

The value of the ERA Registry

Europe's central source for kidney data

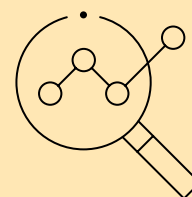


The ERA Registry collects, analyses and shares real-world data on kidney replacement therapy (KRT) – a life-saving treatment for kidney failure that includes dialysis and kidney transplantation – across Europe, making it possible to follow patients over time.

With near-complete coverage, it delivers insights that improve patient care, guide healthcare policy, support research and highlight inequalities in treatment.

At a glance

The ERA Registry turns data into action, advancing research, improving care and promoting equitable, sustainable kidney health across Europe.



Key areas of impact

Understanding the KRT landscape

- Tracks outcomes and life expectancy for both dialysis and kidney transplantation
- Monitors patient characteristics, including (rare) primary renal diseases, and KRT trajectories
- Identifies best practices and trends over time to guide care strategies



Key value

Transforms raw data into practical insights that guide patient care and improve outcomes.



Research and collaboration

- Facilitates multinational research and new hypotheses
- Supports research fellowships and research collaborations
- Serves as a centre of epidemiological expertise



Key value

Connects experts and data to accelerate research and strengthen clinical evidence.



Benchmarking and policy impact

- Enables cross-country learning to improve clinical practice
- Tracks the impact of policies, demographics, and risk factors on dialysis use and kidney transplantation
- Raises awareness of CKD burden and the importance of prevention, supporting evidence-based policymaking and resource planning



Key value

Turns pan-European evidence into smarter policies and more efficient healthcare systems.



Revealing geographic variation

- Highlights differences in access, transplant rates and care for older adults
- Uncovers regional inequities in KRT delivery
- Supports fairer healthcare planning and resource allocation. For example, Finland increased pre-emptive transplants after data revealed they were the lowest in Europe



Key value

Exposes inequalities across Europe to drive more equitable kidney care.



Find out more here:

www.era-online.org/research-education/era-registry

