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Dr. Netanya Utay is an associate professor at UT Health Science Center at Houston. She attended medical school at Baylor College of Medicine and trained in internal medicine at the University of Washington and infectious diseases at the National Institutes of Health. She joined the faculty at the University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston in 2013 before being recruited to UT Health Science Center at Houston to join the Division of General Medicine, Department of Medicine in July 2017. She attends on both internal medicine and infectious diseases and maintains a busy outpatient HIV clinic. Dr. Utay's research interests include evaluating the contributions of gut damage, the microbiome, and inflammation to the development and progression of chronic diseases including HIV, Parkinson's disease, and non-alcoholic fatty liver disease. Dr. Utay serves as the Deputy Director for the Kelsey Research Foundation – University of Texas Health Science Center Microbiome Research Program and as Vice-Chair of the End-organ Disease and Inflammation Transformative Science Group of the AIDS Clinical Trials Group. She has conducted numerous studies aiming to modulate inflammation and restore a healthy microbiome.