



# IDEAS™

## INNOVATIONS IN DIALYSIS:

Expediting Advances Symposium

Dear dialysis innovators & stakeholders,

For the past 5 years, the University of Washington Center for Dialysis Innovation has hosted the annual Innovations in Dialysis: Expediting Advances Symposium (IDEAS). Each year at IDEAS attendees see inspiring presentations from innovators working to make a difference in the lives of dialysis patients, catalyze discussions with regulators, industry, funders and other stakeholders to instigate changes in the field, and hear the imperative need for new innovations directly from patients and care partners themselves.

**We have made the difficult decision not to hold an IDEAS meeting in 2023.**

While we are saddened by the need for this decision, **we remain committed to bringing new innovations to dialysis patients** and recognize the importance of this meeting to the kidney community, particularly the importance of the strong patient and care partner involvement that has been integral to IDEAS.

We are ready and willing to return for IDEAS 2024, but **we need to hear from YOU** – the stakeholders who see value in this meeting and who also want to see it return. We welcome your voices, support and ideas for holding future meetings.

The CDI team would like to thank all of our past supporters and attendees of IDEAS for making this event so successful. We have loved hosting IDEAS these past 5 years and have learned a lot, and we hope to be able to do it again in the future.

With sincere thanks,

The Center for Dialysis Innovation Team

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