

THE GLOBAL KIDNEY HEALTH ATLAS



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Overview

- **Aim**
- **Methods**
- **Key Results**
- **Implications**

Aim of the Global Kidney Health Atlas

To understand, compare and monitor how different countries around the world detect, treat, monitor and advocate for people with kidney disease (AKI or CKD)

Key focus on availability, accessibility, affordability and quality of ESKD care

Global Kidney Health Atlas survey



Design and scope

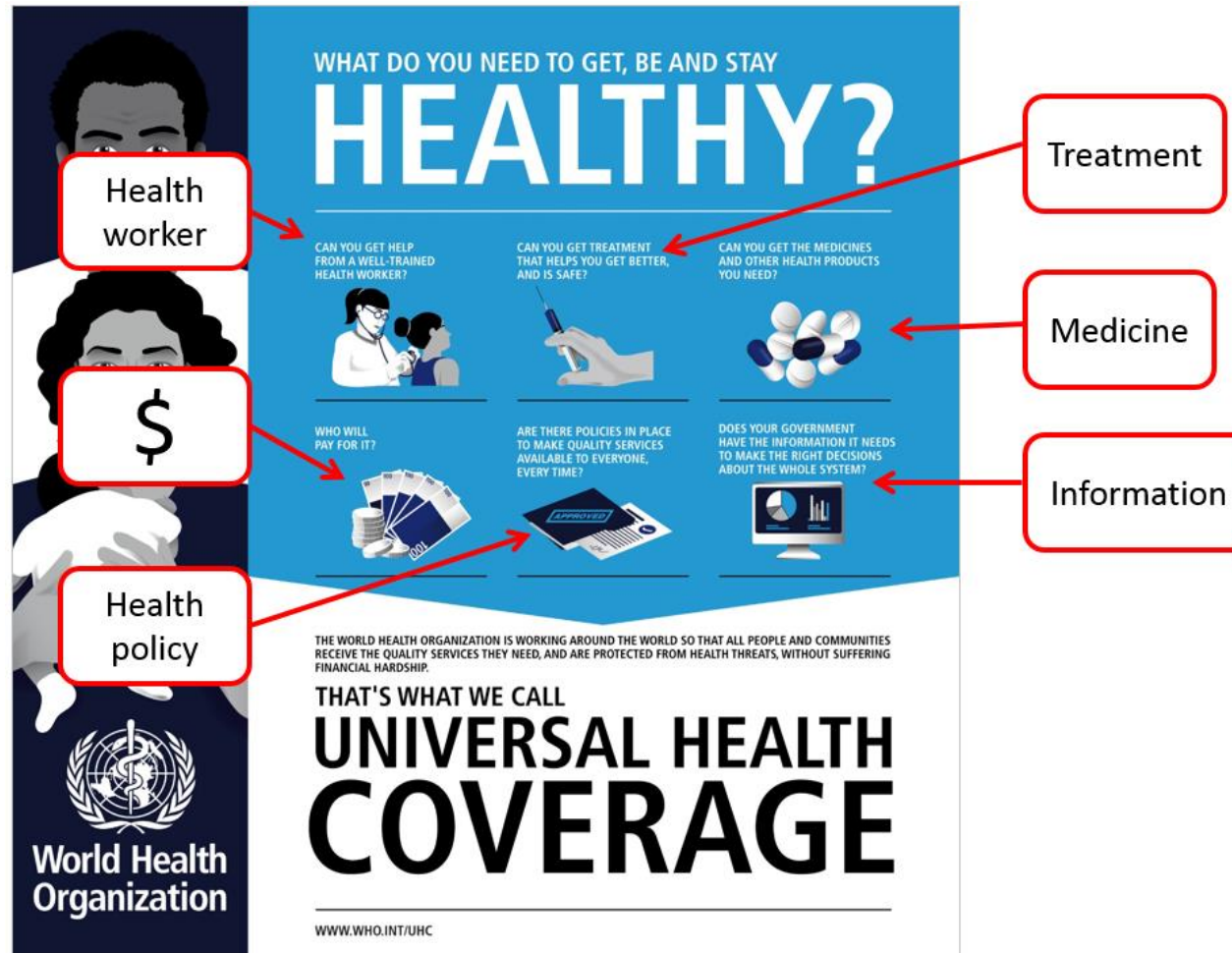
Desk research (across countries and regions)

- Published and grey literature review
- Systematic review ESKD burden and outcomes
- Data extraction from major renal registries (USRDS, ERA-EDTA) and relevant national registries where available
- Scoping review of KRT cost estimates

Online questionnaire-based survey July – September 2018

- 3 languages (English, French, Spanish)
- Across 182 countries
- ≥ 3 stakeholders per country
 - National nephrology society leadership
 - Healthcare policymakers
 - Patients / patient advocacy groups
- Discrepancies resolved by follow-up conferences with regional and country nephrology leaders

Overall survey components



Overall GKHA Response

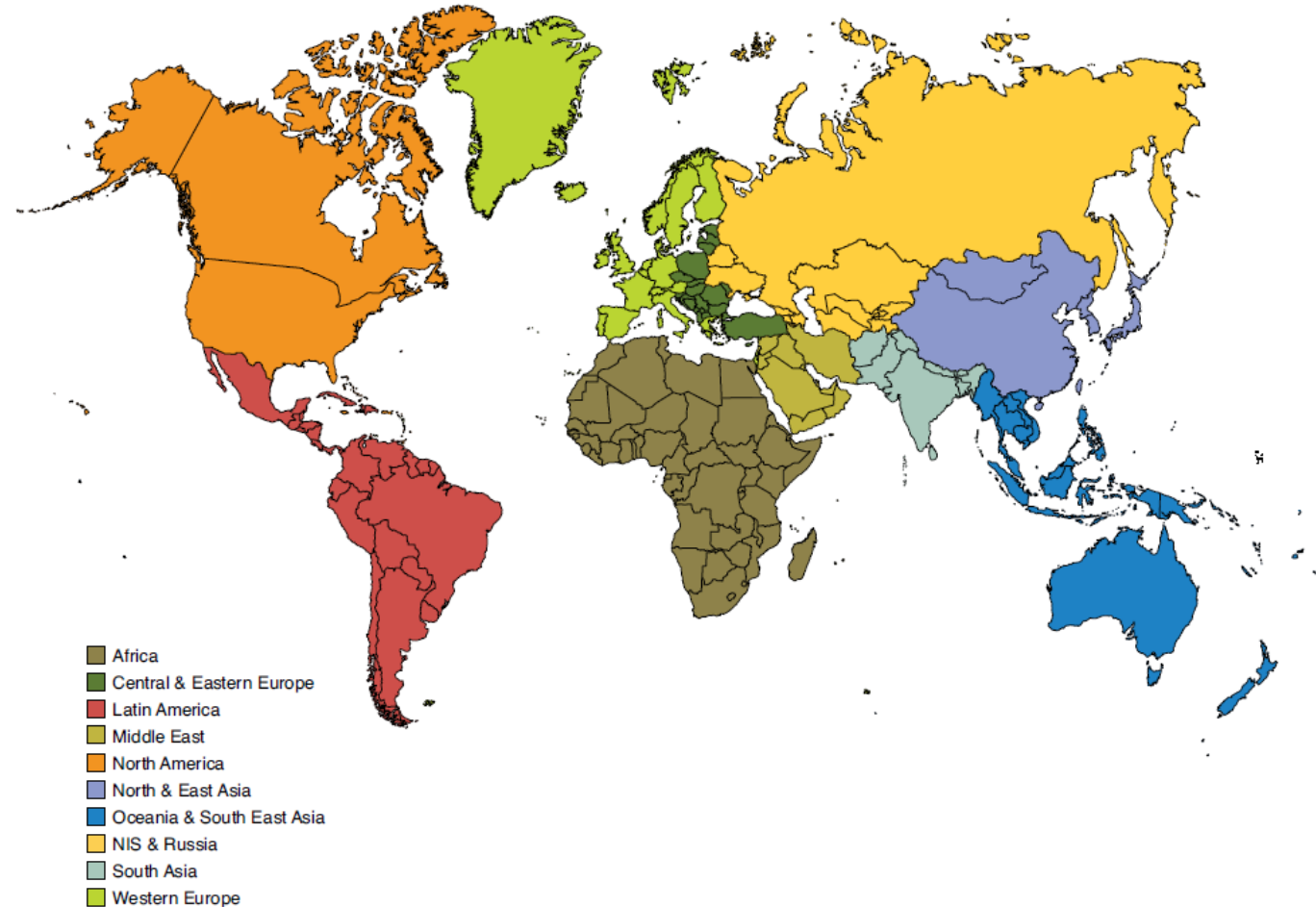
■ Participated in survey ■ Did not participate in survey



160 countries (88%)
99% world's population
317 individuals (69%) response
3 respondents/country (IQR 2-4)

113 countries participated
in both GKHA surveys

Results presented by ISN regions



ISN Region: Latin America



Demographics



Country	World bank ranking	Area (sq km)	Total population (2018)	GDP (PPP) (\$ billion)	Total health expenditures (% of GDP)
Argentina	Upper middle income	2,780,400	44,694,198	922.1	6.8
Belize	Upper middle income	22,966	385,854	3.218	6.1
Bolivia	Lower middle income	1,098,581	11,306,341	83.72	6.4
Brazil	Upper middle income	8,515,770	208,846,892	3248	8.9
British Virgin Islands	High income	1,910	106,977	3.872	-
Chile	High income	756,102	17,925,262	452.1	8.1
Colombia	Upper middle income	1,138,910	48,168,996	711.6	6.2
Costa Rica	Upper middle income	51,100	4,987,142	83.94	7.6
Cuba	Upper middle income	110,860	11,116,396	137	10.9
Dominica	Upper middle income	751	74,027	0.783	5.3
Dominican Republic	Upper middle income	48,670	10,298,756	173	6.2
Ecuador	Upper middle income	283,561	16,498,502	193	8.4
El Salvador	Lower middle income	21,041	6,187,271	51.17	6.9
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-
Guatemala	Lower middle income	108,889	16,581,273	138.1	5.7
Guyana	Upper middle income	214,969	740,685	6.301	4.2
Haiti	Low income	27,750	10,788,440	19.97	6.9
Honduras	Lower middle income	112,090	9,182,766	46.3	8.4
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	Upper middle income	1,964,375	125,959,205	2463	5.9
Nicaragua	Lower middle income	130,370	6,085,213	36.4	8.7
Panama	High income	75,420	3,800,644	104.1	7.0
Paraguay	Upper middle income	406,752	7,025,763	88.91	7.8
Peru	Upper middle income	1,285,216	31,331,228	430.3	5.3
Puerto Rico	High income	13,791	3,294,626	130	-
St. Barthelemy	-	25	7,160	-	-
St. Martin	High income	54.4	32,284	0.5615	-
Suriname	Upper middle income	163,820	597,927	8.688	6.1
Uruguay	High income	176,215	3,369,299	78.16	9.2
Venezuela, RB	High income	912,050	31,689,176	381.6	3.2

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CKD and its risk factors burden

Country	CKD Prevalence % (95% CI)	Death attributed to CKD % (95% CI)	DALYS attributed to CKD % (95% CI)	Obesity % (95% CI)	Increased BP % (95% CI)	Smoking % (95% CI)
Argentina	9.33 (8.68 - 10.04)	3.26 (3.09 - 3.42)	1.99 (1.81 - 2.16)	28.5 (23.7 - 33.7)	22.6 (17.0 - 28.9)	17.7 (15.5 - 19.9)
Belize	7.57 (7.06 - 8.14)	4.51 (4.26 - 4.75)	2.76 (2.52 - 3.03)	22.4 (17.5 - 27.9)	22.7 (16.6 - 29.7)	7.1 (5.5 - 8.9)
Bolivia	6.43 (5.98 - 6.96)	4.75 (4.17 - 5.22)	2.49 (2.12 - 2.86)	18.7 (14.2 - 23.7)	17.9 (12.5 - 24.1)	19.6 (16.5 - 23.1)
Brazil	8.20 (7.61 - 8.86)	2.62 (2.57 - 2.67)	1.6 (1.49 - 1.7)	22.3 (18.9 - 25.9)	23.3 (18.1 - 28.8)	10.6 (9.8 - 11.5)
British Virgin Islands	14.44 (13.33 - 15.7)	3.81 (3.51 - 4.08)	3.02 (2.75 - 3.28)	-	-	4.1 (3.1 - 5.5)
Chile	9.34 (8.71 - 10.14)	3.76 (3.6 - 3.93)	2.05 (1.84 - 2.25)	28.8 (24.2 - 33.7)	20.9 (15.8 - 26.8)	25.6 (22.7 - 28.4)
Colombia	10.73 (9.95 - 11.68)	3.63 (3.45 - 3.8)	2.05 (1.87 - 2.22)	22.1 (18.3 - 26.2)	19.2 (14.2 - 24.7)	10.4 (8.1 - 13.0)
Costa Rica	11.43 (10.60 - 12.37)	5.37 (5.07 - 5.74)	3.1 (2.78 - 3.42)	25.7 (21.2 - 30.6)	18.7 (14.0 - 24.3)	7.8 (6.0 - 9.9)
Cuba	11.98 (11.06 - 13.02)	2.31 (2.2 - 2.41)	2.02 (1.86 - 2.19)	26.7 (21.9 - 31.7)	19.0 (13.8 - 25.3)	16.2 (13.1 - 19.6)
Dominica	12.53 (11.63 - 13.49)	4.79 (4.54 - 5.09)	3.56 (3.25 - 3.88)	28.2 (22.6 - 33.9)	22.5 (16.5 - 29.3)	3.9 (2.9 - 5.0)
Dominican Republic	8.11 (7.54 - 8.77)	3.44 (2.8 - 3.78)	2.22 (1.86 - 2.5)	26.9 (22.0 - 32.2)	21.5 (15.4 - 28.4)	6.7 (5.2 - 8.5)
Ecuador	7.58 (7.04 - 8.17)	6.57 (6.27 - 6.88)	3.26 (2.91 - 3.63)	19.3 (14.9 - 24.3)	17.9 (12.6 - 23.7)	5.0 (4.2 - 6.0)
El Salvador	10.67 (9.93 - 11.56)	9.89 (6.8 - 10.8)	6.07 (4.14 - 6.97)	22.7 (18.0 - 27.7)	18.7 (13.3 - 24.7)	6.1 (4.6 - 8.0)
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guatemala	8.39 (7.81 - 9.03)	5.69 (5.36 - 6.03)	3.01 (2.74 - 3.33)	18.8 (14.9 - 23.2)	21.2 (15.3 - 27.7)	7.2 (5.5 - 9.2)
Guyana	8.80 (8.18 - 9.51)	3.25 (3.03 - 3.49)	2.3 (2.1 - 2.54)	19.2 (14.5 - 24.4)	23.1 (16.7 - 30.6)	8.6 (6.9 - 10.7)
Haiti	6.29 (5.83 - 6.79)	2.35 (2.09 - 2.64)	1.47 (1.28 - 1.68)	20.5 (16.0 - 25.6)	24.5 (17.8 - 31.9)	5.2 (4.1 - 6.7)
Honduras	7.54 (7.00 - 8.15)	1.67 (1.49 - 1.83)	1.09 (0.99 - 1.2)	19.4 (15.1 - 24.1)	21.4 (15.6 - 27.9)	9.0 (7.3 - 10.9)
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	11.83 (10.99 - 12.74)	9.14 (8.89 - 9.32)	5.5 (5.05 - 5.94)	28.4 (24.7 - 32.3)	19.7 (14.8 - 25.1)	9.5 (9.1 - 10.1)
Nicaragua	9.29 (8.63 - 9.99)	9.89 (8.59 - 10.52)	5.31 (4.28 - 6.09)	21.8 (17.3 - 26.7)	20.8 (15.1 - 27.3)	8.8 (6.6 - 11.4)
Panama	10.65 (9.89 - 11.52)	5.01 (4.77 - 5.26)	2.74 (2.48 - 3.01)	22.5 (18.0 - 27.4)	19.9 (14.8 - 25.8)	3.5 (2.8 - 4.3)
Paraguay	7.31 (6.79 - 7.91)	4.9 (3.96 - 5.27)	2.64 (2.21 - 3.02)	19.0 (13.9 - 24.6)	24.6 (17.9 - 31.8)	9.9 (7.6 - 12.7)
Peru	7.14 (6.66 - 7.75)	3.73 (3.49 - 3.99)	1.9 (1.69 - 2.12)	19.1 (16.0 - 22.4)	13.7 (10.5 - 17.4)	8.1 (6.5 - 10.0)
Puerto Rico	15.39 (14.27 - 16.66)	4.9 (4.68 - 5.14)	3.27 (2.98 - 3.52)	-	-	8.8 (7.2 - 10.8)
St. Barthelemy	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Martin	-	-	-	-	-	-
Suriname	10.03 (9.30 - 10.82)	4.87 (4.61 - 5.15)	3.16 (2.87 - 3.44)	26.5 (21.3 - 31.9)	22.4 (16.2 - 29.5)	17.7 (15.2 - 20.4)
Uruguay	10.63 (9.89 - 11.54)	2.35 (2.21 - 2.48)	1.54 (1.41 - 1.66)	28.9 (23.7 - 34.4)	20.7 (15.3 - 26.6)	18.6 (16.4 - 20.9)
Venezuela, RB	10.45 (9.66 - 11.31)	4.87 (4.63 - 5.11)	2.76 (2.51 - 3.02)	25.2 (20.9 - 29.8)	18.6 (13.7 - 24.1)	13.3 (10.6 - 16.5)

Abbreviations:

CKD (Chronic Kidney Disease),
DALYS (disability-adjusted life years),
BP (blood pressure),
CI (confidence interval)

Data source: GBD study database

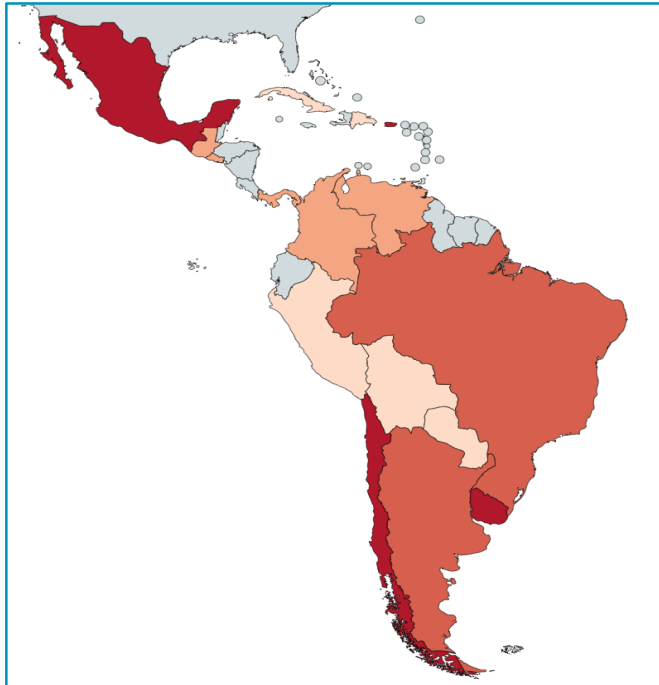
(<http://www.healthdata.org/gbd>),

WHO data observatory (<https://www.who.int/gho/en/>)

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Burden of ESKD

Prevalence of treated ESKD



■ <433.0 pmp
 ■ 433.0–759.0 pmp
 ■ 759.1–1048.0 pmp
 ■ >1048.0 pmp
 ■ Data not reported

Treated ESKD: all dialysis + transplant

* pmp (per million population)

Data sources: Abu-Aisha & Elamin (Peritoneal Dialysis International) 2010, Jain et al. (JASN) 2012, Liyanage et al. (The Lancet) 2015, 2017/2018 USRDS Annual Data Report

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Country	Treated ESKD		Chronic dialysis (HD+PD)		Chronic HD		Chronic PD	
	Incidence	Prevalence	Incidence	Prevalence	Incidence	Prevalence	Incidence	Prevalence
Argentina	165	872	-	664	-	626.6	-	36
Belize	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bolivia	94.8	245.1	-	213.5	-	195.2	-	18.3
Brazil	194	865	-	610	-	449.6	-	45.6
British Virgin Islands	-	-	-	1441.5	-	1399.1	-	42.4
Chile	169	1382	-	1180	-	1019.1	-	61.2
Colombia	80	672	-	543	-	349	-	143.6
Costa Rica	-	400.9	-	118.4	-	42.3	-	76
Cuba	103.1	347.6	-	269.3	-	259.1	-	10.1
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	208.3	278.9	-	226.1	-	178.8	-	47.3
Ecuador	177.6	550.2	-	529.8	-	481.8	-	48
El Salvador	390.1	594.7	-	521.1	-	232.5	-	288.7
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guatemala	124.8	433	-	379	-	157.7	-	221.3
Guyana	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Haiti	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Honduras	176.7	209.6	-	201.3	-	186.9	-	14.4
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	355	1447	-	813	-	599.4	-	486.7
Nicaragua	24.4	257.1	-	235.9	-	211.5	-	24.4
Panama	462.1	696	-	585.3	-	495	-	90.3
Paraguay	20.2	189.6	-	169.7	-	165.7	-	4
Peru	30	378.5	-	315.3	-	272.2	-	43.1
Puerto Rico	432.9	1846.7	-	1468.3	-	1362.1	-	106.2
St. Barthelemy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Martin	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Suriname	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Uruguay	166	1120	-	762	-	692.2	-	71.6
Venezuela, RB	-	565.9	-	505.1	-	505.1	-	58.5

Burden of ESKD (cont'd)

Incidence of kidney transplantation



■ <5.2 pmp
 ■ 5.2–13.5 pmp
 ■ 13.6–37.8 pmp
 ■ >37.8 pmp
 ■ Data not reported

* pmp (per million population)

Data sources: GODT database

(<http://www.transplant-observatory.org/data-charts-and-tables/>)

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Country	Kidney transplantation				
	Incidence overall	Prevalence overall	Incidence of deceased donor	Incidence of living donor	Incidence of pre-emptive
Argentina	33	208	24.59	8.41	-
Belize	-	-	-	-	-
Bolivia	6.79	33	0.71	6.07	-
Brazil	28.33	255	23.43	4.9	-
British Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-
Chile	20.17	202	16.13	4.03	-
Colombia	17.45	128	14.63	2.83	-
Costa Rica	12.6	288.9	8.4	4.2	-
Cuba	15.04	71.2	13.91	1.13	-
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	4.95	28.8	1.19	3.76	-
Ecuador	14.73	19.5	13.43	1.3	-
El Salvador	5.31	66.3	0	5.31	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-
Guatemala	6.69	28.8	0.58	6.1	-
Guyana	-	-	-	-	-
Haiti	-	-	-	-	-
Honduras	1.4	3.8	0	1.4	-
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	23.56	634	7.46	16.09	-
Nicaragua	2.54	5.2	0.16	2.38	-
Panama	10.95	80.6	9.05	1.9	-
Paraguay	5.94	20.9	3.62	2.32	-
Peru	4.82	50	3.53	1.29	-
Puerto Rico	-	173.1	-	-	-
St. Barthélemy	-	-	-	-	-
St. Martin	-	-	-	-	-
Suriname	-	-	-	-	-
Uruguay	46	358	42.29	3.71	-
Venezuela, RB	1.23	59.1	0	1.23	-

Annual cost of kidney replacement therapy components

Country	Hemodialysis	Peritoneal dialysis	Kidney Transplant (First year)	Kidney Transplant (later years)	HD/PD cost ratio
Argentina	15,600	18,000	21,207	-	0.87
Belize	-	-	-	-	-
Bolivia	20,701	16,732	13,784	-	1.24
Brazil	18,724	24,358	7,458	-	0.77
British Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	-
Chile	22,758	20,524	-	-	1.11
Colombia	16,701	16,919	16,890	-	0.99
Costa Rica	-	-	-	-	-
Cuba	-	-	-	-	-
Dominica	-	-	-	-	-
Dominican Republic	-	-	-	-	-
Ecuador	-	-	-	-	-
El Salvador	-	-	-	-	-
French Guiana	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	-	-	-	-	-
Guatemala	-	-	-	-	-
Guyana	-	-	-	-	-
Haiti	-	-	-	-	-
Honduras	-	-	-	-	-
Martinique	-	-	-	-	-
Mexico	16,148	10,927	15,913	4,294	1.48
Nicaragua	-	-	-	-	-
Panama	20,721	20,075	-	-	1.03
Paraguay	14,040	15,330	-	-	0.92
Peru	10,673	13,870	-	-	0.77
Puerto Rico	-	-	-	-	-
St. Barthelemy	-	-	-	-	-
St. Martin	-	-	-	-	-
Suriname	-	-	-	-	-
Uruguay	18,207	15,277	-	-	1.19
Venezuela, RB	-	-	-	-	-

*Cost is in \$US 2016

Abbreviations:

HD (hemodialysis),

PD (peritoneal dialysis)

Data source: Aimaretti & Arze (2016), Arredondo et al. (1998), Arze & Zambrana (2016), Balshaw et al. (2005), Cortes-Sanabria et al. (2013), Cueto-Manzano & Rojas-Campos (2007), de Abreu et al. (2013), Gadola et al. (2008), Hurtado et al. (2005), Neil et al. (2009), Pacheco et al. (2007), Pecoits-Filho et al. (2009), Rafael Alberto Gomez (2006), Rosselli et al. (2015), Sesso et al. (1990 & 2007), van der Tol et al. (2019), Villarreal-Rios et al. (2014)

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Survey response

- 18 of 31 countries in Latin America (58%) responded to the 2018 survey
- This represents 93% of the region's population

Country level scorecard

Countries		Availability of KRT and CKM				Funding for Medications		Availability and Distribution of Registry				Advocacy Group			Nephrology Workforce (PMP)	
		Chronic hemodialysis	Chronic peritoneal dialysis	Kidney transplantation	CKM	Dialysis medications	Transplant medications	CKD	Dialysis	Transplantation	AKI	CKD	AKI	ESKD/RRT	Nephrologists	Nephrologist trainees
Latin America																
Argentina	2017														34.54	5.76
	2019														31.32	3.36
Bolivia	2017														5.56	1.11
	2019														9.55	3.18
Brazil	2017														20.35	2.20
	2019														19.73	2.39
British Virgin Islands	2017															
	2019														0.00	0.00
Chile	2017														10.28	0.91
	2019														18.13	1.39
Colombia	2017														5.56	0.43
	2019														5.19	0.42
Costa Rica	2017														5.19	0.62
	2019															
Cuba	2017															
	2019														38.95	20.60
Dominican Republic	2017														14.31	3.15
	2019														15.92	3.40
El Salvador	2017														7.82	0.98
	2019														8.73	1.29
Guatemala	2017														3.02	0.94
	2019														4.34	0.84
Nephrologists density		<1.2 PMP				1.2–10.0 PMP				10.1–22.9 PMP				>22.9 PMP		
Nephrology trainees density		<0.3 PMP				0.3–1.4 PMP				1.5–3.7 PMP				>3.7 PMP		

Yes

No

N/A

Abbreviations

KRT: kidney replacement therapy
 CKM: conservative kidney management
 CKD: chronic kidney disease
 AKI: acute kidney injury
 ESKD: end stage kidney disease
 RRT: renal replacement therapy

Country level scorecard (cont'd)

Countries	Availability of KRT and CKM				Funding for Medications		Availability and Distribution of Registry				Advocacy Group			Nephrology Workforce (PMP)	
	Chronic hemodialysis	Chronic peritoneal dialysis	Kidney transplantation	CKM	Dialysis medications	Transplant medications	CKD	Dialysis	Transplantation	AKI	CKD	AKI	ESKD/RRT	Nephrologists	Nephrology trainees
Latin America															
Haiti	2017														
	2019													0.56	0.00
Mexico	2017													8.21	1.23
	2019													8.73	1.19
Nicaragua	2017													3.72	0.00
	2019														
Panama	2017													8.75	1.09
	2019													9.21	0.92
Paraguay	2017													7.96	1.18
	2019													9.96	1.35
Peru	2017													8.21	0.49
	2019													9.26	0.77
Puerto Rico	2017														
	2019													30.35	1.52
Uruguay	2017													44.88	4.79
	2019													53.42	4.45
Venezuela	2017													20.49	2.05
	2019													15.94	1.64
Nephrologists density							<1.2 PMP	1.2–10.0 PMP	10.1–22.9 PMP	>22.9 PMP					
Nephrology trainees density							<0.3 PMP	0.3–1.4 PMP	1.5–3.7 PMP	>3.7 PMP					

Yes

No

N/A

Abbreviations

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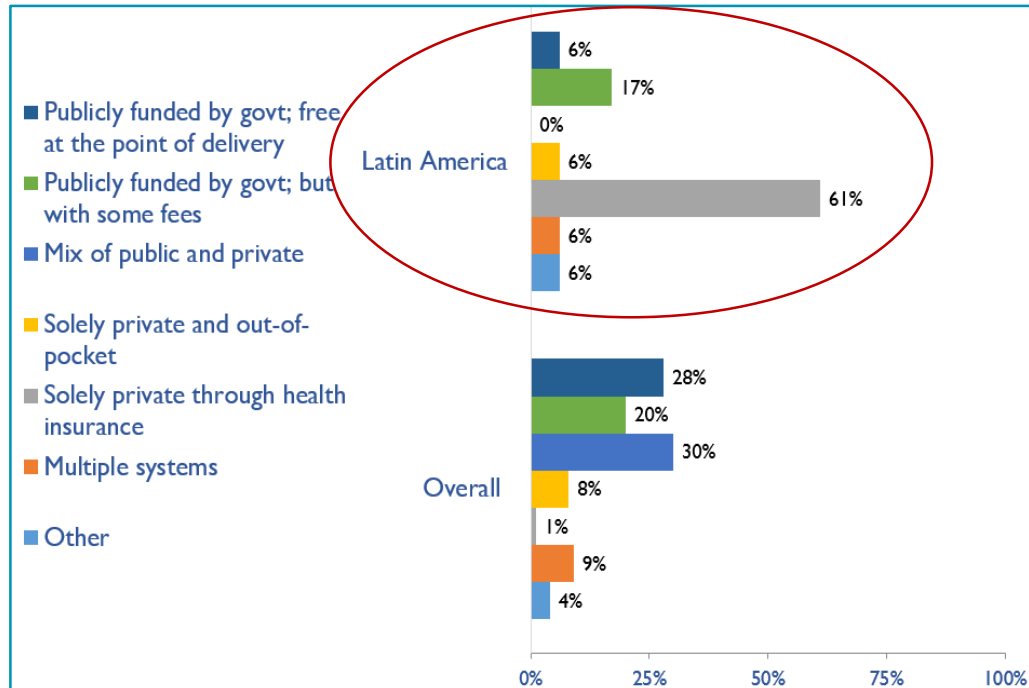
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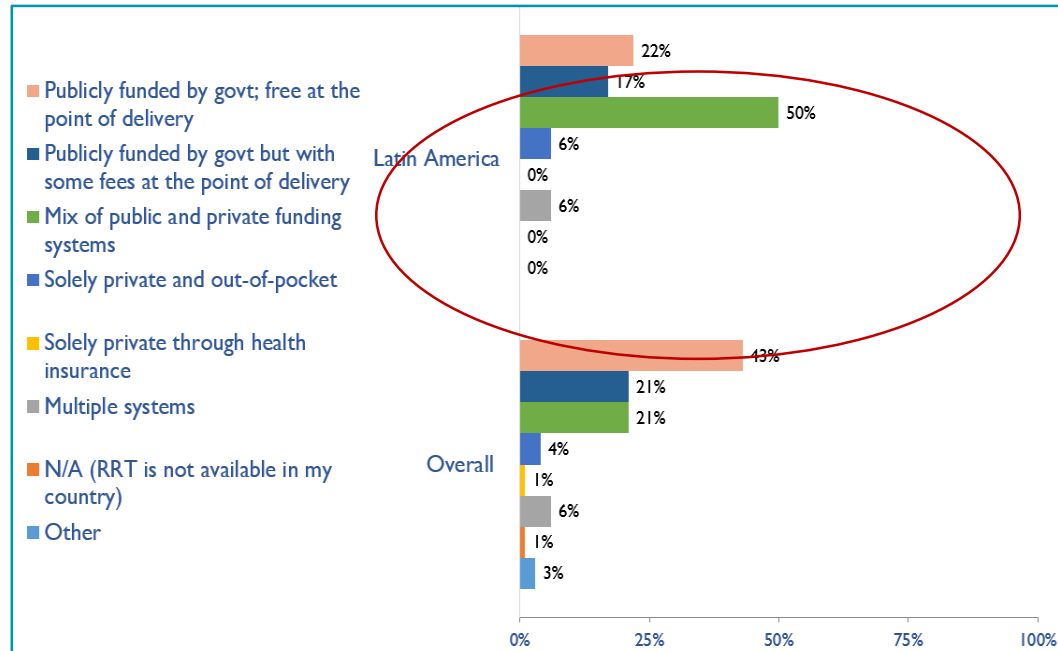
Funding for non-dialysis CKD



Country	Publicly funded by govt; free at the point of delivery	Publicly funded by govt but with some fees at the point of delivery	Mix of public and private funding systems	Solely private and out-of-pocket	Solely private through health insurance	Multiple systems	Other
Argentina			X				
Bolivia			X				
Brazil			X				
British Virgin Islands		X					
Chile			X				
Colombia						X	
Cuba	X						
Dominican Republic			X				
El Salvador							X
Guatemala			X				
Haiti				X			
Mexico						X	
Panama			X				
Paraguay			X				
Peru			X				
Puerto Rico			X				
Uruguay			X				
Venezuela, RB						X	

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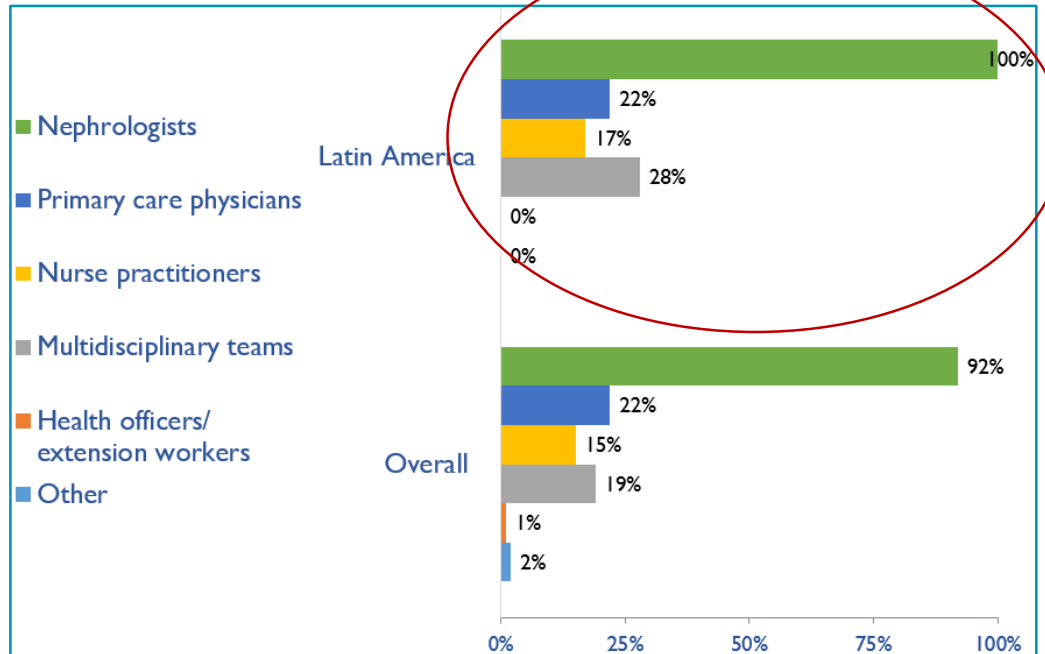
Funding for kidney replacement therapy (KRT)



Country	Publicly funded by govt; free at the point of delivery	Publicly funded by govt but with some fees at the point of delivery	Mix of public and private funding systems	Solely private and out-of-pocket	Solely private through health insurance	Multiple systems	N/A	Other
Argentina			X					
Bolivia			X					
Brazil	X							
British Virgin Islands	X							
Chile		X						
Colombia						X		
Cuba	X							
Dominican Republic		X						
El Salvador			X					
Guatemala			X					
Haiti				X				
Mexico		X						
Panama			X					
Paraguay			X					
Peru			X					
Puerto Rico			X					
Uruguay			X					
Venezuela, RB	X							

X : Yes

Providers primarily responsible for ESKD care



Country	Nephrologists	Primary care physicians	Nurse practitioners or specialized nurses	Multidisciplinary teams	Health officers/extension workers	Other
Argentina	X		X	X		
Bolivia	X					
Brazil	X					
British Virgin Islands	X	X	X	X		
Chile	X					
Colombia	X					
Cuba	X	X		X		
Dominican Republic	X					
El Salvador	X					
Guatemala	X					
Haiti	X					
Mexico	X	X	X	X		
Panama	X					
Paraguay	X			X		
Peru	X					
Puerto Rico	X	X				
Uruguay	X					
Venezuela, RB	X					

Shortage of ESKD care providers

Country	Nephrologists	Transplant surgeons	Surgeons (HD access)	Surgeons (PD access)	Interventional radiologists (HD access)	Interventional radiologists (PD access)	Laboratory technicians	Dietitians	Radiologists (ultrasound)	Vascular access coordinators	Counsellors/psychologists	Transplant coordinators	Dialysis nurses	Dialysis technicians
Argentina														
Bolivia														
Brazil														
British Virgin Islands														
Chile														
Colombia														
Cuba														
Dominican Republic														
El Salvador														
Guatemala														
Haiti														
Mexico														
Panama														
Paraguay														
Peru														
Puerto Rico														
Uruguay														
Venezuela, RB														

No shortage

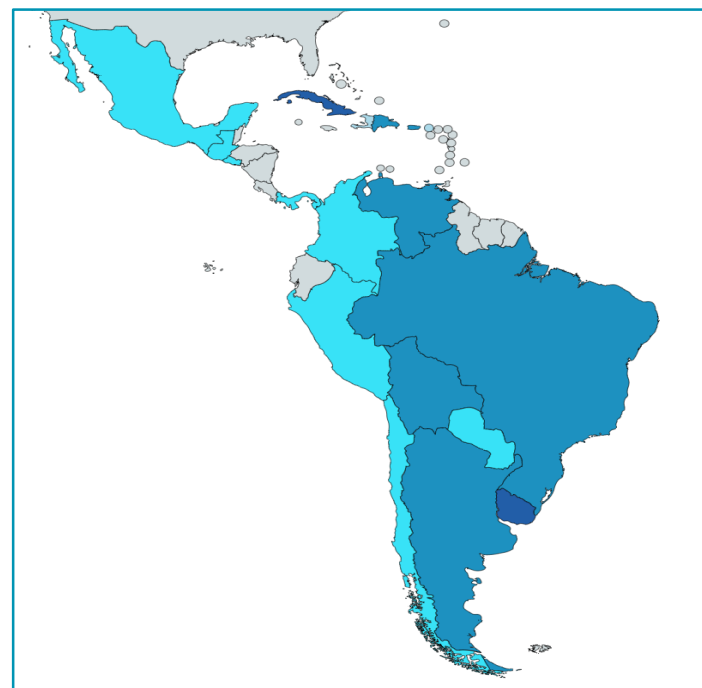
Shortage

Prevalence of nephrologists and trainees

Nephrologists



Nephrology trainees



Country	Nephrologists PMP	Nephrology trainees PMP
Argentina	31.32	3.36
Bolivia	9.55	3.18
Brazil	19.73	2.39
British Virgin Islands	0.00	0.00
Chile	18.13	1.39
Colombia	5.19	0.42
Cuba	38.95	20.60
Dominican Republic	15.92	3.40
El Salvador	8.73	1.29
Guatemala	4.34	0.84
Haiti	0.56	0.00
Mexico	8.73	1.19
Panama	9.21	0.92
Paraguay	9.96	1.35
Peru	9.26	0.77
Puerto Rico	30.35	1.52
Uruguay	53.42	4.45
Venezuela, RB	15.94	1.64

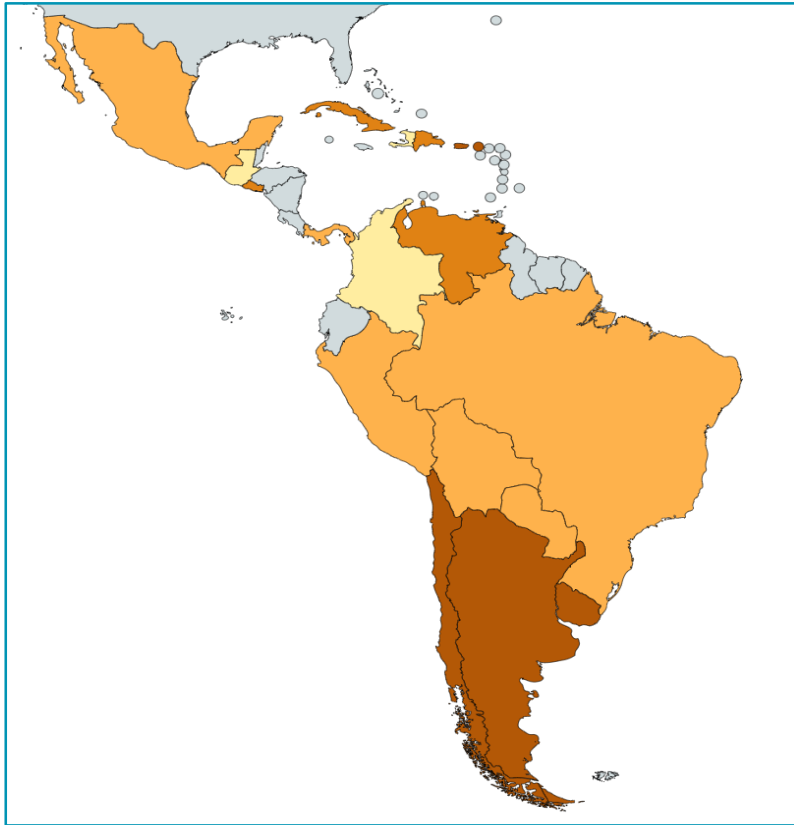
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1.2–10.0 pmp
10.1–22.9 pmp
>22.9 pmp
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<0.3 pmp
0.3–1.4 pmp
1.5–3.7 pmp
>3.7 pmp
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Capacity for chronic dialysis (HD)

Chronic HD centers



- Chronic HD services are available in all countries of the region
- The Latin America average of HD treatment centers is 4.6 pmp

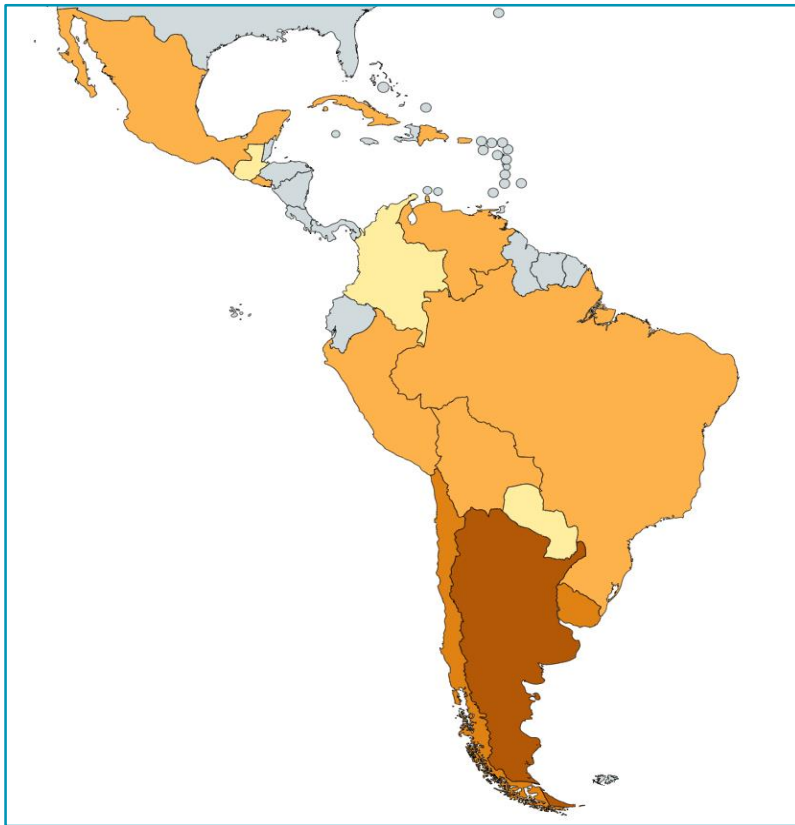
Country	Chronic HD Centres PMP
Argentina	10.87
Bolivia	4.25
Brazil	3.61
British Virgin Islands	27.93
Chile	12.64
Colombia	1.04
Cuba	5.04
Dominican Republic	8.74
El Salvador	4.85
Guatemala	0.90
Haiti	0.65
Mexico	2.48
Panama	4.47
Paraguay	3.70
Peru	2.87
Puerto Rico	16.39
Uruguay	11.28
Venezuela, RB	4.64

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■ <1.2 pmp
 ■ 1.2–4.5 pmp
 ■ 4.6–9.9 pmp
 ■ >9.9 pmp
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Capacity for chronic dialysis (PD)

Chronic PD centers



- Chronic PD services are available in 16 (89%) countries of the region
- The Latin America average of PD treatment centers is 0.96 pmp

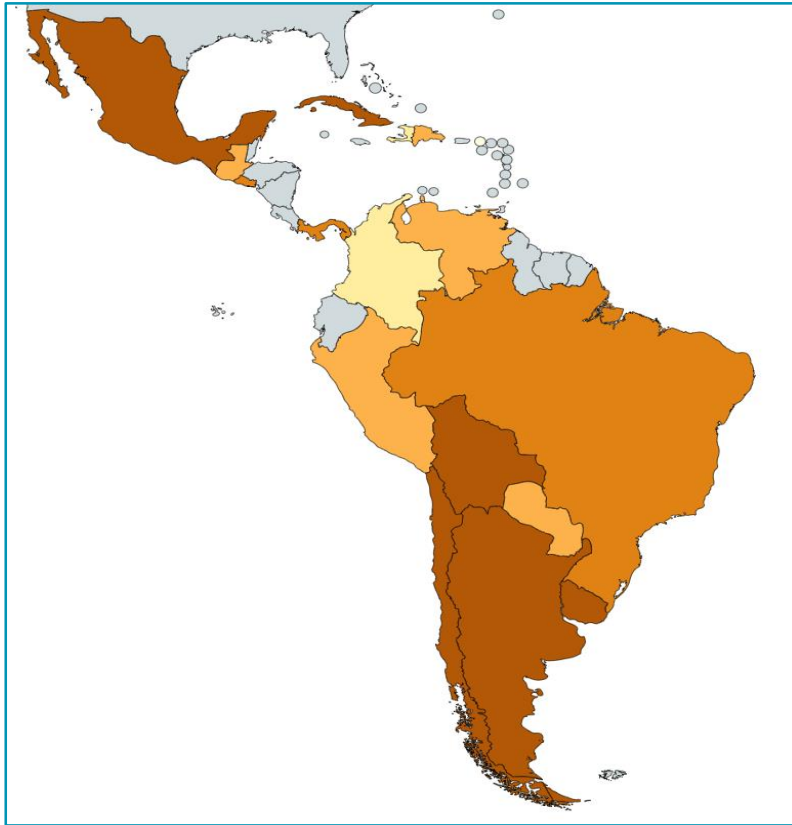
Country	Chronic PD Centres PMP
Argentina	4.47
Bolivia	0.44
Brazil	0.72
British Virgin Islands	-
Chile	2.09
Colombia	0.21
Cuba	0.90
Dominican Republic	0.78
El Salvador	1.13
Guatemala	0.12
Haiti	-
Mexico	1.21
Panama	1.84
Paraguay	0.28
Peru	1.02
Puerto Rico	1.21
Uruguay	2.37
Venezuela, RB	0.54

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Chronic PD not provided
 <0.4 pmp
 0.4–1.3 pmp
 1.4–2.5 pmp
 >2.5 pmp
 Data not reported

Capacity for kidney transplantation

Kidney transplantation centers



- Kidney transplantation services are available in 17 (94%) countries of the region
- The Latin America average of Kidney transplantation centers is 0.51 pmp

Country	Kidney Transplantation availability	Transplant centers PMP
Argentina	X	1.28
Bolivia	X	0.88
Brazil	X	0.48
British Virgin Islands		-
Chile	X	0.84
Colombia	X	0.17
Cuba	X	0.81
Dominican Republic	X	0.39
El Salvador	X	0.65
Guatemala	X	0.24
Haiti	X	0.00
Mexico	X	1.36
Panama	X	0.53
Paraguay	X	0.36
Peru	X	0.38
Puerto Rico	X	-
Uruguay	X	0.89
Venezuela, RB	X	0.25

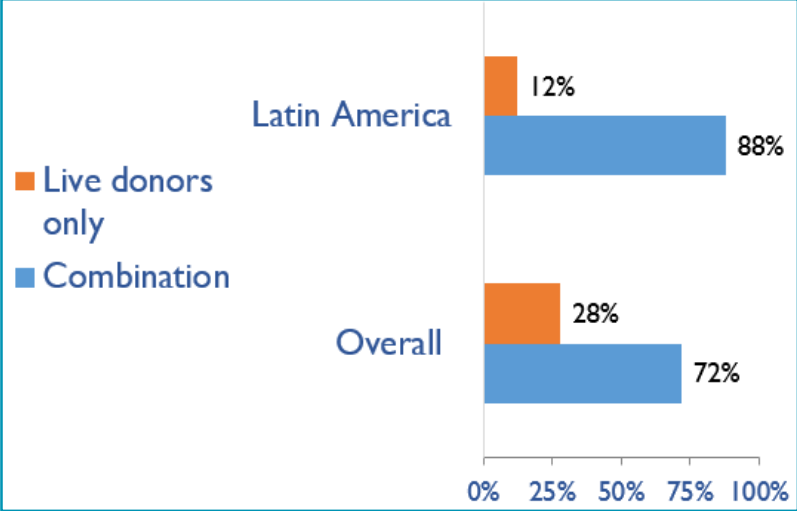
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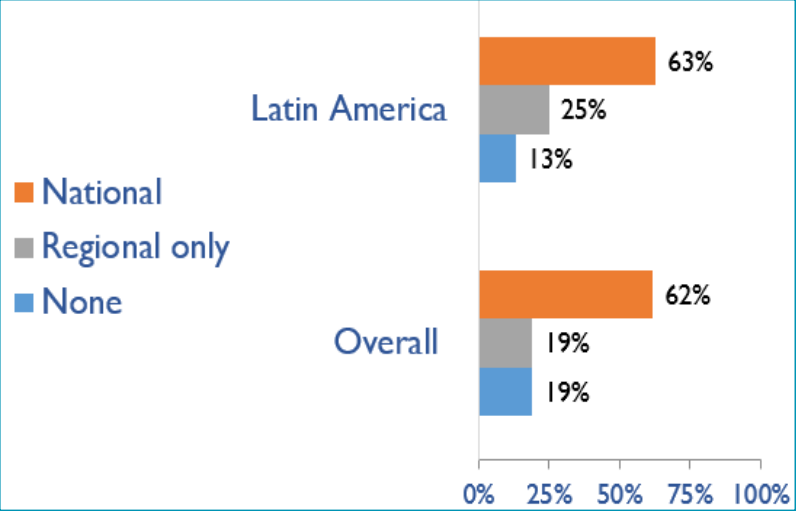
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 >0.7 pmp
 Data not reported

Capacity for kidney transplantation (cont'd)

Transplant donor type



Transplant waitlist

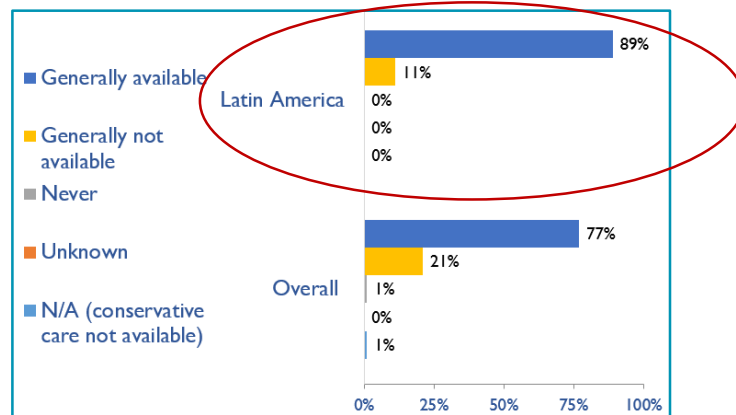


Country	Donor type		Transplant waitlist		
	Live donors only	Combination	National	Regional only	None
Argentina		X	X		
Bolivia		X		X	
Brazil		X	X		
British Virgin Islands					
Chile		X	X		
Colombia		X		X	
Cuba		X	X		
Dominican Republic		X		X	
El Salvador	X				X
Guatemala		X		X	
Haiti	X				X
Mexico		X	X		
Panama		X	X		
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Peru		X	X		
Puerto Rico		X			
Uruguay		X	X		
Venezuela, RB		X	X		

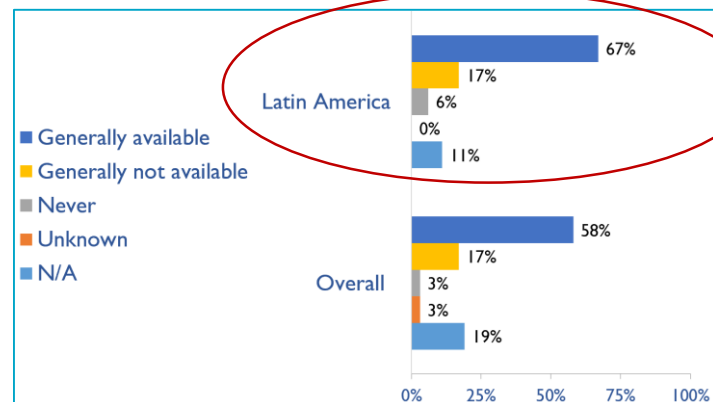
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Availability of services within dialysis care

HD frequency



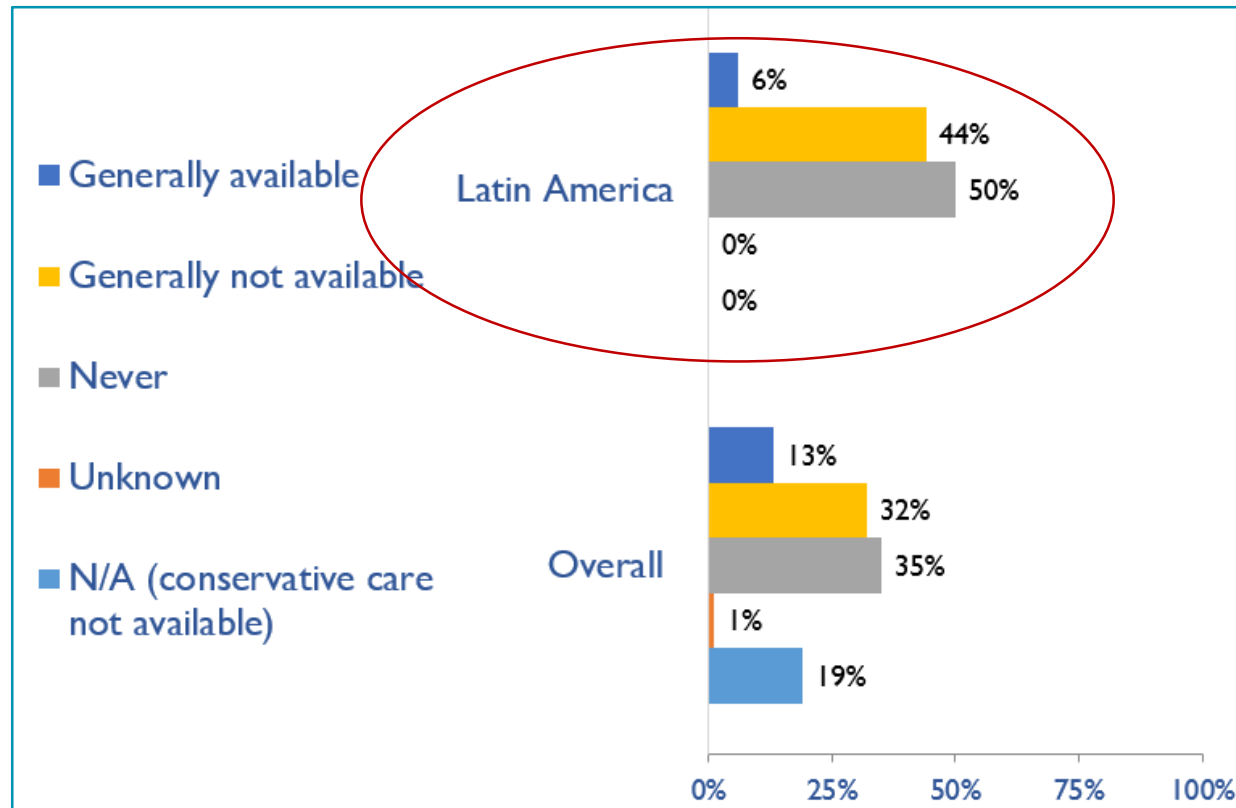
PD frequency



Country	HD frequency a center-based service that involves treatment 3x week/3-4x hours				PD frequency ability to do adequate exchanges 3-4x day (or equivalent cycles on automated PD)				
	Generally available	Generally not available	Never	Unknown	Generally available	Generally not available	Never	Unknown	N/A (dialysis not provided)
Argentina		X				X			
Bolivia	X						X		
Brazil	X				X				
British Virgin Islands	X								X
Chile	X				X				
Colombia	X					X			
Cuba	X				X				
Dominican Republic	X				X				
El Salvador		X			X				
Guatemala	X				X				
Haiti	X								X
Mexico	X				X				
Panama	X				X				
Paraguay	X					X			
Peru	X				X				
Puerto Rico	X				X				
Uruguay	X				X				
Venezuela, RB	X				X				

X : Yes

Availability of home hemodialysis

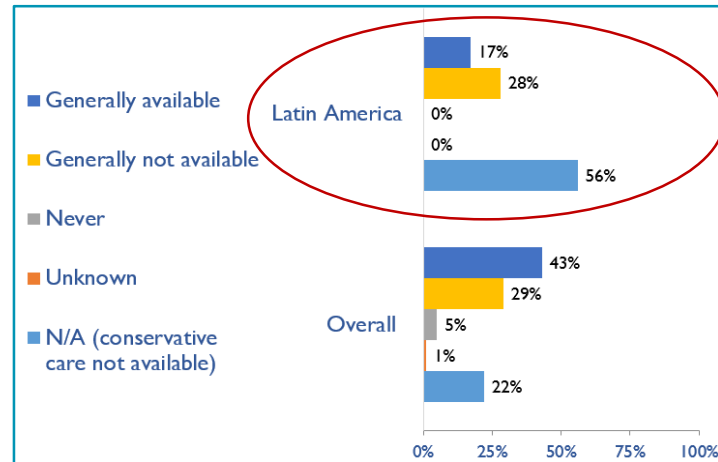


Country	Availability of Home hemodialysis				
	Generally available	Generally not available	Never	Unknown	N/A (dialysis not provided)
Argentina		X			
Bolivia			X		
Brazil		X			
British Virgin Islands			X		
Chile		X			
Colombia			X		
Cuba			X		
Dominican Republic			X		
El Salvador			X		
Guatemala		X			
Haiti			X		
Mexico		X			
Panama		X			
Paraguay			X		
Peru		X			
Puerto Rico	X				
Uruguay			X		
Venezuela, RB		X			

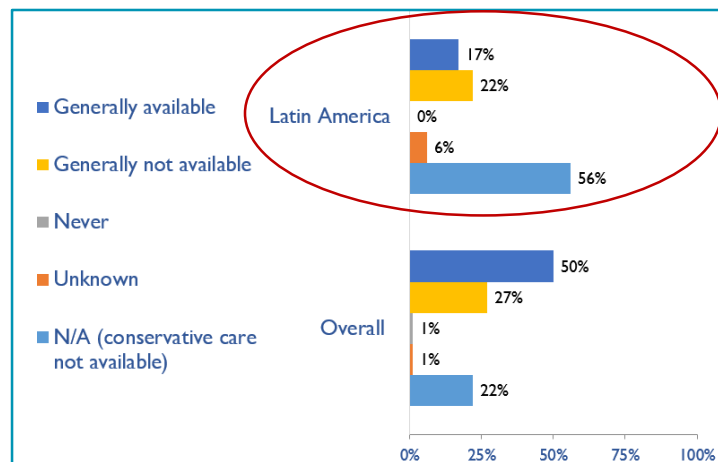
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Capacity for conservative kidney management (CKM)

Choice-restricted CKM



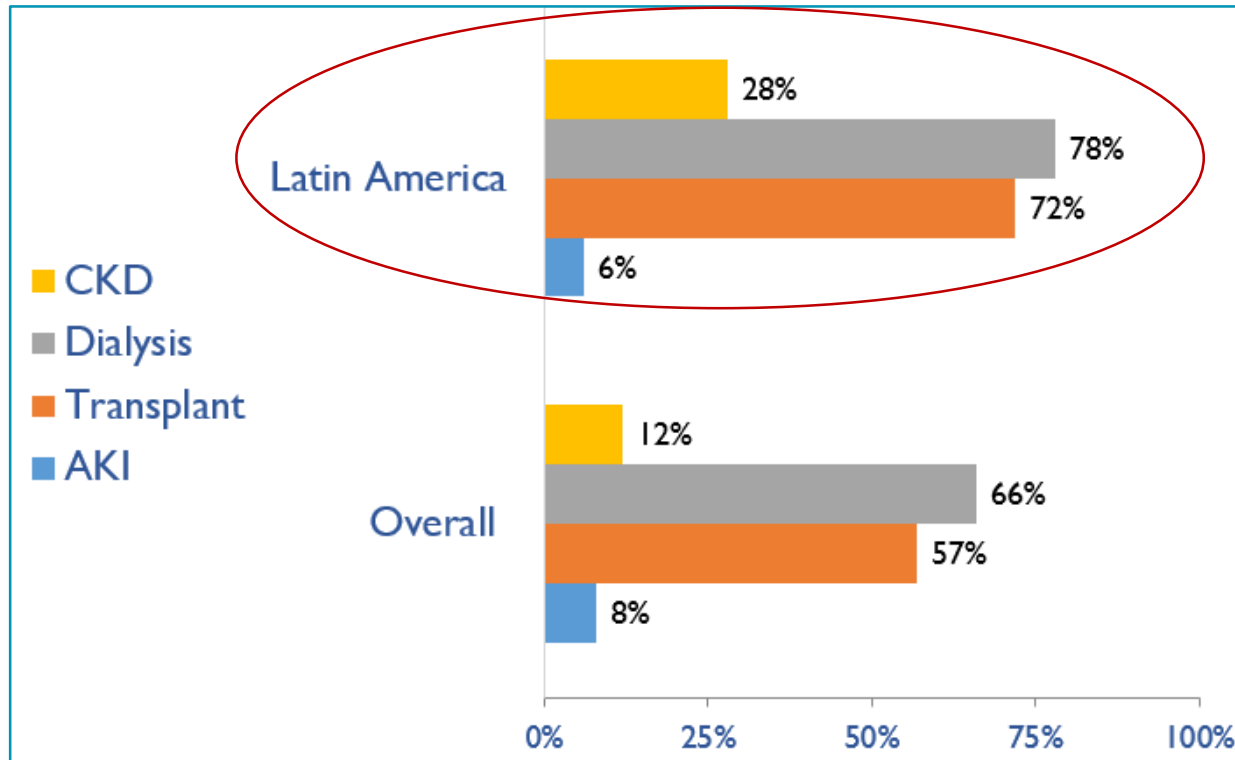
Chosen or medically advised CKM



Country	Established choice-restricted conservative care					Established conservative care that is chosen or medically advised				
	Generally available	Generally not available	Never	Unknown	N/A (conservative care not available)	Generally available	Generally not available	Never	Unknown	N/A (conservative care not available)
Argentina	X					X				
Bolivia					X					X
Brazil					X					X
British Virgin Islands	X					X				
Chile					X					X
Colombia		X					X			
Cuba		X					X			
Dominican Republic		X					X			
El Salvador					X					X
Guatemala					X					X
Haiti		X							X	
Mexico					X					X
Panama		X					X			
Paraguay	X					X				
Peru					X					X
Puerto Rico					X					X
Uruguay					X					X
Venezuela, RB					X					X

X :
Yes

Availability of official registry



Country	CKD	Dialysis	Transplant	AKI
Argentina	X	X	X	
Bolivia	X	X	X	
Brazil		X	X	
British Virgin Islands		X	X	X
Chile		X	X	
Colombia	X	X	X	
Cuba		X	X	
Dominican Republic		X	X	
El Salvador				
Guatemala		X		
Haiti				
Mexico			X	
Panama		X	X	
Paraguay		X	X	
Peru				
Puerto Rico	X	X	X	
Uruguay	X	X	X	
Venezuela, RB		X		

X :
Yes

Summary of 2019 GKHA findings

- Most countries in the region offer hemodialysis, peritoneal dialysis, and kidney transplantation
- Home hemodialysis is uncommon in Latin America and the Caribbean
- Availability of conservative kidney management is low in the region
- Government funding for kidney care is low; particularly for non-dialysis CKD services
- Most countries in the region have registries for CKD and transplant
- Many workforce limitations, especially nephrologists
- Little advocacy for kidney disease in Latin America and the Caribbean

Implications

- Increase health care financing for ESKD prevention and management
- Address workforce shortages through multidisciplinary teams and telemedicine
- Incorporate the collection and reporting of quality indicators in ESKD care
- Expand health information systems to prevent and manage ESKD
- Promote ESKD prevention and treatment by implementing policies, strategies, and advocacy, and mitigating barriers

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