

American Society of Nephrology (ASN)

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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 17,000 members representing 112 countries.

ASN Provides its Members and the Kidney Community

- **Education:** Continuing Medical Education (CME) through ASN Kidney Week, ASN Highlights, NephSAP, Board Review Course & Update, and distance learning programs.
- **Communications:** ASN publishes *JASN* (Impact Factor 8.96), *CJASN* (Impact Factor 4.78), the monthly news magazine *ASN Kidney News*, and *ASN In The Loop*, a daily online news briefing. Most publications are available in print, online, and mobile app formats.
- **Advocacy:** ASN advocates for policies that promote the highest quality patient care, increased funding for research, and a commitment to medical education.
- **Research Funding:** The ASN Foundation for Kidney Research provides more than \$3 million annually in funding for clinical and basic researchers.
- **Kidney Health Initiative (KHI):** A public-private partnership between the ASN and the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) to advance kidney health issues through a collaboration of patients, health care professionals, scientists, industry, and government.
- **Nephrologists Transforming Dialysis Safety (NTDS):** An initiative funded by the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) aimed at engaging nephrologists as team leaders in transformational change to “target zero infections” in dialysis facilities.

Leadership

President: Eleanor D. Lederer, MD, FASN (*Louisville, KY*)
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President-Elect: Mark D. Okusa, MD, FASN (*Charlottesville, VA*)
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More than **40 million** Americans have kidney diseases.

Membership



KIDNEYWEEK 2017

New Orleans, LA • Oct 31 - Nov 5

ASN's annual meeting, Kidney Week, is the world's premier nephrology meeting. ASN Kidney Week 2017 will take place October 31 – November 5 at the Ernest N. Morial Memorial Convention Center in New Orleans, LA.



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