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RE: Endorsement to use the SONG core outcomes in haemodialysis and transplantation

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Dear Dr. Craig:

We are writing to indicate that the Canadian Society of Nephrology (CSN) unequivocally endorses the use of the SONG core outcomes that have been established for hemodialysis and transplantation.

The CSN is a society of physicians and scientists specializing in the care of people with kidney disease, and in research related to the kidney and kidney disease. CSN supports research, training, and best practice in nephrology to ensure that patients with or at risk of kidney disease receive optimal patient-centered care and achieve best outcomes.

Aside from this statement of endorsement, the CSN gives SONG permission for the CSN endorsement to be listed on the SONG website (www.songinitiative.org)

Sincerely,

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