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The NCC has subscribed to numerous listservs and publications in order to assist the Networks in sorting through the communications received daily.

Below are articles and newsletters that relate to ESRD.

Please feel free to share this information with your Network staff, facilities, and patients. We welcome your feedback.

Available Articles/Newsletters

Dialysis patients are better protected against hepatitis B when vaccinated for hepatitis A and B

Nephrology News & Issues

September 29, 2010

Study finds why some dialysis centers might have higher survival rates

Nephrology News & Issues

September 29, 2010

USRDS releases annual report

Nephrology News & Issues

September 29, 2010

Peritoneal Dialysis Underused Despite Good Results

Nephrology News & Issues

September 27, 2010

Satellite launches cost-control tools for independent dialysis clinics

Nephrology News & Issues

September 27, 2010

Report shows anemia managers are targeting lower hgb levels

Nephrology News & Issues

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HHS requests comments on strategies to reduce health care-associated infections

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CMS details the new bundled payment model in open forum call

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ASNC: Renal Disease May Alter Response to Vasodilators

medpage Today

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Cholesterol matters in kidney disease patients

Nephrology News & Issues

September 24, 2010

Equation Helps Monitor AV Fistula Function in Dialysis Patients

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Study finds simple way to monitor AVF function in dialysis patients

Nephrology News & Issues

September 23, 2010

CROWNWeb Phase III: What Users Can Expect

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September 23, 2010

Should you opt in or phase in for the ESRD payment bundle?

Nephrology News & Issues

September 22, 2010

CMS releases report from Arbor Research on proposed quality measures

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Fourth Annual Tour DaVita to Kick Off in Tacoma

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DaVita Launches Series of Kidney Awareness Run/Walks

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RPA revises guidelines on initiating dialysis

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CMS Expects 1.2 Percent Increase in Dialysis Patient Co-Pays

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OIG Concerned Medicare Will Overpay for Bundled ESRD Drugs

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Processed foods with phosphorus additives contribute to chronic kidney disease

Nephrology News & Issues

September 15, 2010

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