opportunities to help the public understand more about health, kidney disease, and transplantation, which he was able to do for a time as a regular guest on a Detroit radio show, taking callers' questions on these topics.

On a more personal note, he is blessed with a wonderful wife and three amazing children. Dr. Rolls is grateful for the opportunity to help our patients in their struggle against kidney disease and other challenges to their health and happiness, and to see them live better and longer lives.

### Dental Coverage for Low-Income Adults in Delaware

Effective October 1<sup>st</sup>, individuals ages 19-65 enrolled in a managed care Medicaid plan will receive their adult dental services through that plan. Please reach out to your managed care organization for a list of providers.

Click here to learn more

# Making A Living Donor Kidney Transplant Happen

#### Presentation and Q & A Session via ZOOM



Patients who receive a living donor transplant are able to receive a healthy kidney much sooner than waiting on the transplant list! We strongly encourage our patients to share their story with family, friends and community in the hopes of finding a living donor, which not only provides them with a healthy kidney, but it also allows someone else to move up on

the waitlist!

We invite you to join our transplant professionals to learn how to find a living donor champion and make your *Living Donor Kidney Transplant Happen*!

Wednesday, December 2<sup>nd</sup> Noon - 1:00 pm

Click here to register and receive meeting info

### Medicare Open Enrollment Alert

- ❖ Medicare Part D for Prescription Coverage: Now through 1/1/2020
- ❖ Traditional Medicare A/B: Jan thru March 2021 to be effective 7/1/21

For any questions, please reach out to Barb Demyanovich 302.623.7088

### **Post-Tx Patients ZOOM with Us:**

#### Prepare for the holidays...and beyond!

It's never too soon to think about how to survive the holidays & prepare for the new year!! We are all hoping for a better 2021.

Join our dietitian, Molly Strayer, RD, LDN, CCTD and Eileen Edge, LCSW, as we discuss how to manage your time, money, food & stress this holiday season!



Wednesday, November 4<sup>th</sup> 3:00—4:00 pm

Click here to register and receive meeting info

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