Since 1966, ASN has been leading the fight to prevent, treat, and cure kidney diseases throughout the world by educating health professionals and scientists, advancing research and innovation, communicating new knowledge, and advocating for the highest quality care for patients. ASN has nearly 21,000 members representing 140 countries.

ASN Provides its Members and the Kidney Community:

- **Education:** Continuing education through Kidney Week Highlights, Board Review Course & Update, KSAP, nephSAP, core curricula, and other distance learning programs.
- **Publications:** ASN publishes three monthly journals, the *Journal of the American Society of Nephrology* (JASN, Impact Factor 14.978), *Clinical Journal of the American Society of Nephrology* (CJASN, Impact Factor 10.671), and the new online-only, open access journal, *Kidney360*. ASN also publishes a monthly newsmagazine *ASN Kidney News*. The publications are available on a variety of platforms, and each has its own social media presence.
- **Advocacy:** ASN advocates for policies that promote the highest quality patient care, increased funding for research, and a commitment to medical education.
- **Information and Outreach:** ASN informs the kidney community of advances in care, research, and education through a variety of channels, and provides detailed data analyses to support the work of kidney professionals and advance ASN programs and initiatives.
- **Research Funding:** KidneyCure (the ASN Foundation) provides more than $3 million annually in funding for nephrology educators and clinical and basic investigators.
- **Kidney Health Initiative (KHI):** A public-private partnership between ASN and the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA), KHI helps over 90 member organizations to catalyze innovation and the development of safe and effective patient-centered drugs and therapies for people living with kidney diseases.
- **Excellence in Patient Care (EPC):** EPC was established to support kidney medicine and to provide strategic direction, coordination, and oversight of ASN Excellence in Patient Care’s initiatives including NTDS, the COVID-19 Response Team, the Diabetic Kidney Disease Collaborative, AKINow, and others.
- **Kidney Innovation Accelerator (KidneyX):** A public-private partnership between ASN and the US Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) to accelerate innovation in the prevention, diagnosis, and treatment of kidney diseases through prize competitions.