Past KDOQI Poll Questions and Results

April 2017 Poll

Q1 Should patients with CKD stage 3-5 (non-dialysis) and hyperphosphatemia receive non-calcium containing binders only?

- **Yes**: 46.00% (448 responses)
- **No**: 54.00% (526 responses)

Q2 Should patients with hypertension who are on dialysis preferentially receive ACE inhibitors/ARBs (as opposed to beta blockers)?

- **Yes**: 68.23% (668 responses)
- **No**: 31.77% (311 responses)
January 2017 Poll

Q3 Should statin medications be discontinued in patients with CKD 5D who are age 75 years and older?

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Q1 Should Rituximab be considered first-line treatment of membranous nephropathy, assuming a clinical indication for immunosuppressant therapy?

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Q2 Should systolic blood pressure be lowered to <120 mmHg in patients age 50 years and older with stage 3-5 non-dialysis dependent kidney disease, in the absence of diabetes and/or overt proteinuria?

Answered: 687  Skipped: 33

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Q3 Should ACE inhibitors or angiotensin receptor blockers be discontinued in patients with non-dialysis dependent CKD once eGFR drops below 20?

Answered: 703  Skipped: 37

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September 2016 Poll

Q1 Should patients with non-dialysis dependent CKD, proteinuria, and inability to take ACEi or ARB due to hyperkalemia, be placed on chronic K+ binding medications plus ACEi or ARB?

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Q2 Should patients with significant residual renal function starting hemodialysis be started on 2x per week therapy?

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Q3 Should older patients (age >75 years) with co-morbidities approaching dialysis, who opt for hemodialysis, be referred ahead of time for an arteriovenous fistula or referred “just in time” for arteriovenous graft?

Answered: 191  Skipped: 4

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June 2016 Poll
Q1 Should obese patients receiving dialysis be required to lose weight before being actively wait-listed for a kidney transplant?

Answered: 3,424  Skipped: 90

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Q2 Should warfarin be used in dialysis patients with atrial fibrillation?

Answered: 3,074  Skipped: 440

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Q3 Should diuretics be used in dialysis patients with urine output?

Answered: 2,203  Skipped: 311

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