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COVID-19 and Renal Disease

Message from the Guest Editor

The prevalence of acute kidney injury and/or chronic kidney disease and/or abnormal urinalysis in patients diagnosed with COVID-19 seems to be high and appears as a negative prognostic factor. Urinalysis appears to be very useful in unveiling potential kidney impairment of COVID-19 patients therefore urinalysis could be used to reflect and predict the disease severity. Therefore we believe it is important to evaluate short and long term renal impairment in SARS-COV2 infection. Moreover electrolytic, inflammatory and metabolic alterations should be evaluated in these patients, as they could worsen the prognosis in the short and long term. Another important aspect to evaluate is the response to SARS-COV 2 vaccines which have in some cases presented renal involvement.

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