



## Palliative Care in Kidney Disease

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### Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

This special issue of Healthcare will focus on palliative care in kidney disease. Patients with end-stage kidney disease (ESKD) experience significant morbidity and mortality issues. ESKD requires an interdisciplinary palliative care approach starting at the point of diagnosis and continuing throughout the patient's life.

We will feature original research and include interesting clinical studies, reviews, short reports, narratives and opinion pieces from researchers interested in this research topic. We welcome papers focused on: (1) the role of supportive and palliative care in kidney disease for both patients, carers and/or healthcare staff; (2) provide specific learning points for multidisciplinary HCPs working in renal healthcare where palliative care is provided; (3) advocate for an interdisciplinary palliative care approach for patients and families; (4) highlight the need for continued appropriate and integrated psychosocial care for people living with kidney disease.

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