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## Kidney Disease: Biomarkers, Diagnosis, and Prognosis: 3rd Edition

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Chronic kidney disease (CKD) and end-stage renal disease (ESRD) are a worldwide public health problem, with increasing incidence and prevalence, high costs and poor outcomes. To overcome this problem, it is indispensable for us to explore or establish early detection methods/techniques and better treatment options for various kidney diseases such as primary/secondary glomerulonephritis, rapidly progressive glomerulonephritis, nephrotic syndrome, acute kidney injury, diabetic nephropathy/diabetic kidney disease, chronic renal failure, renal fibrosis and polycystic kidney disease.

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