

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

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PERFORMANCE GAP/ ACTIVITY NEED:

A new report revealed that one in ten people worldwide have chronic kidney disease, and many don't realize they have it. In the United States, prevalence is 14%. Main causes of chronic kidney disease include high blood pressure and diabetes. Kidney disease is often referred to as a silent disease because it often goes undetected until it is at a very advanced stage. Because chronic kidney disease is a growing health concern, family physicians must be equipped to care for this unique patient population.

DESIRED OUTCOMES: At the end of the activity, attendees will be able to:

- describe how to calculate an estimation of glomerular filtration rate.
- list the implications of different stages of CKD on patient health.
- actively engage as primary care providers in the management of chronic kidney disease.
- evaluate new evidence regarding management of CKD.
- cite the cultural considerations related to prevalence of CKD (IMQ's CLC requirement)

LEARNERS: Nephrologists, endocrinologists, internal medicine, pediatricians, family practice, PA and NP as well as all ancillary clinical staff.

CLC/IB IDENTIFIED: Reflect on the patient populations most affected and consider how implicit bias may impact appropriate care of these patients.

DESIRABLE PHYSICIAN ATTRIBUTE: provide patient-centered care, employ evidence-based practice