



## Valentina Medici, M.D.

<b>Philosophy of Care</b>	My philosophy of care is to treat every patient with respect and dedication and to meet their different needs. I believe in the strong commitment of UC Davis to both patient and physician education and to quality patient care.
<b>Clinical Interests</b>	Dr. Medici's clinical interests are focused on Wilson disease, alcoholic liver disease, fatty liver, post liver transplant care, and clinical nutrition.
<b>Research/Academic Interests</b>	Dr. Medici's research interests include Wilson disease and epigenetic regulation of gene expression, study of methionine metabolism in alcoholic liver disease in humans and animal models.
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<b>Fellowships</b>	Research, Kiel University - Hospital Schleswig-Holstein, Kiel Germany 2003-2004 Clinical Nutrition, Nestl Nutrition Institute, 2014 Gastroenterology and Digestive Endoscopy, University of Padova School of Medicine, Padova Italy 2001-2004
<b>Board Certifications</b>	Educational Commission for Foreign Medical Graduates, 2005
<b>Professional Memberships</b>	American Association for the Study of Liver Disease



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American Gastroenterological Association  
American Society for Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition  
University of California San Francisco, Liver Center Member  
Wilson Disease Association International

### Honors and Awards

R01 (NIH), 2016  
Fred and Pat Anderson Endowed Chair in Liver Research, 2015  
UC Davis Internal Medicine Faculty Research Award, 2015  
R03 (NIDDK), 2014  
K08 (NIDDK) Mentored Clinical Scientist Development and Award, 2010

### Select Recent Publications

Medici V, Kieffer DA, Shibata NM, Chima H, Kim K, Canovas A, Medrano JF, Islas-Trejo AD, Kharbanda KK, Olson K, Su RJ, Islam MS, Syed R, Keen CL, Miller AY, Rutledge JC, Halsted CH, LaSalle JM. Wilson Disease: Epigenetic effects of choline supplementation on phenotype and clinical course in a mouse model. *Epigenetics*. 2016 Nov;11(11):804-818.

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