

## Current Challenges and Updates in the Management of Cytomegalovirus in Solid Organ Transplant Recipients



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## **Learning Objectives:**

At the end of this knowledge-based activity, participating individuals should be able to:

- Describe the epidemiology, treatment, and outcomes of Cytomegalovirus (CMV) infection in solid organ transplant recipients.
- Identify key patient specific factors associated with CMV disease, and key toxicities associated with currently available CMV therapies.
- Explain how healthcare professionals can use risk factor screening and cell mediated immunity assays
  to predict outcomes and direct therapy to improve the provision of care in the prophylaxis and treatment
  of CMV in solid organ transplant recipients.

Target Audience: Pharmacists

Type of Activity: Knowledge

Fee: \$10 (or \$35 for all 5 courses). For ITPA 2021 participants who registered for the live program, please use

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Release Date: October 15, 2021 Expiration Date: October 11, 2023 Estimated time to complete activity: 0.75 hour CE: 0.75 contact hours (0.075 CEUs)

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