

KCC Updates

KCC training webinars

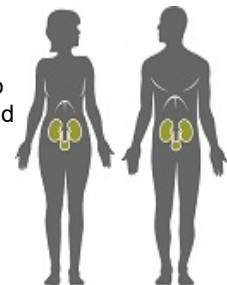
Monthly training webinars for Kidney Care Clinic staff started last fall have been well received, with 20-30 participants attending per session. Ratings for the sessions indicate participants are very satisfied with the content and format of the presentation.

The KCC webinars take place the last Thursday of every month from 12 to 1 pm and feature topics of practical interest to KCC staff. Sessions are moderated and participants are encouraged to join the discussion and ask questions. [Presentations](#) are posted on the BCPRA website after each session.

The next webinar will be February 23. To participate or for more information, speak with your KCC Manager or any member of the KCC Committee. You can also email [Alexis Whatley](#) at the BC Renal Agency, or reach her by phone at 604-875-7346.

New focus on living kidney donors

The Kidney Care Committee, in collaboration with BC Transplant, has formed a working group to focus on ways to increase the number of living donors providing kidneys for transplant. It is hoped that with focused effort in this area, the rate of living kidney donor transplants for KCC patients can be doubled.



KCC staff orientation

An orientation guide for new Kidney Care Clinic (KCC) staff members is now available on the BC Renal Agency website. The guide, in versions suitable for [Clinical](#) and [Clerical](#) staff, provides lists of topics and relevant links and resources. Topics covered include the basics of kidney disease, best practices for KCCs and KCC guidelines, patient handouts and modality choices education.
