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Nutritional Approach for Patients with Advanced CKD

Message from the Guest Editor

Dietetic-nutritional therapy is an important component of conservative management care for patients suffering from chronic kidney disease. This factor is becoming more and more relevant in the advanced stages of CKD when it is crucial to delay or even avoid the beginning of dialysis treatment. The recent KDOQI guidelines support the implementation of nutritional treatment for CKD, but concerns about the safety and applicability of low-protein regimes still prevent the widespread use of protein-restricted regimens in clinical practice. This Special Issue aims to present a collection of papers that report clinical experiences and different nutritional treatment strategies for patients with advanced stage CKD, including those in pre-emptive transplant programs and those with infrequent or incremental dialysis schedules.

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