

FISTULA FIRST RECOGNITION PROGRAM

The 2009 Recognition Program, approved by the Medical Review Board's Vascular Access Committee, continues to recognize facilities that achieve AVF rates above the Network average. **Network 5 currently has an overall AVF rate of 50.5%**, therefore we will recognize facilities achieving a 50% or greater AVF rate, which has been maintained for at least three (3) consecutive months. Recognition is for AVFs *in use*, not the total number of AVFs placed in the patient population. Below are the facility rankings for the 3rd quarter (July, August, and September) 2009:

3RD QUARTER 2009

FANTASTIC FIFTIES

AVF rate of 50% to 59.9%, maintained for 3 months

District of Columbia

DaVita - Eighth Street
DaVita - K Street Dialysis
DaVita - SE
Howard University Hospital

West Virginia

FMC - Bruceton Mills
FMC - Clarksburg
FMC - Ripley
FMC - Two Virginias
New Martinsville Dialysis Facility
West Virginia University Hospitals, Inc
Wheeling Dialysis Center

Maryland

25th Street Dialysis Inc
Baltimore County Dialysis Facility
BMA - Bethesda
Carroll County Dialysis Facility
DaVita - Berlin Dialysis
DaVita - Catonsville
DaVita - Cottage City
DaVita - Frederick
DaVita - Glen Burnie Dialysis
DaVita - Howard County
DaVita - Lakeside
DaVita - Owings Mills
DaVita - Silver Spring
DaVita - White Square
Deers Head Center

FMC - Anne Arundel
FMC - Hagerstown
FMC - Prince Georges County
FMC - Waldorf
FMC of Porter Dialysis - Dundalk
FMC of Porter Dialysis - Pikesville
FMC of Porter Dialysis - Rosedale
Greenspring Dialysis Center
Holy Cross Dialysis - Woodmore
IDF - Allegany Center
Pikesville Dialysis
Quality Care Dialysis - Southern MD
Renal Care & Mngmnt - Takoma Park
Renal Care of Bowie, LLC
Rivertowne Dialysis Center

Virginia

Appomattox Dialysis Center
Artificial Kidney Center - Suffolk
BMA - New River Valley
BMA - North Roanoke
BMA - Roanoke-Salem Dialysis
BMA - West End
BMA - Wytheville
CDC - Sterling/Dulles
DaVita - Chester
DaVita - Harrisonburg
DaVita - Henrico County
DaVita - Mechanicsville
DaVita - Radford
DaVita - Staunton
DaVita - Tyson's Corner
DaVita - Virginia Beach
DCA - Ashland
DCA - Warsaw
First Landing Dialysis Center
Forest Park Dialysis Center
Fredericksburg Dialysis Center
FMC - Abingdon
FMC - Prince William County

FMC - Spotsylvania
FMC - Virginia Beach
Great Bridge Dialysis Center
Haymarket Dialysis
Leesburg Virginia Dialysis
Leigh Dialysis Center
Liberty Dialysis Petersburg
Orange Dialysis Facility
Peninsula Dialysis Center
Purcellville Dialysis Center
RAI - John Tyler Hwy-Williamsburg
Renal Care Group - Patrick County
Renal CarePartners - Fairfax
Southside Regional Medical Center
Tappahannock Dialysis Center
Total Renal Care - East End
Total Renal Care - Fairfax
Total Renal Care - Hopewell
Total Renal Care - Richmond Community
VA Hospital - Salem
Winchester Dialysis
Zions Cross Roads Dialysis



STUPENDOUS SIXTIES

AVF rate of 60 to 69.9%, maintained for 3 months

Maryland

DaVita - North Rolling Road Dialysis
DaVita - J.B. Zachary
DCA - Chevy Chase
Elk River Kidney Center
Holy Cross Hospital
Kidney Care of Laurel
Renal Treatment Center - Wheaton

West Virginia

BMA - Morgantown
DaVita - Parkersburg
FMC - Elkins
FMC - Fairmont
FMC - Weston
Mountain Ridge Dialysis
Renal Center of Moorefield, LLC

Virginia

BMA - Franklin County
CDC - Manassas
CDC - Springfield
CDC - Woodbridge
Chesapeake Kidney Center
DaVita - Amelia
DaVita - Alexandria
DaVita - Hioaks Dialysis
DaVita - Midlothian Dialysis
Dominion Dialysis Center

Fair Oaks Dialysis
Fairfax Dialysis Center
First Colonial - DaVita at Home
Front Royal Dialysis
Franconia Dialysis Center
Lexington Dialysis
Renal CarePartners - Woodbridge
Renal CarePartners of Reston LLC
UVA Page Dialysis
VA Hospital - Richmond

SIZZLING SEVENTIES

AVF rate of 70 to 79.9%, maintained for 3 months

Virginia

BMA - Giles
BMA - Twin County
Reston Dialysis Center
UVA Augusta Dialysis

Maryland

BMA - La Plata

EXCEPTIONAL EIGHTIES

AVF rate of 80% or greater, maintained for 3 months

Virginia

Garrisonville Dialysis Center

Do you know your facility's AVF goal? Please review your monthly Fistula First Feedback Report and share the additional copies provided with your nephrologists. Data should be incorporated into your QAPI program. Please contact Nancy Gregory at ngregory@nw5.esrd.net or 804.794.3757 if you have any questions or concerns.