

**Dialysis Vascular Access Workshop**  
**Monday, May 6, 2024**  
**Yours Truly DC Hotel**  
**Washington, DC**

- 8:00 a.m. Welcome**  
*Vandana Niyayar, MD, FASN*  
Emory University
- 8:05 a.m. Panel: A Call to Innovate Dialysis Vascular Access from People with Kidney Diseases**  
*Vanessa Evans (Moderator)*  
Senior Manager of Advocacy and Communities, Fresenius Medical Care  
*Dawn Bates*  
*Christina Gilchrist*  
*Precious McCowan, MS*
- 8:50 a.m. Panel: The Road to Needleless Access**  
*Vanessa Evans (Moderator)*  
*Mike Connolly*  
CEO and Chairman, Healionics Corp.  
*Danny Gossett, PhD*  
National Institutes of Health  
*Oyenyi D. Oluwagbebemi*  
Founder, Dialysis-X  
*Robert E. Lee, MD*  
Medical Officer, Office of Cardiovascular Devices, Center for Devices and Radiological Health (CDRH)
- 9:35 a.m. Presentation: Options and Opportunities for Dialysis Vascular Access**  
*Prabir Roy-Chaudhury, MD, PhD, FASN*  
University of North Carolina
- 9:50 a.m. Break**
- 10:20 a.m. Panel: Addressing the Call to Action – Entrepreneur Perspective**  
*Manisha Dadhania, MBA (Moderator)*  
Vice President of Global Marketing, Mozarc Medical  
*Timothy Boire, PhD*  
President and CEO, Venostent, Inc.  
*Mike Connolly*  
CEO and Chairman, Healionics Corp.

Barry Fulkerson  
COO Kuleana Technology

- 11:00 a.m. Focus Groups with People with Kidney Diseases**  
*An opportunity to discuss product specific questions companies have for people with kidney diseases such as benefits, risk tolerance, or use cases.*
- 12:00 p.m. Focus Groups with Health Professionals**  
*An opportunity to solicit product specific input from healthcare professionals.*
- 1:00 p.m. Lunch**
- 2:00 p.m. Presentation: The Business Case for Technologies that Improve the Patient Experience**  
*Suzanne Watnick, MD, FASN*  
Former CMO, Northwest Kidney Centers
- 2:15 p.m. Panel: Partnering To Get To Commercialization**  
*Mark D. Lim, PhD (Moderator)*  
Vice President of Research Discovery and Innovation, American Society of Nephrology  
*Andrea Acuna*  
Director of Business Development, BD
- 2:45 p.m. Closing Remarks**  
*Vanessa Evans*
- 2:50 p.m. Networking Break**
- 3:20 p.m. Office Hours with CDRH**  
*An opportunity for companies to discuss regulatory questions with CDRH review team members from the Office of Cardiovascular Devices and the Division of Renal, Gastrointestinal, Obesity and Transplant Devices.*
- 5:00 p.m. Workshop Ends**

***Agenda Subject to Change. Last Update: March 13, 2024***