



**NURSING COURSE**

**DAY 1 - 6 September 2008, Saturday**

8.00 am **Welcome Address**  
*Oi Li YONG*

**HAEMODIALYSIS APPARATUS**

*Moderators:*  
*Jane STRAATEN*  
*Susan QUEK*

8.10 am **Introduction to Membranes and Dialysers**  
*Mooppil NANDAKUMAR*

9.00 am **Water Treatment for Haemodialysis**  
*John RICKERT*

9.30 am **Ultrapure Dialysate – Idealistic or Necessity?**  
*Lee Ying YEOH*

10.00 am Coffee / Tea Break & Dialysis Technology Fair at Jupiter II & III

**DIALYSIS PRESCRIPTION AND ADEQUACY**

10.30 am **Understanding the Haemodialysis Prescription**  
*Marianne NEUMANN*

11.00 am **Dialysis Adequacy - How Much is Enough?**  
*Roger TAN*

11.30 am **Measurement of Kt/V and the Pitfalls**  
*Marianne NEUMANN*

12.10 pm **FRESENIUS LUNCH SYMPOSIUM**  
**Advances in Dialysis – The Role of Technology**  
*Vanessa WILSON*

**MANAGING COMPLICATIONS OF DIALYSIS**

*Moderators:*  
*Jane STRAATEN*  
*Susan QUEK*

1.10 pm **Role of the Dialysis Nurse in Reducing Hospitalisation Rates**  
*Lesley DINWIDDIE*

1.40 pm **Intradialytic Complications - Identification, Management and Prevention**  
*Marianne NEUMANN*

2.20 pm **Malnutrition in Haemodialysis - Revisiting an Old Foe**  
*Su Lin LIM*

3.00 pm Coffee / Tea Break & Dialysis Technology Fair at Jupiter II & III

**UPDATES IN HAEMODIALYSIS**

3.30 pm **Emerging Therapies in Chronic Haemodialysis**  
*Vanessa WILSON*

4.00 pm **Anticoagulation in Haemodialysis**  
*Han Khim TAN*

4.30 pm **Psychosocial Issues in Haemodialysis - How Do Our Patients Cope?**  
*Lay Beng LEE*

5.00 pm **Pre-ESRD Education - What Do Our Patients Need to Know?**  
*Koh Ming YONG*

5.30 pm **End of Day 1 – Nursing Course**



**NURSING COURSE**

**DAY 2 - 7 September 2008, Sunday**

**VASCULAR ACCESS IN HAEMODIALYSIS**

*Moderators:  
Oi Li YONG  
Vicky RATNAM*

- 8.00 am      **Creation of Permanent Haemodialysis Access**  
*Seck Guan TAN*
- 8.40 am      **Cannulation Techniques - Is There a Superior Technique?**  
*Lesley DINWIDDIE*
- 9.10 am      **Optimising Care of Permanent Vascular Access - A Practical Approach**  
*Seck Guan TAN*
- 9.30 am      **Complications of AVF/AVG & the Management Strategies**  
*Seck Guan TAN*
- 10.00 am     Coffee / Tea Break & Dialysis Technology Fair at Jupiter II & III
- 10.30 am     **Surveillance of Vascular Access - Is it Essential?**  
*Lina CHOONG*
- 11.00 am     **Prolonging the Lifespan of Vascular Access - Role of the Dialysis Nurse**  
*Lesley DINWIDDIE*
- 11.20 am     **Current Trends in Catheter & Exit Site Care**  
*Lesley DINWIDDIE*
- 12.00 pm     **Interactive Session**
- 12.30 pm     Lunch

**ANEMIA IN HAEMODIALYSIS**

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Vicky RATNAM*

- 1.40 pm      **Haemoglobin targets in ESRD - The Higher the Better?**  
*Marjorie FOO*
- 2.20 pm      **Iron Therapy in Haemodialysis - Can We Do Without It?**  
*Titus LAU*
- 3.00 pm      Coffee / Tea Break & Dialysis Technology Fair at Jupiter II & III

**MINERAL AND BONE DISORDERS IN CHRONIC KIDNEY DISEASE**

- 3.30 pm      **Renal Bone Disease for the Dialysis Nurse - An Overview**  
*Lina CHOONG*
- 4.10 pm      **Management of Hyperparathyroidism in ESRD**  
*Kok Seng WONG*
- 5.00 pm      **END OF SOTANC 2008 – NURSING COURSE**