MEDIA INVITED TO SAN DIEGO, CA FOR THE INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR HEART & LUNG TRANSPLANTATION ANNUAL MEETING & SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS, APRIL 5-8

ADDISON, TX, March 1, 2017 – Transplant physicians, researchers and those working in transplant medicine around the world will gather for the 37th Annual Meeting and Scientific Sessions of the International Society for Heart and Lung Transplantation (ISHLT) at the Manchester Grand Hyatt Hotel, April 5-8.

Attending media will have access to presenters and other participants as well as the opportunity to attend presentations of original research from transplant-related clinical trials. ISHLT expects about 3,000 attendees from around the globe.

Meeting highlights include:

▪ ENDURANCE Trial Update
▪ Early Graft Injury Measured by DNA Predicts Early Mortality in Lung Transplant Recipients
▪ Marijuana Use in Relation to Transplantation
▪ Great Debates in Pulmonary Hypertension
▪ Thoracic Organ Transplant and treatment in Pregnant Patients
▪ Results from the MedaMACS (Medical Arm of Mechanically Assisted Circulatory Support) Registry

The scientific program and abstracts are available at http://www.ishlt.org.

MEDIA ASSISTANCE
Media with press credentials are welcome at no charge at all scientific sessions and symposia. A pressroom will be available April 5-8 at the Manchester Grand Hyatt Hotel; Room Old Town A. Every accommodation will be made to fulfill individual requests for interviews and information.

The International Society for Heart and Lung Transplantation (ISHLT) is a not-for-profit, multidisciplinary, professional organization with more than 3,400 members from over 45 countries dedicated to improving the care of patients with advanced heart or lung disease through transplantation, mechanical support and innovative therapies via research, education and advocacy. For more information, visit www.ishlt.org.

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