

Kidney Diseases by the Numbers

“The state of care for patients with chronic kidney disease and endstage renal disease is unacceptable..”

– Executive Order 13879 of July 10, 2019

SPOTLIGHT ON KIDNEY DISEASES IN CALIFORNIA



6,634,063 PATIENTS WITH KIDNEY DISEASES

109,924 PATIENTS DIAGNOSED WITH KIDNEY FAILURE*

81,030 PATIENTS ON DIALYSIS

11,101 PATIENTS ON HOME DIALYSIS

28,894 PATIENTS WITH A KIDNEY TRANSPLANT

18,629 PATIENTS WAIT-LISTED FOR A KIDNEY TRANSPLANT TODAY

MORE THAN
37 MILLION¹
AMERICANS ARE LIVING WITH
KIDNEY DISEASES

MORE THAN
800,000²
HAVE KIDNEY FAILURE AND NEED
DIALYSIS OR A TRANSPLANT TO LIVE

MEDICARE IS “ALL IN”

Nearly all patients with kidney failure are Medicare beneficiaries REGARDLESS of age.

\$50² **BILLION**
MEDICARE COSTS FOR
KIDNEY FAILURE PER YEAR

\$150² **BILLION**
MEDICARE COSTS FOR
KIDNEY DISEASES
PER YEAR

TAKE ACTION

1

\$25M for KidneyX to Accelerate Innovation in the Prevention, Diagnosis, and Treatment of Kidney Diseases

2

Support American Service Members with Kidney Diseases

- Increase funding for the Veterans Health Administration National Kidney Program
- Increase funding for the Department of Defense Congressionally Directed Medical Research Program

1. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Chronic Kidney Disease in the United States, 2020. Atlanta, GA: US Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; 2022

2. United States Renal Data System. 2020 USRDS annual data report: Epidemiology of kidney disease in the United States. National Institutes of Health, National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases, Bethesda, MD, 2022.

* Most recent complete data are for 2020.