

Faculty Name:	Michael Lin, MD
Bio	<p>Dr. Lin joined the Loma Linda University faculty in 2018 after he completed his transplant hepatology fellowship at UCSF. He specializes in chronic liver disease and works closely with the other transplant hepatologists, surgeons, and rest of the transplant team to care for the pre- and post- liver transplant patients. He enjoys teaching the residents and GI fellows, and in 2020, he became the GI fellowship associate program director.</p> <p>In his free time, Dr. Lin enjoys spending time with his dog (Jamie) and in the company of family and friends. He enjoys hiking, traveling, cooking, and eating good food.</p>
Clinical Focus	Transplant and general hepatology, hepatocellular carcinoma, cirrhosis, portal hypertension
Research Interests	Hepatocellular carcinoma, healthcare disparities
<b>Appointments</b>	
Academic Appointments	Assistant Professor, Medicine—Gastroenterology and Hepatology
Administrative Appointments	Associate Fellowship Program Director—Gastroenterology and Hepatology
<b>Professional Education</b>	
Medical School	Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine
Residency	Baylor College of Medicine, Internal Medicine
Fellowship	Baylor College of Medicine, Gastroenterology University of California, San Francisco, Transplant Hepatology
<b>Professional Societies</b>	
American Gastroenterology Association (AGA)	
American College of Gastroenterology (ACG)	
American Association for the Study of Liver Diseases (AASLD)	
<b>Selected Research</b>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Lin M</b>, Kramer J, White D, Cao Y, Tavakoli-Tabasi S, Taylor E, Smith D, Asch SM, El-Serag HB, Kanwal F. Barriers to hepatitis C treatment for the veteran population in the DAA era. <i>Aliment Pharmacol Ther</i>, <b>2017</b>; 46: 992-1000. PMID: 28949020</li> <li>2. <b>Lin M</b>, Mittal S, Sahebjam F, Rana A, Sood G. Everolimus with early withdrawal or reduced-dose calcineurin-inhibitors improves renal function in liver transplant recipients: a systematic review and meta-analysis. <i>Clinical Transplantation</i>, <b>2017</b>; 31: e-pub. PMID: 27862340.</li> <li>3. Blais P, <b>Lin M</b>, Kramer JR, El-Serag HB, Kanwal F. Statins are underutilized in patients with nonalcoholic fatty liver disease and dyslipidemia. <i>Digestive Diseases and Sciences</i>, <b>2016</b>; 61: 1714-20. PMID: 26707137.</li> <li>4. <b>Lin M</b>, Pappas SC, Sellin J, El-Serag HB. Curbside consultations: the good, the bad, the ugly. <i>Clinical Gastroenterology and Hepatology</i>, <b>2016</b>; 14: 2-4. PMID: 26698231.</li> <li>5. <b>Lin M</b>, Hair C, Shaib YB. Endoscopic ultrasound-guided fine needle aspiration with on-site cytopathologist versus core biopsy: a head-to-head comparison of both techniques performed at the same endoscopic session. <i>Endoscopy International Open</i>, <b>2014</b>; 46: 220-223. PMID: 26135096.</li> </ol>	