

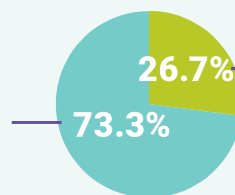
Kidney failure in the District of Columbia: 2023

Overview of kidney failure in the District of Columbia

2,932
Washingtonians are living
with kidney failure



2,149
Washingtonians
are on dialysis



783
Washingtonians are living
with a kidney transplant



LEADING CAUSES OF KIDNEY FAILURE

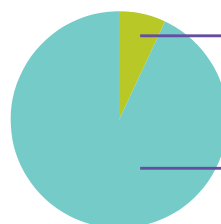
Percentage of kidney failure cases caused
by diabetes



Percentage of kidney failure cases caused
by high blood pressure



387 New cases of kidney failure diagnosed
in the District of Columbia in 2020
(most recent data available)



Received a kidney transplant: **27**

Began dialysis: **360**

The total number of Washingtonians living with kidney failure has increased by **16.9%** since 2010.

Kidney transplants in the District of Columbia

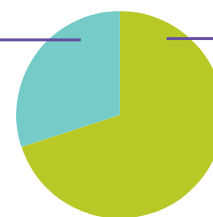


**ONLY ABOUT 1 IN 4 WASHINGTONIANS
ON THE KIDNEY TRANSPLANT WAITING LIST
RECEIVED A TRANSPLANT IN 2022.**



1,241
Washingtonians are on the kidney
transplant waiting list*

105
living donor
transplants
performed in
the District of
Columbia



238
deceased donor
transplants
performed in
the District of
Columbia



343
transplants performed in the District of
Columbia in 2022, a **97.1% increase** from
2012



Compared to 2012, there was an
128.3% increase in living donor kidney
transplants

*As of February 17, 2023

Sources: U.S. Renal Data System 2022 Annual Data Report, Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network; Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System

Health disparities in kidney failure

KIDNEY FAILURE HAS A DISPROPORTIONATE IMPACT ON PEOPLE OF COLOR. COMPARED TO WHITE AMERICANS, THE LIKELIHOOD OF DEVELOPING KIDNEY FAILURE IS:

4.2X

greater for Black Americans

2.3X

greater for American Indians

1.5X

greater for Asian Americans

1.5X

greater for people of Hispanic/Latino ethnicity than people of non-Hispanic/Latino ethnicity.

THE AMERICAN KIDNEY FUND (AKF) PROVIDES FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO:

1 out of 19

White Americans with kidney failure

1 out of 11

Black Americans with kidney failure

1 out of 10

Hispanic/Latino Americans with kidney failure

Why people with kidney failure need financial assistance from AKF:

Kidney failure is a disability. Dialysis is life support. Treating kidney failure and its comorbidities is more consuming than a full-time job: more than **80% of people on dialysis cannot work.**



98

Washingtonians on dialysis and living with transplants received grants from AKF in 2022 to pay for their insurance premiums and other health care-related costs not covered by insurance.



\$304,609

in charitable assistance from AKF ensured that low-income the District of Columbia dialysis and transplant patients could afford their lifesaving health care in 2022.



INSURANCE BREAKDOWN OF AMERICANS WHO RECEIVED CHARITABLE PREMIUM ASSISTANCE FROM AKF IN 2022

Medicare Part B: **40.9%**

Medicare Advantage: **1.3%**

Medigap: **27.2%**

Commercial Employer Group Plans (including COBRA): **17.7%**