

Home Dialysis Promotion Self-Assessment for Dialysis Staff

For Direct Patient Care Team Members (RNs, PCTs, LPNs, SWs, Dietitians)

Purpose

This tool helps assess your confidence and preparedness in promoting home dialysis options to patients.

Instructions

Please answer honestly. Your responses will help identify training opportunities and support needs.

Section 1: Confidence & Knowledge (Rate each from 1 to 5)

1 = Not Confident | 5 = Very Confident

| Statement | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
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| I understand the differences between in-center, home hemodialysis (HHD), and peritoneal dialysis (PD). | | | | | |
| I feel confident explaining the benefits of home dialysis to patients and families. | | | | | |
| I can identify which patients may be good candidates for home dialysis. | | | | | |
| I know how to refer patients for home dialysis education. | | | | | |
| I feel comfortable addressing common myths and concerns about home dialysis. | | | | | |
| I know who on my team to go to with home dialysis questions. | | | | | |
| I actively promote home dialysis options during patient interactions. | | | | | |

Section 2: Role-Specific Experience

(Select all that apply)

- I've participated in home dialysis education sessions with patients.
- I've helped transition a patient to a home modality.
- I've received formal training on home dialysis education in the past 12 months.
- I regularly reinforce modality options during chairside conversations.

Section 3: Open-Ended Questions

What challenges do you face when discussing home dialysis with patients?

What resources or training would help you feel more confident promoting home modalities?

Are there specific topics related to home dialysis you'd like more education on?

Section 4: Optional - For Internal Planning

Your Role:

- RN
- PCT
- LPN
- Social Worker
- Dietitian
- Other: _____

Years in Dialysis Care: _____