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### ABTC Announces New President



OVERLAND PARK, Kan. (January 9, 2019) – The American Board for Transplant Certification (ABTC) announces its new president for the January, 2019 – December 2020 term, Jacke L. Corbett, DNP, FNP-BC, CCTC.

Dr. Corbett currently works as a nurse practitioner caring for kidney and pancreas transplant recipients and kidney donors at the University of Utah Health Care Solid Organ Transplant Program. She has been working in the transplant field for almost 30 years. Since becoming a member of ABTC in 1992, she has been actively involved in numerous leadership roles and committees.

“My involvement with ABTC throughout the years has been extremely rewarding both personally and professionally” stated Dr. Corbett. “ABTC certification demonstrates a high level of competence in the field, as well as a personal commitment to saving and improving the lives of patients and their families. I look forward to continuing our work to strengthen the value of certification as well as supporting our membership in their professional journey.”

“Dr. Corbett is the ideal leader to take the helm of the ABTC as we continue investing in services to deliver value to our certified transplant professionals. As a practicing clinician she knows first-hand the challenges of seeking and maintaining professional certification while spending countless hours caring for patients. Jacke will ensure the ABTC continually improves upon our processes to make them easier, faster, and tailored toward the ever-changing needs of each specific transplant/donation profession,” said ABTC’s Immediate Past President, Rob Teaster.

### About ABTC

Since 1988, American Board for Transplant Certification (ABTC) has promoted excellence in organ transplantation through specialty certification. As the only accredited certifying body for organ donation and transplant professionals, ABTC establishes education and competency standards while promoting continued professional growth. ABTC is an independently incorporated, not for profit organization managed by a volunteer governing board, a group of fully certified organ donation and transplantation professionals who strongly believe all patients deserve safe, high quality care. With experts at the helm and a mission driven by the importance of lifelong learning, ABTC certification is a mark of true excellence in organ donation and transplantation. Learn more at [abtc.net](http://abtc.net).

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