

EUROPEAN TRANSPLANT NURSING SYMPOSIUM

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Transplant Nursing in a Globalized World

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Swissôtel Berlin AM Kurfürstendamm



When Two Worlds Collide: Technology and Care for LVAD Patients

Pre-Conference, ITNS Symposium

28 June 2018

9:00 to 1:00 pm

Time	Topic	Speaker
09:00-09:30	Patient Selection and Indications for VAD Implantation	Michael Petty, PhD, APRN Minneapolis, USA
09:30-10:00	Self-management of the therapeutic Regimen – Device Handling Procedures	Thomas Schlöglhofer, BSc, VAD Coordinator, Vienna, Austria
10:00-10:30	Psychological Symptoms and mental Illness in VAD Patients	Katharina Tigges-Limmer, PhD, Clinical Psychologist, Bad Oeynhausen, Germany
10:30-11:00	<i>Break</i>	
11:00-11:30	What matters in the long-term psychosocial Care	Christiane Kugler, PhD, RN Freiburg, Germany
11:30-12:00	Major Complications: Bleeding, Stroke, and infections - what can the Patient do to prevent it?	TBD
12:00-12:30	End-of-Life Planning	Michael Moerhuis, MD Bad Oeynhausen, Germany
12:30-13:00	Podium Discussion with Questions & Answers	All