

# MEDICAL EDUCATION

## SPEAKERS NETWORK

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### TRENDING MEDICAL EDUCATION TOPIC

#### Chronic Kidney Disease

If your medical staff needs an update on chronic kidney disease, consider contacting our office to book a speaker at 877-505-4777 or [info@speakersnetwork.com](mailto:info@speakersnetwork.com).

#### What is the problem?

Thirty-seven million American adults have chronic kidney disease (CKD) and millions of others are at increased risk. Risk factors for kidney disease include diabetes, high blood pressure and family history of kidney failure. CKD has varying levels of seriousness and usually worsens with time; however, treatment can slow progression. Early detection can help prevent the progression of kidney disease to kidney failure. Physicians should have the most up-to-date knowledge in this clinical area and be able to diagnose and treat these patients or refer them to a specialist whenever is needed.

#### Learning Objectives

1. Describe symptoms of chronic kidney disease
2. Discuss the latest diagnostic tests and treatments
3. Improve prevention of chronic kidney disease and preservation of kidney function
4. Discuss indications and patient eligibility for kidney transplantation

#### How do we know this is a problem?

<https://www.kidney.org/atoz/content/about-chronic-kidney-disease>

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