

Interview Participant, Integrated Palliative Nephrology Evaluation Project

Role description

BC Renal is seeking patients and family caregivers who have been receiving kidney care to participate in an interview. The goal of the interview is to understand patient and family caregiver perspectives and experiences related to advance care planning discussions and end-of-life care. Results from all interviews will inform how we can improve the quality of life in people living with chronic kidney disease.

Level of engagement

Consult: BC Renal will listen to and acknowledge your ideas and concerns, and provide feedback on how your input affected the decision.

Requirements

- Patients and/or family caregivers who have been receiving kidney care in BC
- Comfortable in working and sharing your care experiences

We are hoping to recruit diverse voices and welcome patient partners of various ages, genders, geographical areas and cultural backgrounds from across the province.

Number of positions available

At least 20

Commitment

- Maximum 1 hour interview by phone or Zoom (i.e. video call)
- The interview will be scheduled at a time convenient for you
- If a patient is participating with their family caregiver, both participants will be arranged to join the interview at the same time
- Participants will require to have access to phone, or an electronic device to use Zoom
- Interview is available in English

Compensation

An honorarium of \$25 will be offered to each participant as a token of appreciation.

RSVP questions

Please respond to the following questions by email (patientengagement@bcrenal.ca) or phone (604-875-7340) by **January 15, 2022**:

1. Provide your name, email, phone number.
2. Which renal program are you or your family member in (i.e., Fraser Health, Interior Health, Island Health, Northern Health, Providence Health Care, or Vancouver Coastal Health)?
3. Which type of kidney treatment/ care are you (or is your family member) receiving (i.e. non-dialysis care, hemodialysis, home hemodialysis, peritoneal dialysis)?