



# National Kidney Foundation<sup>™</sup> of Illinois

## KIDNEY DISEASE BY THE NUMBERS

### POPULATION

26 Million	American adults have chronic kidney disease (CKD)
900,000	Illinoisians have CKD and most don't know it!
15,000	Kidney patients in Illinois receive dialysis at least 3 times per week to replace kidney function
80,000	People die annually due to CKD, making it the ninth leading cause of death in the U.S.
75%	Of new dialysis patients have DIABETES and/or HYPERTENSION as the underlying cause of irreversible kidney failure
4,800	individuals are waiting for an organ transplant in Illinois
18	people die each day while waiting for an organ transplant

### COST

\$20 Billion	Annual cost of the Medicare ESRD program
\$42 Billion	Annual Medicare expenditures to treat people with CKD
\$71,000	Medicare spending on dialysis per-patient per-year