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Personal Statement: I am an Associate Physician in the Nephrology Department and a Clinical Investigator in the Center for Health Research at Geisinger Medical Center where my work focuses on health literacy, physician-patient communication, and patient education. I am currently the principal investigator of several studies related to patient understanding of kidney disease and effective self-management. I also have experience teaching communication skills to providers about dialysis decision-making and end-of-life care and have published on the effectiveness of this training. I co-lead the Center for Clinical Innovation Patient and Family Engagement Laboratory and serve on the Patient Engagement Working Group and Health Literacy Committee at Geisinger. In addition to my medical degree, I hold a Master of Science in Medical Education with extensive training in adult learning theory appropriate to this project.

Hobbies/Interests: Sustainable agriculture

Why this project is important to me: As a nephrologist, I see first-hand the struggles patients face as they transition to kidney failure. I am beyond excited to join forces with this incredible group of investigators to develop the needed infrastructure to appropriately support patients during this time.