“Innovative Study Design and Novel Imaging in Nonalcoholic Steatohepatitis”

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Dr. Rohit Loomba is the founding Director of the UC San Diego NAFLD Research Center and is an internationally recognized expert in the management of chronic liver diseases. His research focuses on all aspects of nonalcoholic fatty liver disease including epidemiology, genetic and environmental predisposition, natural history, novel OMICs and imaging based biomarkers, and treatment of nonalcoholic steatohepatitis (NASH). Dr. Loomba is the Principal Investigator for the adult hepatology for the NIDDK-sponsored U01 grant NASH-CRN (2009-14) and serves on its steering committee. He also holds an R01 on novel quantitative ultrasound for grading and staging NAFLD, and serves as lead PI on several multicenter clinical trials for the treatment of NASH.