

#NephJC transcript

Healthcare Social Media Transcript

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change time period

What is **#NephJC**? Who were the influencers during this time period? **#NephJC analytics**

Healthcare Conference - Healthcare Tweet Chats - Healthcare Analytics

hswapnil

@swissnephro hope you join us for #nephjc in 2 hours? <http://t.co/NADkitMR6D>

Wed Mar 4 10:03:24 PST 2015

toates_19

Despite it being the month of #NephMadness there's a GMT #nephjc tonight <http://t.co/5fwj2ucWZN> Come join @ThePeanutKidney @dannymcg

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kidney_boy

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Wed Mar 4 10:45:46 PST 2015

@toates_19 @swissnephro @Roxytonin @DamianFog have beginners yoga till 8:45 so will

drmattgb

be late, but will catch second half #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 10:59:50 PST 2015

toates_19

/@DrMattGB #thuglife <http://t.co/7WkWK0S9az> #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 11:03:47 PST 2015

toates_19

Less than 1 hour to go to tonight's GMT running of #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 11:08:55 PST 2015

nephjc

Tonight's GMT running of BK virus #nephjc starts at 8pm @CharlieTomson

Wed Mar 4 11:10:22 PST 2015

nephjc

Can you join us for tonight's #nephjc @accovic? <http://t.co/ngV6TNPkjh>

Wed Mar 4 11:18:00 PST 2015

damianfog

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nephro_sparks

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Wed Mar 4 11:51:38 PST 2015

nephjc

Fewer than 9 short minutes until some #nephjc action. Be careful though it's about viruses

Wed Mar 4 11:53:05 PST 2015

nephjc

#nephjc #BKV #nephjc #BKV #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 11:58:31 PST 2015

hswapnil

@accovic @NephJC we are discussing the JAMA RCT on bk virus. Add #nephjc to your tweets and follow @NephJC

Wed Mar 4 11:59:33 PST 2015

nephjc

RT @hswapnil: @accovic @NephJC we are discussing the JAMA RCT on bk virus. Add #nephjc to your tweets and follow @NephJC

Wed Mar 4 11:59:48 PST 2015

hswapnil

“@NephJC: #nephjc #BKV #nephjc #BKV #nephjc” and #NephMadness

Wed Mar 4 11:59:57 PST 2015

nephjc

@kidneydoc101 instructions will follow...#nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:00:36 PST 2015

nephjc

OK it's 8pm GMT and time for tonight's #nephjc There is an intro here <http://t.co/ngV6TNPkjh>

Wed Mar 4 12:01:18 PST 2015

nephjc

Tonight's paper is here: Paper is here <http://t.co/kLG3OytM9k> #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:01:43 PST 2015

nephjc

We recommend using a client such as tchat.io or <http://t.co/qkLxxdEgRI> for the chat today to capture all the conversation #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:02:08 PST 2015

nephjc

Please introduce yourself and declare any conflict/s of interest, perceived or otherwise #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:02:25 PST 2015

nephjc

I'm @toates_19 nephrologist in London. No COI, look after transplants. Never knowingly prescribed levofloxacin...#nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:03:00 PST 2015

swissnephro

Florian Buchkremer, nephrologist in switzerland, no COI, just started reading the paper #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:03:17 PST 2015

caioqualunque

Francesco Iannuzzella, Nephrologist, Italy. No COI. I am on call tonight, so I will be in and out #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:03:20 PST 2015

sleonmd

Scherly Leon, Nephrology Fellow at Downsate in Brooklyn, NY. #nephjc

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nephjc

Also currently work in transplant unit which has superseded the old unit at St Mary's Hospital W2 where BK virus was discovered! #nephjc

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nephjc

Hi to Scherly, Francesco & Dr Buchkremer #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:04:36 PST 2015

nephro_sparks

Matt Sparks, Nephrologist. Durham, NC, USA #nephjc COI- please fill out #NephMadness brackets

Wed Mar 4 12:04:38 PST 2015

julepinter

[#nephjc](#). Jule. PGY 1 level from Germany. No COI and interested in Nephro.

Wed Mar 4 12:04:42 PST 2015

rabpeel

[@rabpeel](#) larking [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:04:49 PST 2015

nephjc

[@Nephro_Sparks](#) [#nephjc](#) excellent to see some shameless [#nephmadness](#) plugging from Matt there

Wed Mar 4 12:05:16 PST 2015

hswapnil

Swapnil Hiremath, from [@OttawaHospital](#) and [@TLROttawa](#) where this RCT was conducted from. No other Col [#nephJc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:05:37 PST 2015

nephjc

Idea for this study excellent I think: CMV & PCP prophylaxis standard so why not BK? [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:05:53 PST 2015

hswapnil

RT [@NephJC](#): Idea for this study excellent I think: CMV & PCP prophylaxis standard so why not BK? [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:06:31 PST 2015

nephjc

What's the earliest anyone has seen BK in an allograft biopsy? [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:06:41 PST 2015

paulphel

Excellent study, needed to be done. BKV is a tricky problem with no satisfactory tx. Quinolones were muddying the waters [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:07:36 PST 2015

nephro_sparks

earliest- never really looked at this.. but feel like never before 5-6 months [#nephjc](#)

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nephro_sparks

[@paulphel](#) hi Paul. hope all is well [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:07:51 PST 2015

nephjc

The improvement in induction IS seems to have really ramped up the incidence of viral infections in KTRs [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:07:53 PST 2015

sleonmd

RT [@NephJC](#): Idea for this study excellent I think: CMV & PCP prophylaxis standard so why not BK? [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:08:15 PST 2015

nephjc

[@Nephro_Sparks](#) I've seen earlier; but we are a campath unit...[#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:08:30 PST 2015

nephro_sparks

[@NephJC](#) right. if you don't prophylax with valcyte in high intermediate risk patients. you will get CMV... [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:08:43 PST 2015

grahamabra

Graham Abra, Nephrologist, non-profit dialysis provider exec, having lunch and looking forward to learning something! [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:08:54 PST 2015

sleonmd

[@paulphel](#) [#nephjc](#) Greetings Dr.Phelan!

Wed Mar 4 12:09:09 PST 2015

nephjc

Hardcore no messing design too: double blind, placebo controlled, intention to treat etc [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:09:13 PST 2015

nephjc

[@GrahamAbra](#) the great man himself! [#nephjc](#)

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hswapnil

RT [@NephJC](#): The improvement in induction IS seems to have really ramped up the incidence of viral infections in KTRs [#nephjc](#)

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nephro_sparks

[@GrahamAbra](#) Fantastic. Happy to see you back in SM [#nephjc](#)

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caioqualunque

earliest- I am searching on my database [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:09:46 PST 2015

nephro_sparks

[@JulePinter](#) Glad to see you on [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:10:24 PST 2015

hswapnil

T0: I was told some centres were already using a quinolone for BK viruria (b4 this trial published)! True for anyone here? [#nephJC](#)

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nephro_sparks

[@caioqualunque](#) wow. real time data [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:10:42 PST 2015

nephjc

BK virus tropic for urinary tract so particularly relevant in renal transplantation; almost never seen in OLT but seen in cardiac [#nephjc](#)

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nephjc

[@hswapnil](#) I've NEVER prescribed a quinolone for BK [#isthatbad?](#) [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:11:42 PST 2015

caioqualunque

[@Nephro_Sparks](#) [@caioqualunque](#) personal data are quite scanty: 5 months [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:11:52 PST 2015

hswapnil

[@NephJC](#) very smart and wise in hindsight! [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:12:16 PST 2015

paulphel

@hswapnil #nephjc I've seen it used for viremia. I always worried that it prevented people doing what's needed i.e. reducing IS

Wed Mar 4 12:12:17 PST 2015

rabpeel

@NephJC @hswapnil ditto #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:12:22 PST 2015

nephjc

Was quinolone right choice? Should they have used Leflunomide instead? #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:12:33 PST 2015

nephro_sparks

never used quinolone for prophylaxis #nephjc

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hswapnil

QFT "@paulphel: #nephjc I've seen it used for viremia. I always worried that it prevented people doing what's needed i.e. reducing IS"

Wed Mar 4 12:12:49 PST 2015

grahamabra

@paulphel Well said #nephjc

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nephro_sparks

RT @hswapnil: QFT "@paulphel: #nephjc I've seen it used for viremia. I always worried that it prevented people doing what's needed i.e. re...

Wed Mar 4 12:13:22 PST 2015

caioqualunque

Never used #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:13:44 PST 2015

nephjc

Interesting choice of endpoint: viruria. Esp when @goKDIGO says viraemia = treatment #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:13:57 PST 2015

nephjc

@NephJC @goKDIGO or am I wrong about that? #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:14:42 PST 2015

nephjc

See page 5 <http://t.co/qkNapKvqPD> #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:15:30 PST 2015

caioqualunque

I use to assess viruria to select pts for viremia. Viruria positive -> check viremia #nephjc

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kidney_boy

Viruria is more common making it a good intermediate end point that I feel is clinically relevant. #nephjc

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paulphel

Agree viruria not a valid endpoint "@NephJC: Interesting choice of endpoint: viruria. Esp when @goKDIGO says viraemia = treatment #nephjc"

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hswapnil

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nephjc

??@kidney_boy a bit like CMV copy number v evidence of tissue invasive disease?? #nephjc

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nephjc

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hswapnil

@paulphel @NephJC Viruria is like HbA1c or GFR decline. But good surrogate, necessary but not sufficient? #nephjc

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swissnephro

Viruria seems like a solid surrogate, otherwise there would never have been enough power #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:17:53 PST 2015

grahamabra

@kidney_boy Agree. Trial of prophylactic prevention as opposed to trial of treatment of overt disease. #nephJC

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hswapnil

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nephjc

On @goKDIGO point of using copies to guide rx: If biopsy performed for graft dysfunction showed BKV would anyone wait on copies? #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:18:35 PST 2015

paulphel

@hswapnil @NephJC agree. Insensitive on its own. Can see why they chose it as its common, >likely to see a difference if it worked #nephjc

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nephjc

To put it another way @paulphel, if saw BK on biopsy youd slash IS before seeing copy number no? #nephjc

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damianfog

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rabpeel

@NephJC good point- nope not with our turnaround times- weeks - life in the sticks #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:20:38 PST 2015

paulphel

@NephJC Absolutely #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:20:39 PST 2015

hswapnil

“@NephJC: To put it another way @paulphel, if saw BK on biopsy you'd slash IS before seeing copy number no? #nephjc” makes sense to me

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nephjc

@hswapnil @paulphel so why KDIGO quoting copy number? #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:21:12 PST 2015

caioqualunque

Something like this: 10 pts are viruria positive-> 5 of 10 are viremia + -> 3 of 5 are PyVAN. #nephjc

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nephjc

Anyone (still) using leflunomide? #nephjc

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rabpeel

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sabaghaded

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paulphel

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RT @paulphel: @NephJC @hswapnil Viral load is interesting. Seen nephropathy with low copy number and clean biopsy with ridiculous viral loa...

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damianfog

@caioqualunque Me too. Generally doing dialysis, CKD, AKI & fleeting post-transplant at weekend!! Prob still have opinion on #BKV #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:23:57 PST 2015

caioqualunque

@NephJC My limited experience w/ leflunomide quite disappointing: NAGMA, difficult TDM (20 mg/d without loading) #nephjc

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grahamabra

@paulphel @NephJC @hswapnil Sounds like the lupus nephritis and UA story ;) #nephjc

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hswapnil

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Wed Mar 4 12:24:03 PST 2015

paulphel

@NephJC Have used leflunomide but not convinced in anything other than IS reduction to be honest #nephjc

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nephjc

How important is BK? Anyone know if it predisposes to acute rejection like CMV? Or PTLD like EBV? #nephjc

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RT @NephJC: Also currently work in transplant unit which has superseded the old unit at St Mary's Hospital W2 where BK virus was discovered...

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paulphel

"@NephJC: Anyone (still) using leflunomide? #nephjc" levels are also almost impossible to get #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:25:08 PST 2015

swissnephro

Screening and management according to ATS guidelines 2013 #nephjc
<http://t.co/whWmQUkT3w>

Wed Mar 4 12:25:58 PST 2015

hswapnil

RT @swissnephro: Screening and management according to ATS guidelines 2013 #nephjc
<http://t.co/whWmQUkT3w>

Wed Mar 4 12:26:30 PST 2015

nephjc

Infections were similar in 2 groups in this trial ie. Levo didn't prevent urosepsis Shld we have expected it to? #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:26:41 PST 2015

grahamabra

In the exclusions... Am I crazy or does 190/612 (31%) with QTc prolongation seem high? #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:27:00 PST 2015

hswapnil

@swissnephro lot of Q? In there - highlights the uncertainty with BK virus management #nephjc <http://t.co/q351Ew5BBN>

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nephjc

RT @hswapnil: @swissnephro lot of Q? In there - highlights the uncertainty with BK virus management #nephjc <http://t.co/q351Ew5BBN>

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hswapnil

"@GrahamAbra: In the exclusions... Am I crazy or does 190/612 (31%) with QTc prolongation seem high? #nephjc" good point! Perhaps stringent?

Wed Mar 4 12:28:02 PST 2015

paulphel

Rejection tricky to tease out, certainly when you drop IS it does "[@NephJC](#): Anyone know if it predisposes to acute rejection? [#nephjc](#)"

Wed Mar 4 12:28:31 PST 2015

grahamabra

[@hswapnil](#) cardiologist with a grudge? [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:28:45 PST 2015

hswapnil

RT [@paulphel](#): Rejection tricky to tease out, certainly when you drop IS it does "[@NephJC](#): Anyone know if it predisposes to acute rejection?..."

Wed Mar 4 12:29:15 PST 2015

caioqualunque

How do you approach to IS reduction? First stop MMF? first reduction in CNI? [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:29:28 PST 2015

nephjc

[@paulphel](#) yep, I've seen BK on renal biopsy -> cut IS -> pancreatic rejection in SPK population [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:29:32 PST 2015

paulphel

IVIg attractive here but again no convincing evidence "[@NephJC](#):I've seen BK on renal biopsy ->cut IS -> pancreatic rejection in SPK [#nephjc](#)"

Wed Mar 4 12:31:34 PST 2015

hswapnil

[@caioqualunque](#) I think they cut MMF first at our centre. Others? [#nephJC](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:32:06 PST 2015

paulphel

[@caioqualunque](#) That appears to be the most common approach. Either cut or stop MMF initially [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:33:29 PST 2015

nephjc

[@hswapnil](#) [@caioqualunque](#) always bin the MMF first! [#nephjc](#)

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RT [@NephJC](#): On [@goKDIGO](#) point of using copies to guide rx: If biopsy performed for graft dysfunction showed BKV would anyone wait on copies...

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nephjc

See table 14 for [@goKIDGO](#) ideas re: reducing IS [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:34:14 PST 2015

rabpeel

[@hswapnil](#) [@caioqualunque](#) lose mmf up here [#nephjc](#)

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thepeanutkidney

[@hswapnil](#) [@caioqualunque](#) often wonder if its just 'easy' to cut with viruses (cf CNI / TDM issues) as opposed to based in science [#nephJC](#)

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sabaghaded

RT [@caioqualunque](#): Something like this: 10 pts are viruria positive-> 5 of 10 are viremia + - > 3 of 5 are PyVAN. [#nephjc](#)

kidney_boy

Less concerned about overly picky pt exclusion in negative study [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:36:06 PST 2015

nephjc

The [#seldomseenkid](#) @ThePeanutKidney is amonsgt us! [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:36:15 PST 2015

phlane

RT @NephJC: Idea for this study excellent I think: CMV & PCP prophylaxis standard so why not BK? [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:36:19 PST 2015

nephjc

Does handing out quinolones make urinary organisms more resistant? It appears so: 58.3% v 33.3% quin resistance in placebo [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:37:06 PST 2015

thepeanutkidney

.@NephJC ps no conflict aside from regarding cidofovir as satan's spawn [#nephJC](#)

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damianfog

RT @swissnephro: Screening and management according to ATS guidelines 2013 [#nephjc](#) <http://t.co/whWmQUkT3w>

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nephjc

Can't say I've ever prescribed Cidofovir either: [#nephrotoxic](#) [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:38:45 PST 2015

nephjc

Ooops forgot to add link <http://t.co/jyamkbJ9xO> Table 14 for KDIGO ideas on IS cuts in BKV [#nephjc](#)

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grahamabra

@NephJC very surprised that there were no cases of C diff [#nephjc](#)

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rabpeel

@NephJC our transplant centre very generous at donating resistant bugs! Without quinolone [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:40:38 PST 2015

thepeanutkidney

@NephJC nephrology's equivalent of a Scud missile - probably effective but lots of collateral damage [#nephJC](#)

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nephjc

@GrahamAbra I've always felt that quinolone risk for CDiff feels overstated [#pluralofanecdoteisnotdata](#) [#nephjc](#)

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hswapnil

RT @ThePeanutKidney: @NephJC nephrology's equivalent of a Scud missile - probably effective but lots of collateral damage #nephJC

Wed Mar 4 12:42:39 PST 2015

caioqualunque

@NephJC @GrahamAbra " I've always felt that quinolone risk for CDiff feels overstated #pluralofanecdoteisnotdata" and TENDINITIS? #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:43:59 PST 2015

nephjc

How about prospective trial of: BK viruria => stop MMF => protocol biopsy within 1 month Who's with me? #nephjc

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nephjc

@caioqualunque @GrahamAbra good amounts of tendinitis seen in this study: 6 v 1 #nephjc

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hswapnil

RT @NephJC: How about prospective trial of: BK viruria => stop MMF => protocol biopsy within 1 month Who's with me? #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:46:24 PST 2015

paulphel

"@NephJC: How about prospective trial: BK viruria =>stop MMF =>protocol biopsy within 1 month? #nephjc" overreaction to viruria I'd say

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hswapnil

Some details of quinolone-tendinitis cases from supp data eTable1 #nephjc
<http://t.co/Zx1C50kTI3>

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nephjc

On a tangential note: how many do ECG/EKG prior to starting quinolone in general? #nephjc

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RT @hswapnil: Some details of quinolone-tendinitis cases from supp data eTable1 #nephjc
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nephjc

RT @paulphel: "@NephJC: How about prospective trial: BK viruria =>stop MMF =>protocol biopsy within 1 month? #nephjc" overreaction to virur...

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hswapnil

@NephJC we don't #nephjc

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swissnephro

+1 RT @hswapnil: @NephJC we don't #nephjc

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thepeanutkidney

@hswapnil sound ropey! Never seen a rupture myself but presumably devastating if it occurs #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:49:15 PST 2015

paulphel

@NephJC Never have. Was surprised by rate of prolonged QTC #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:49:21 PST 2015

nephjc

Also, anyone seen the old fashioned syndrome of BKV causing ureteric stenosis since mid 2000s? #nephjc

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caioqualunque

@NephJC I never do EKG before starting quinolone, but always ask the patient: how long is your QTc? ;) #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:49:41 PST 2015

rabpeel

@NephJC long QT the more you look the more you find- my juniors fret a lot about qt #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:49:54 PST 2015

nephjc

@caioqualunque best tweet of the night! #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:50:04 PST 2015

nephjc

@rabpeel oh yes! #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:50:22 PST 2015

thepeanutkidney

@NephJC do KTRs have another predisposition to QTc prolongation that I'm overlooking? #nephJC

Wed Mar 4 12:50:40 PST 2015

grahamabra

@hswapnil @NephJC never done it #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:50:43 PST 2015

hswapnil

T2: re: power, @CIHR_IRSC always underfunds studies, but simulation suggest longer FU unlikely to make diff #nephJC <http://t.co/fk5B0tb3ki>

Wed Mar 4 12:50:48 PST 2015

hswapnil

RT @rabpeel: @NephJC long QT the more you look the more you find- my juniors fret a lot about qt #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:52:08 PST 2015

thepeanutkidney

@paulphel @NephJC looks like we've passed the Bolam test ready for our next case of cipro-induced torsades #NephJC

Wed Mar 4 12:52:10 PST 2015

grahamabra

@hswapnil @NephJC Googlefoo reveals there is some data implicating Quinolones in C diff <http://t.co/faXh5qK05g> Canadians FTW! #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:52:19 PST 2015

nephjc

RT @ThePeanutKidney: @paulphel @NephJC looks like we've passed the Bolam test ready for our next case of cipro-induced torsades #NephJC

Wed Mar 4 12:52:20 PST 2015

hekmagsmd

RT @swissnephro: Screening and management according to ATS guidelines 2013 #nephjc <http://t.co/whWmQUkT3w>

Wed Mar 4 12:53:10 PST 2015

nephjc

So re: the study itself; definition of a "good, negative study"? I would say so [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:53:59 PST 2015

hswapnil

RT [@GrahamAbra](#): [@hswapnil](#) [@NephJC](#) Googlefoo reveals there is some data implicating Quinolones in C diff <http://t.co/faXh5qK05g> Canadians FT...

Wed Mar 4 12:54:15 PST 2015

hswapnil

QFT“[@NephJC](#): So re: the study itself; definition of a "good, negative study"? I would say so [#nephjc](#)”

Wed Mar 4 12:54:35 PST 2015

hswapnil

Some subgroup analyses from supp data. No benefit in any. [#nephjc](#)
<http://t.co/WWZWOpjbUa>

Wed Mar 4 12:54:43 PST 2015

caioqualunque

We all love good negative studies. Well, is there another kind of study in Nephrology?
[#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:56:00 PST 2015

paulphel

[@NephJC](#) Yeah I agree. Good negative study, delighted it was done so we can forget about Quinolones and move on. [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:56:09 PST 2015

nephjc

What next for BKV? [@paulphel](#) [@ThePeanutKidney](#) Dipstick analysis for viruria to prompt PCR testing? Who wants the patent? [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:56:11 PST 2015

nephjc

RT [@caioqualunque](#): We all love good negative studies. Well, is there another kind of study in Nephrology? [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:56:20 PST 2015

nephjc

RT [@paulphel](#): [@NephJC](#) Yeah I agree. Good negative study, delighted it was done so we can forget about Quinolones and move on. [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:56:26 PST 2015

hswapnil

RT [@caioqualunque](#): We all love good negative studies. Well, is there another kind of study in Nephrology? [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:56:48 PST 2015

hswapnil

RT [@paulphel](#): [@NephJC](#) Yeah I agree. Good negative study, delighted it was done so we can forget about Quinolones and move on. [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:56:55 PST 2015

rabpeel

[@NephJC](#) too small after all the exclusions to expect it to show anything other than a negative [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:57:02 PST 2015

nephjc

RT [@rabpeel](#): [@NephJC](#) too small after all the exclusions to expect it to show anything other than a negative [#nephjc](#)

Wed Mar 4 12:57:14 PST 2015

grahamabra

@paulphel @NephJC Agree. Excellent study. Moving on. If it was positive, NEJM instead of JAMA ;) #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:57:38 PST 2015

paulphel

@NephJC @ThePeanutKidney I think with very rapid turnaround careful monitoring and IS reduction it shouldn't be a big issue #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:57:41 PST 2015

paulphel

RT @GrahamAbra: @paulphel @NephJC Agree. Excellent study. Moving on. If it was positive, NEJM instead of JAMA ;) #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:58:07 PST 2015

nephjc

Back to my qn re: stenosis...anyone seen a BK mediated ureteric stenosis recently? #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:58:57 PST 2015

sabaghbed

RT @hswapnil: T2: re: power, @CIHR_IRSC always underfunds studies, but simulation suggest longer FU unlikely to make diff #nephJC <http://t....>

Wed Mar 4 12:59:08 PST 2015

swissnephro

No RT @NephJC: Back to my qn re: stenosis...anyone seen a BK mediated ureteric stenosis recently? #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:59:23 PST 2015

nephjc

So; in summary, think we all agree that a good -ve study leaves us with cutting IS as key manoeuvre in BKV So #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 12:59:55 PST 2015

paulphel

Would love to see something that works for the resistant cases/co-existent AR #nephjc #dreamRCT

Wed Mar 4 13:00:26 PST 2015

rabpeel

@NephJC our surgeons unlikely to go near a ureter so stents for our pts with stenoses #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:01:00 PST 2015

paulphel

@ThePeanutKidney @NephJC Yep but point is we shouldn't get to the nephropathy stage with effective aggressive screening #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:01:28 PST 2015

nephjc

Thanks to all who contributed tonight at the mighty #nephjc Don't forget to explore #nephmadness

Wed Mar 4 13:01:39 PST 2015

rabpeel

RT @NephJC: Thanks to all who contributed tonight at the mighty #nephjc Don't forget to explore #nephmadness

Wed Mar 4 13:02:13 PST 2015

nephjc

And don't forget to sign up for the lovely low intensity mailing list <http://t.co/5aumn8lmwF> #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:02:32 PST 2015

thepeanutkidney

@NephJC ... But really still desperately ineffective in many cases #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:02:34 PST 2015

grahamabra

@NephJC Thanks all for helping me squander another perfectly good lunch hour, great discussion #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:03:10 PST 2015

paulphel

@ThePeanutKidney @NephJC Ideally when we use the untested jungle juice (cido,leflun,IVIg) we should do it as part of a study #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:03:15 PST 2015

hswapnil

RT @paulphel: Would love to see something that works for the resistant cases/co-existent AR #nephjc #dreamRCT

Wed Mar 4 13:03:36 PST 2015

nephjc

@paulphel @ThePeanutKidney hell yeah #IVIgforall #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:03:40 PST 2015

thepeanutkidney

@paulphel @NephJC PY(van) in the sky? #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:03:48 PST 2015

paulphel

@NephJC Thanks @toates_19. Excellent job as usual #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:04:03 PST 2015

sabaghaded

RT @NephJC: So; in summary, think we all agree that a good -ve study leaves us with cutting IS as key manoeuvre in BKV So #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:04:06 PST 2015

nephjc

Ok chaps this is me @toates_19 signing off to go and iron my shirts bye #nephmadness #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:04:51 PST 2015

caioqualunque

@NephJC Thanks all. Nice job, Tom #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:05:19 PST 2015

thepeanutkidney

@paulphel @NephJC indeed - send @toates_19 back to the lab with his petri dishes first tho... #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:05:55 PST 2015

hswapnil

RT @NephJC: So; in summary, think we all agree that a good -ve study leaves us with cutting IS as key manoeuvre in BKV So #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:12:56 PST 2015

damianfog

@NephJC No not us. Thought it was quite rare so poor return for most short courses. #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:13:49 PST 2015

eweinhandl

RT @caioqualunque: We all love good negative studies. Well, is there another kind of study

in Nephrology? #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:14:42 PST 2015

hswapnil

RT @paulphel: @ThePeanutKidney @NephJC Ideally when we use the untested jungle juice (cido,leflun,IVIg) we should do it as part of a study ...

Wed Mar 4 13:29:13 PST 2015

damianfog

RT @caioqualunque: @NephJC I never do EKG before starting quinolone, but always ask the patient: how long is your QTc? ;) #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:32:51 PST 2015

dr_teacake

@kidneydoc101 just follow the hashtag #nephjc - and pitch in!

Wed Mar 4 13:43:36 PST 2015

drmattgb

RT @toates_19: /@DrMattGB #thuglife <http://t.co/7WkWK0S9az> #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 13:47:06 PST 2015

nephjc

Stats for #nephJC GMT chat by @healthhashtags Great going! Details to follow <http://t.co/h66Jnis5ja>

Wed Mar 4 13:54:00 PST 2015

hswapnil

RT @NephJC: Stats for #nephJC GMT chat by @healthhashtags Great going! Details to follow <http://t.co/h66Jnis5ja>

Wed Mar 4 13:54:17 PST 2015

drbobpro

RT @NephJC: Stats for #nephJC GMT chat by @healthhashtags Great going! Details to follow <http://t.co/h66Jnis5ja>

Wed Mar 4 13:54:37 PST 2015

nephro_sparks

RT @NephJC: Ok chaps this is me @toates_19 signing off to go and iron my shirts bye #nephmadness #nephjc

Wed Mar 4 14:25:32 PST 2015