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## Your Liver Transplant Guide

At University of Washington Medical Center

















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### Welcome

To "Your Liver Transplant Guide"

Welcome to Transplant Services at University of Washington Medical Center (UWMC). Our medical center is one of the leading multi-organ transplant centers in the United States.

We are pleased you have chosen UWMC as your transplant center. Our Transplant Team is looking forward to working with you and your family.

UWMC believes in providing patient and family centered care. Please let us know how we can help you and your family.

#### **About This Guide**

*Your Liver Transplant Guide* is a reference tool for you to use before, during, and after your transplant surgery. Please see the list of section titles on page 2.



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#### **Guide Sections**

The sections in this guide are:

- 1. Becoming a Candidate
- 2. Your Liver Transplant Team
- 3. Your Health Assessment, Labs, and Tests
- 4. Financial Planning
- 5. Social Work Services
- 6. Nutrition
- 7. Liver Transplant Surgery
- 8. Medicines
- 9. Care After You Leave the Hospital
- 10. Resources

These sections are in the order that you will most likely need them as you take your transplant journey.

#### Questions?

Your questions are important. Call your doctor or healthcare provider if you have questions or concerns.

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