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Table C.1

Number of Medical Evidence Forms Filed*by year of Medicare certification*

	Form version		For this patient, this form is			All
	Pre-1995	1995 revision	1st form filed	2nd form filed	3rd or later	
1960-1972	175	.	175	.	.	175
1973	1,411	.	1,408	*	.	1,411
1974	3,443	.	3,440	*	.	3,443
1975	4,196	.	4,185	11	.	4,196
1976	4,830	.	4,823	*	.	4,830
1977	6,863	.	6,853	10	.	6,863
1978	7,036	.	7,020	15	*	7,036
1979	7,655	.	7,643	12	.	7,655
1980	9,740	.	9,726	14	.	9,740
1981	14,281	.	14,245	36	.	14,281
1982	20,206	.	20,127	78	*	20,206
1983	21,950	.	21,876	72	*	21,950
1984	24,566	.	24,419	145	*	24,566
1985	27,429	.	27,263	160	*	27,429
1986	30,296	.	30,078	216	*	30,296
1987	33,802	.	33,566	229	*	33,802
1988	36,276	.	36,046	222	*	36,276
1989	42,178	.	41,903	269	*	42,178
1990	48,126	.	47,781	336	*	48,126
1991	53,022	.	52,657	356	*	53,022
1992	59,005	.	58,586	404	15	59,005
1993	58,420	.	57,764	609	47	58,420
1994	70,997	.	67,958	2,693	346	70,997
1995	19,405	51,973	67,857	3,308	213	71,378
1996	112	79,553	76,251	3,205	209	79,665
1997	67	84,976	81,610	3,244	189	85,043
1998	366	90,063	86,769	3,398	262	90,429
1999	93	94,298	90,188	3,764	439	94,391
2000	*	97,844	93,316	4,164	367	97,847
2001	*	102,044	97,261	4,362	422	102,045
2002 [^]	*	68,131	64,929	2,881	322	68,132
All	605,951	668,882	1,237,723	34,226	2,884	1,274,833

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Table C.2

Counts of New ESRD Patients, with or without a Medical Evidence Form: by Data Source

incident patients

	Percent with no CMS-2728	Version of CMS 2728			Source of data of 1st ESRD service			*Patient ever been Medicare entitled?		Pts used in remaining C tables	All
		No form	Pre-1995	1995 Revision	CMS-2728	Medicare claims	STx record	No	Yes		
1960-1972	21.6	199	624	97	649	30	241	.	.		920
1973	2.7	93	3,317	31	3,296	22	123	.	.		3,441
1974	2.1	88	4,101	14	4,071	33	99	.	.		4,203
1975	2.0	102	5,088	22	5,050	39	123	.	.		5,212
1976	1.6	91	5,758	18	5,715	32	120	.	.		5,867
1977	60.5	13,249	8,516	144	6,142	15,456	311	.	.		21,909
1978	41.4	5,995	8,417	77	6,243	7,884	362	350	14,139		14,489
1979	41.9	6,804	9,323	111	6,730	9,117	391	345	15,893		16,238
1980	37.2	6,481	10,828	118	8,065	8,949	413	437	16,990		17,427
1981	17.9	3,500	15,941	118	13,581	5,574	404	520	19,039		19,559
1982	7.0	1,539	20,514	83	19,303	2,295	538	691	21,445		22,136
1983	11.6	2,982	22,654	84	20,276	4,906	538	781	24,939		25,720
1984	6.1	1,640	25,195	91	20,840	5,485	601	767	26,159		26,926
1985	5.5	1,638	28,071	117	21,420	7,691	715	853	28,973		29,826
1986	6.0	1,949	30,371	164	21,127	10,450	907	878	31,606		32,484
1987	5.8	2,073	33,415	213	22,976	11,514	1,211	1,215	34,486		35,701
1988	8.0	3,206	36,487	277	24,769	13,383	1,818	1,961	38,009		39,970
1989	6.3	2,858	41,995	302	28,188	15,140	1,827	2,059	43,096		45,155
1990	6.3	3,106	45,553	341	32,511	14,628	1,861	2,287	46,713		49,000
1991	5.2	2,861	51,326	396	31,166	21,608	1,809	2,648	51,935		54,583
1992	4.6	2,718	56,256	528	34,683	23,013	1,806	3,032	56,470		59,502
1993	10.6	6,538	54,683	742	33,717	26,166	2,080	3,841	58,122		61,963
1994	9.2	6,696	64,644	1,373	40,679	30,303	1,731	9,233	63,480	351	72,713
1995	4.4	3,227	14,048	55,613	46,123	25,178	1,587	7,882	65,006	54,613	72,888
1996	1.6	1,223	160	76,498	50,025	26,309	1,547	8,963	68,918	75,170	77,881
1997	1.2	1,000	67	80,988	55,078	25,390	1,587	10,265	71,790	80,079	82,055
1998	1.3	1,091	339	85,747	60,192	25,306	1,679	11,226	75,951	85,106	87,177
1999	2.0	1,860	74	90,042	63,623	26,287	2,066	12,660	79,316	89,156	91,976
2000	1.8	1,744	49	92,861	65,116	27,272	2,266	13,527	81,127	92,275	94,654
2001	1.7	1,675	35	94,622	66,919	27,205	2,208	14,507	81,825	94,535	96,332
2002 [^]	5.6	3,387	12	57,524	49,093	9,595	2,235	.	.	57,524	60,923
All	6.9	91,613	597,861	639,356	867,366	426,260	35,204	110,928	1,115,427	628,809	1,328,830

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*Medicare entitlement determined from the payor sequence. See Appendix A, page 185.

§ Represents CMS & UNOS transplant records.

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Table C.3

Counts of New ESRD Patients, with or without a Medical Evidence Form: by Race*incident patients*

	White	Black	Nat. Am/ Alas. Native	Asian	Pacific Islander	Mid-East/ Arabian	Indian Sub- continent	Other/ Multiracial	Unknown	No CMS- 2728	All
1960-1972	520	143	*	10	*	.	*	*	37	199	920
1973	413	122	*	*	*	.	.	.	2,796	93	3,441
1974	509	147	*	10	*	.	*	.	3,435	88	4,203
1975	577	192	*	*	*	.	*	*	4,312	102	5,212
1976	599	210	*	14	*	.	.	*	4,940	91	5,867
1977	1,385	451	19	29	15	.	.	*	6,753	13,249	21,909
1978	1,264	445	34	34	12	.	.	*	6,702	5,995	14,489
1979	1,591	562	33	35	23	.	.	*	7,186	6,804	16,238
1980	1,926	764	54	52	23	*	*	*	8,121	6,481	17,427
1981	5,498	2,268	119	129	25	.	*	*	8,017	3,500	19,559
1982	13,849	5,499	194	307	31	*	.	*	710	1,539	22,136
1983	15,140	6,395	266	322	167	*	*	*	439	2,982	25,720
1984	16,780	7,065	271	381	349	.	*	*	434	1,640	26,926
1985	18,695	7,818	276	504	334	*	.	*	556	1,638	29,826
1986	20,039	8,251	339	514	443	*	*	*	940	1,949	32,484
1987	21,701	9,146	362	569	540	*	*	*	1,298	2,073	35,701
1988	23,480	10,002	470	677	378	*	*	12	1,742	3,206	39,970
1989	27,160	11,921	545	839	*	*	*	*	1,812	2,858	45,155
1990	29,778	12,598	578	1,057	*	*	*	13	1,860	3,106	49,000
1991	33,336	14,466	672	1,138	*	*	*	17	2,077	2,861	54,583
1992	36,375	16,034	788	1,316	*	*	*	25	2,237	2,718	59,502
1993	34,707	15,635	668	1,382	*	14	*	25	2,979	6,538	61,963
1994	41,116	18,825	874	1,938	12	11	*	52	3,184	6,696	72,713
1995	42,538	20,603	1,127	1,742	502	184	161	1,749	1,055	3,227	72,888
1996	46,757	22,612	1,283	1,846	586	200	491	2,203	680	1,223	77,881
1997	50,524	23,571	918	1,800	587	201	541	2,348	565	1,000	82,055
1998	53,585	25,149	1,348	2,039	792	276	252	2,283	362	1,091	87,177
1999	57,021	25,723	1,093	2,218	746	304	260	2,332	419	1,860	91,976
2000	58,716	26,063	1,136	2,153	806	380	293	2,797	566	1,744	94,654
2001	60,386	26,667	1,111	2,264	870	341	331	2,336	351	1,675	96,332
2002 [^]	36,430	16,568	622	1,390	542	224	179	1,374	207	3,387	60,923
All	752,395	335,915	15,238	26,726	7,836	2,159	2,540	17,636	76,772	91,613	1,328,830

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Table C.4

Patient Counts*incident patients by demographic characteristics & primary diagnosis*

	1995 [^]	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002 [^]	All
0-4	52	100	105	83	85	89	106	36	656
5-9	96	139	120	126	141	142	131	61	956
10-14	166	254	269	256	275	284	281	127	1,912
15-19	369	556	508	518	570	539	552	233	3,845
20-24	641	995	937	986	933	948	1,010	408	6,858
25-29	1,031	1,635	1,658	1,685	1,627	1,674	1,624	632	11,566
30-34	1,590	2,413	2,368	2,403	2,401	2,412	2,316	997	16,900
35-39	2,052	3,271	3,280	3,287	3,378	3,270	3,276	1,402	23,216
40-44	2,629	4,221	4,196	4,496	4,483	4,610	4,594	1,968	31,197
45-49	3,155	5,228	5,344	5,746	5,955	6,094	6,209	2,732	40,463
50-54	3,509	5,706	6,284	6,851	7,467	7,712	8,300	3,563	49,392
55-59	4,189	6,722	7,283	7,916	8,427	8,793	9,065	4,118	56,513
60-64	5,205	8,321	8,788	9,334	9,535	9,912	10,224	4,479	65,798
65-69	6,026	9,979	10,575	10,865	10,975	11,236	11,461	4,959	76,076
70-74	6,062	10,385	11,004	11,424	11,733	12,084	12,316	5,311	80,319
75-79	4,705	8,175	9,133	9,949	10,929	11,287	11,382	5,141	70,701
80-84	2,763	4,813	5,601	6,031	6,638	7,255	7,454	3,686	44,241
85+	1,195	2,142	2,490	2,994	3,452	3,707	4,010	1,936	21,926
Unknown	57	115	136	156	152	227	224	92	1,159
0-19	683	1,049	1,002	983	1,071	1,054	1,070	457	7,369
20-44	7,943	12,535	12,439	12,857	12,822	12,914	12,820	5,407	89,737
45-64	16,058	25,977	27,699	29,847	31,384	32,511	33,798	14,892	212,166
65-74	12,088	20,364	21,579	22,289	22,708	23,320	23,777	10,270	156,395
75+	8,663	15,130	17,224	18,974	21,019	22,249	22,846	10,763	136,868
Unknown	57	115	136	156	152	227	224	92	1,159
Male	23,879	40,116	42,608	45,240	47,636	49,351	50,804	22,872	322,506
Female	21,613	35,054	37,471	39,866	41,520	42,923	43,730	19,009	281,186
Unknown	.	.	.	.	.	*	*	.	*
White	27,649	45,740	49,853	53,093	56,407	58,336	60,325	26,599	378,002
Black	13,462	22,295	23,347	24,997	25,492	25,905	26,644	12,089	174,231
Native American/Alaskan Native	796	1,278	912	1,165	1,086	1,131	1,110	456	7,934
Asian	1,104	1,824	1,787	1,947	2,184	2,129	2,264	989	14,228
Pacific Islander	414	581	583	787	731	799	869	371	5,135
Middle-eastern/Arabian	147	193	199	271	298	378	339	155	1,980
Indian Subcontinent	128	488	540	247	255	291	331	123	2,403
Other/multiracial	1,424	2,173	2,330	2,268	2,311	2,787	2,333	976	16,602
Unknown	368	598	528	331	392	519	320	123	3,179
Hispanic-Mexican		5,408	5,223	5,614	6,101	6,922	6,900	3,256	42,707
Hispanic-other		3,284	3,615	3,898	4,157	4,237	4,612	2,083	27,900
Non-Hispanic		66,146	70,971	75,266	78,517	80,783	82,859	36,457	530,890
Unknown		332	270	328	381	333	164	85	2,197
Diabetes	19,250	32,507	35,136	37,602	39,654	41,661	42,783	18,913	267,506
Hypertension	11,725	19,575	21,237	22,499	23,849	24,505	25,406	11,412	160,208
Glomerulonephritis	5,178	8,175	8,190	8,348	8,333	8,101	7,974	3,608	57,907
Cystic kidney	1,222	1,861	1,956	2,124	2,157	2,151	2,207	914	14,592
Other urologic	879	1,535	1,471	1,549	1,651	1,614	1,586	710	10,995
Other cause	5,500	8,497	8,916	9,521	10,007	10,414	10,663	4,656	68,174
Unknown cause	1,707	2,965	3,127	3,417	3,453	3,798	3,913	1,668	24,048
Missing	31	55	46	46	52	31	*	.	264
All	45,492	75,170	80,079	85,106	89,156	92,275	94,535	41,881	603,694

The age of the incident patient is determined as of the date of ESRD initiation. Data are based on first & new Medical Evidence forms certified within 12 months of first ESRD service date & filed between May 1995 & April 2002.

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Table C.5

Patient Counts: by ESRD Network

incident patients, by race & ethnicity, May 1995-April 2002 combined

	White	Black	Nat. Am/ Alas. Native	Asian	Pacific Islander	Mid-East/ Arabian	Indian Subcontinent	Other/ Multiracial	Unk.	All
1 CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT	18,771	3,059	49	294	27	54	43	394	438	23,129
2 NY	24,280	13,761	190	1,149	85	172	348	1,881	754	42,620
3 NJ, PR, VI	13,816	6,992	36	346	80	101	179	6,694	104	28,348
4 DE, PA	22,973	7,690	57	195	22	41	54	397	213	31,642
5 MD, DC, VA, WV	17,855	17,728	87	423	121	120	91	367	108	36,900
6 NC, SC, GA	19,989	26,678	846	609	37	33	66	411	34	48,703
7 FL	24,285	11,084	55	252	74	97	99	463	28	36,437
8 AL, MS, TN	15,397	15,999	110	108	23	27	22	70	24	31,780
9 IN, KY, OH	33,485	11,330	52	163	23	50	47	301	228	45,679
10 IL	16,584	9,149	41	409	98	80	129	370	103	26,963
11 MI, MN, ND, SD, WI	29,203	9,261	1,054	450	53	196	57	205	14	40,493
12 IA, KS, MO, NE	19,064	5,040	255	184	33	35	27	209	27	24,874
13 AR, LA, OK	13,394	11,232	1,068	135	27	13	23	233	11	26,136
14 TX	30,135	11,174	308	498	91	106	108	1,772	281	44,473
15 AZ, CO, NV, NM, UT, WY	19,446	1,906	2,565	390	207	59	39	737	162	25,511
16 AK, ID, MT, OR, WA	13,514	1,085	615	592	353	30	33	115	*	16,338
17 N. CA, HI, Guam, AS	15,373	4,124	322	4,363	2,860	201	196	1,062	232	28,733
18 S. CA	30,438	6,939	224	3,668	921	565	842	921	417	44,935
Unknown										
All	378,002	174,231	7,934	14,228	5,135	1,980	2,403	16,602	3,179	603,694

	Hispanic Mexican	Hispanic Other	Non- Hispanic	Unk.	All
1 CT, MA, ME, NH, RI, VT	77	1,072	21,101	879	23,129
2 NY	232	4,611	37,293	484	42,620
3 NJ, PR, VI	136	8,923	19,129	160	28,348
4 DE, PA	56	526	31,009	51	31,642
5 MD, DC, VA, WV	119	440	36,297	44	36,900
6 NC, SC, GA	1,201	268	47,233	*	48,703
7 FL	326	3,790	32,297	24	36,437
8 AL, MS, TN	48	57	31,673	*	31,780
9 IN, KY, OH	380	228	44,983	88	45,679
10 IL	1,464	604	24,852	43	26,963
11 MI, MN, ND, SD, WI	688	323	39,480	*	40,493
12 IA, KS, MO, NE	598	111	24,111	54	24,874
13 AR, LA, OK	208	188	25,736	*	26,136
14 TX	14,881	1,430	28,123	39	44,473
15 AZ, CO, NV, NM, UT, WY	4,288	1,596	19,615	12	25,511
16 AK, ID, MT, OR, WA	707	156	15,475	.	16,338
17 N. CA, HI, Guam, AS	4,269	1,066	23,100	298	28,733
18 S. CA	13,029	2,511	29,383	12	44,935
Unknown					
All	42,707	27,900	530,890	2,197	603,694

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Table C.6

Percent Distribution of Patients: by Race & Hispanic Ethnicity*incident patients*

	1995 [^]	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002 [^]
White	60.8	60.8	62.3	62.4	63.3	63.2	63.8	63.5
Black	29.6	29.7	29.2	29.4	28.6	28.1	28.2	28.9
Native American/Alaskan Native	1.7	1.7	1.1	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1
Asian	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.4
Pacific Islander	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9
Mid-East/Arabian	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4
Indian Subcontinent	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3
Other/multiracial	3.1	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.6	3.0	2.5	2.3
Unknown	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.3
Hispanic-Mexican		7.2	6.5	6.6	6.8	7.5	7.3	7.8
Hispanic-Other		4.4	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.9	5.0
Non-Hispanic		88.6	88.6	88.4	88.1	87.5	87.6	87.0
Unknown		0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.2

Table C.7

Percent Distribution of Diabetic Patients: by Race & Hispanic Ethnicity*incident patients*

	1995 [^]	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002 [^]
White	41.7	42.3	43.1	43.3	43.9	44.7	44.6	44.9
Black	41.0	42.2	42.6	43.4	42.9	43.3	44.0	43.7
Native American/Alaskan Native	62.1	62.4	73.7	73.3	73.8	73.7	72.5	73.7
Asian	39.3	43.6	43.1	42.3	45.5	43.6	44.3	41.8
Pacific Islander	57.5	52.7	55.7	57.9	58.3	60.3	62.4	53.6
Mid-East/Arabian	32.7	29.0	38.2	38.7	41.9	36.8	38.6	44.5
Indian Subcontinent	42.2	58.4	52.6	48.2	45.9	45.7	50.5	51.2
Other/multiracial	53.4	56.1	55.6	55.1	57.6	57.1	56.2	55.7
Unknown	48.4	43.8	47.7	40.8	47.7	53.8	48.4	48.8
Hispanic-Mexican		61.7	65.8	64.1	64.4	64.2	63.8	62.1
Hispanic-Other		52.3	53.2	54.2	55.9	55.5	55.4	55.9
Non-Hispanic		41.3	41.8	42.2	42.3	43.0	43.1	43.0
Unknown		41.0	39.6	43.0	43.3	36.3	44.5	43.5
All	42.3	43.2	43.9	44.2	44.5	45.1	45.3	45.2

Table C.8

Patient Counts: by Employment Status*incident patients*

	1995 [^]	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002 [^]
Current employment status								
Employed full-time	3,864	6,389	7,017	7,466	7,862	7,910	8,289	3,514
Employed part-time	902	1,417	1,476	1,604	1,598	1,546	1,639	704
Homemaker	3,026	4,777	4,859	4,835	4,824	4,912	4,750	2,116
Retired due to age/preference	15,105	26,540	29,890	32,314	34,403	35,260	36,604	16,665
Retired due to disability	7,840	13,253	14,312	15,736	16,293	16,821	17,284	7,753
Medical leave of absence	1,672	2,462	2,410	2,593	2,732	2,955	3,043	1,411
Student	598	921	903	913	959	928	960	428
Unemployed	10,175	15,957	16,222	16,426	17,103	17,536	18,082	7,560
Missing	2,310	3,454	2,990	3,219	3,382	4,407	3,884	1,730
Previous employment status								
Employed full-time	7,074	10,958	11,625	12,430	13,029	13,340	13,811	5,826
Employed part-time	1,237	1,896	1,886	2,116	2,085	1,997	2,062	891
Homemaker	3,034	4,777	4,843	4,841	4,803	4,937	4,779	2,089
Retired due to age/preference	13,877	24,710	28,060	30,632	32,461	33,357	34,743	15,751
Retired due to disability	6,380	11,207	12,279	13,587	14,182	14,710	15,058	6,677
Medical leave of absence	280	435	408	451	461	509	473	225
Student	566	900	910	893	940	929	941	411
Unemployed	7,852	12,580	12,840	12,906	13,764	14,013	14,469	5,992
Missing	5,192	7,707	7,228	7,250	7,431	8,483	8,199	4,019
All	45,492	75,170	80,079	85,106	89,156	92,275	94,535	41,881

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[^]Incomplete data

On our website: Patient Employment Status: Current & Previous Employment (C.a & b).

Table C.9
Patient Counts: by Insurance Payor
incident patients

	1995 [^]	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002 [^]
Medicaid coverage	11,101	17,847	18,834	20,077	20,407	22,011	22,357	10,198
Medicare coverage	23,305	39,792	43,349	45,544	47,809	49,651	51,387	23,305
DVA coverage	654	976	892	931	1,013	1,067	1,187	551
Employer group health insurance	11,325	18,052	19,163	19,866	20,513	21,065	22,157	9,699
Other medical insurance	12,971	23,426	25,481	27,258	28,191	29,586	30,906	13,426
No medical insurance	3,649	5,691	5,903	6,078	7,047	7,379	7,233	3,121
Patient applying for Medicare	38,193	63,333	67,044	70,079	72,620	73,294	73,940	32,707
All	45,492	75,170	80,079	85,106	89,156	92,275	94,535	41,881

Table C.10
Percent Distribution of Patients: by Comorbidity
incident patients

	1995 [^]	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002 [^]
Congestive heart failure	30.9	32.4	33.4	32.4	31.6	31.9	31.5	31.7
Ischemic heart disease/CAD	21.4	22.6	23.9	23.7	23.8	24.4	24.9	24.8
Myocardial infarction	8.4	8.8	9.0	8.8	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.7
Cardiac arrest	1.1	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7
Cardiac dysrhythmia	5.3	5.6	5.9	5.7	5.8	6.0	6.0	6.0
Pericarditis	1.5	1.2	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.5
Cerebrovascular disease, CVA/TIA	8.0	8.8	9.2	9.1	9.0	9.1	9.4	9.4
Peripheral vascular disease	13.9	14.3	14.9	14.6	14.3	14.2	14.2	13.7
History of hypertension	67.4	71.1	73.4	74.1	75.4	76.2	78.4	79.1
Diabetes: primary/contributing	36.1	38.3	39.8	40.4	41.6	43.0	44.6	45.3
Diabetes: on insulin	22.3	23.3	23.8	23.4	23.3	23.0	22.6	22.5
Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease	6.6	6.8	7.1	7.0	7.1	7.3	7.5	7.6
Current smoker/tobacco use	5.9	5.8	5.5	5.2	5.0	4.9	5.0	4.9
Malignant neoplasm/cancer	4.7	4.7	5.0	5.1	5.3	5.6	5.9	6.1
Alcohol dependence	1.8	1.9	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.2
Drug dependence	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.9
AIDS	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4
HIV	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8
Inability to ambulate	5.0	4.8	4.5	4.2	4.0	4.0	3.9	4.0
Inability to transfer	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4
All	45,492	75,170	80,079	85,106	89,156	92,275	94,535	41,881

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[^]Incomplete data

On our website: Patient Comorbidities in detail (C.c-m).

Table C.11
Percent Distribution of Patients: by Primary Diagnosis
incident patients

	1995^	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002^
Diabetes	42.3	43.2	43.9	44.2	44.5	45.1	45.3	45.2
Hypertension	25.8	26.0	26.5	26.4	26.7	26.6	26.9	27.2
Glomerulonephritis	11.4	10.9	10.2	9.8	9.3	8.8	8.4	8.6
Cystic kidney	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.2
Other urologic	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.7
Other cause	12.1	11.3	11.1	11.2	11.2	11.3	11.3	11.1
Unknown cause	3.8	4.0	4.0	4.1	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.0
All patients	45,492	75,170	80,079	85,106	89,156	92,275	94,535	41,881

Table C.12
Lab Values & Physical Characteristics: Pediatric & Adult Patients
incident patients

	1995^ #		1996 #		1997 #		1998 #		1999 #		2000 #		2001 #		2002^ #	
	of forms	Mean	of forms	Mean	of forms	Mean	of forms	Mean	of forms	Mean	of forms	Mean	of forms	Mean	of forms	Mean
~0-19	w/value	values	w/value	values	w/value	values	w/value	values	w/value	values	w/value	values	w/value	values	w/value	values
Serum albumin (g/dl)	583	3.5	914	3.4	861	3.4	839	3.4	871	3.3	853	3.3	863	3.3	378	3.2
BUN (mg/dl)	624	95.6	976	93.9	929	91.8	926	92.8	1,000	86.5	973	88.6	1,009	85.8	441	90.7
Serum creatinine (mg/dl)	653	10.1	1,007	10.0	967	9.8	941	9.7	1,044	9.1	1,028	9.2	1,047	8.9	450	9.5
Hematocrit (%)	640	26.7	985	26.2	936	27.2	918	26.9	1,016	27.7	980	28.1	1,015	28.3	435	28
Hemoglobin (g/dl)	587	9.2	932	8.9	896	9.2	866	9.2	968	9.4	951	9.5	997	9.6	419	9.5
Height (cm)	666	147.2	1,025	147.4	981	146.3	963	147.3	1,058	147.4	1,045	145.4	1,062	146.8	455	146.4
Weight (kg)	671	48.6	1,034	49.5	989	48.6	971	50.6	1,070	50.6	1,053	49.9	1,070	51.3	457	50
Body mass index (kg/m ²)	648	20.9	993	21.2	950	21.5	922	21.7	1,031	21.9	1,020	21.9	1,037	22.1	446	21.8
eGFR (ml/min) by Schwartz form.	639	9.7	987	9.8	946	9.8	916	9.9	1,014	10.4	1,007	10.4	1,015	10.8	444	10.3

	1995^ #		1996 #		1997 #		1998 #		1999 #		2000 #		2001 #		2002^ #	
	of forms	Mean	of forms	Mean	of forms	Mean	of forms	Mean	of forms	Mean	of forms	Mean	of forms	Mean	of forms	Mean
~20+	w/value	values	w/value	values	w/value	values	w/value	values	w/value	values	w/value	values	w/value	values	w/value	values
Serum albumin (g/dl)	36,941	3.2	60,696	3.2	63,573	3.2	63,860	3.2	64,294	3.1	66,592	3.1	67,897	3.1	30,199	3.1
BUN (mg/dl)	41,087	94.0	69,111	94.1	73,994	92.4	78,691	90.3	82,102	88.7	85,141	87.7	87,540	86.5	39,131	86.2
Serum creatinine (mg/dl)	44,406	8.7	73,457	8.5	78,374	8.1	83,286	7.9	87,013	7.6	89,868	7.4	92,168	7.3	40,885	7.1
Hematocrit (%)	41,742	27.9	69,597	28.1	74,347	28.5	79,145	28.8	82,328	29.2	84,532	29.5	86,725	29.7	38,748	29.8
Hemoglobin (g/dl)	37,884	9.4	63,738	9.4	68,781	9.5	73,693	9.6	77,358	9.7	80,753	9.8	83,726	9.9	37,627	9.9
Height (cm)	44,521	167.1	73,625	167.3	78,618	167.3	83,569	167.2	87,442	167.0	90,658	166.8	93,043	167.3	41,295	167.5
Weight (kg)	44,679	72.0	73,862	72.6	78,833	73.2	83,847	74.0	87,704	74.8	90,772	76.0	93,137	76.8	41,280	77.4
Body mass index (kg/m ²)	44,010	25.7	72,750	25.9	77,729	26.1	82,622	26.5	86,284	26.8	89,297	27.2	92,012	27.3	40,885	27.5
eGFR (ml/min) by MDRD form.	44,241	7.5	73,207	7.7	78,044	8.1	82,855	8.4	86,489	8.8	89,180	9.1	91,378	9.4	40,505	9.6

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 ~Schwartz-Levey formula used for ages 0-18; Levey formula (MDRD) for ages 19+.
 ^Incomplete data



Table C.13

Lab Values & Physical Characteristics

incident patients, by demographic characteristics, May 1995-April 2002 combined

	Patients	Serum albumin (g/dl)	BUN (mg/dl)	Creat. (mg/dl)	Hct %	Hgb (g/dl)	Height (cm)	Weight (kg)	Body mass index (kg/m ²)	eGFR (ml/min 1.73m ²) by MDRD formula
0-4	656	3.3	76.9	5.0	27.7	9.5	87.9	17.2	17.8	10.8
5-9	956	3.3	89.5	7.1	27.9	9.5	116.8	24.9	17.9	10.6
10-14	1,912	3.4	90.5	9.2	27.6	9.4	145.8	43.8	20.2	11.0
15-19	3,845	3.3	92.8	11.0	27.1	9.2	164.3	64.8	23.8	9.5
20-24	6,858	3.2	94.5	11.7	26.6	9.0	167.7	71.8	25.4	7.0
25-29	11,566	3.2	90.9	11.0	27.2	9.2	167.9	74.3	26.1	7.2
30-34	16,900	3.1	89.5	10.5	27.6	9.3	168.6	75.6	26.4	7.3
35-39	23,216	3.1	89.5	10.1	28.0	9.4	169.4	77.4	26.9	7.4
40-44	31,197	3.1	90.1	9.7	28.2	9.5	169.5	79.4	27.5	7.5
45-49	40,463	3.1	90.1	9.1	28.4	9.5	169.3	80.9	28.1	7.8
50-54	49,392	3.1	90.0	8.5	28.7	9.6	168.7	81.6	28.6	8.1
55-59	56,513	3.1	89.6	8.0	28.8	9.6	167.9	80.0	28.3	8.4
60-64	65,798	3.2	89.6	7.6	28.9	9.6	167.2	77.9	27.8	8.6
65-69	76,076	3.2	89.6	7.2	29.2	9.7	166.8	74.9	26.9	8.8
70-74	80,319	3.2	89.5	6.9	29.4	9.8	166.3	72.0	26.0	9.1
75-79	70,701	3.2	89.8	6.6	29.6	9.9	165.9	69.0	25.1	9.4
80-84	44,241	3.2	90.0	6.4	29.7	9.9	165.1	65.9	24.2	9.6
85+	21,926	3.1	89.9	6.2	29.8	9.9	163.7	62.5	23.3	9.9
Unknown	1,159	3.0	77.5	5.6	30.2	10.1	144.3	39.7	22.8	10.0
0-19	7,369	3.3	90.4	9.5	27.4	9.3	146.8	50.0	21.6	10.2
20-44	89,737	3.2	90.2	10.2	27.8	9.3	168.9	76.9	26.8	7.4
45-64	212,166	3.1	89.8	8.2	28.7	9.6	168.1	79.9	28.2	8.3
65-74	156,395	3.2	89.6	7.0	29.3	9.8	166.5	73.4	26.4	9.0
75+	136,868	3.2	89.9	6.5	29.7	9.9	165.3	67.0	24.5	9.6
Unknown	1,159	3.0	77.5	5.6	30.2	10.1	144.3	39.7	22.8	10.0
Male	322,506	3.2	93.9	8.4	29.1	9.8	173.0	78.3	26.1	9.0
Female	281,186	3.1	85.1	7.1	28.8	9.6	159.9	69.9	27.2	8.2
Unknown	*	2.5	79.5	12.7	22.9	7.9	160.0	55.0	21.4	5.1
White	378,002	3.2	90.5	7.2	29.5	9.9	167.2	74.1	26.4	8.9
Black	174,231	3.1	88.1	9.1	27.9	9.3	167.7	77.2	27.4	8.3
Native American/Alaskan Native	7,934	2.9	86.1	8.0	28.1	9.4	165.3	75.4	27.5	7.8
Asian	14,228	3.2	92.0	8.3	28.7	9.6	159.5	59.4	23.2	7.5
Pacific Islander	5,135	3.0	95.2	8.8	28.7	9.6	161.7	67.0	25.5	7.1
Middle-eastern/Arabian	1,980	3.3	92.1	8.1	29.4	9.8	163.1	69.2	25.8	8.3
Indian Subcontinent	2,403	3.2	86.3	7.9	28.5	9.5	162.0	64.4	24.5	8.3
Other/multiracial	16,602	3.1	90.3	8.5	28.2	9.4	162.0	68.9	26.0	7.7
Unknown	3,179	3.1	92.8	8.3	28.3	9.5	163.1	69.1	25.8	8.0
Hispanic-Mexican	42,707	3.1	87.7	7.8	28.4	9.5	161.8	70.1	26.6	8.4
Hispanic-Other	27,900	3.2	89.8	8.3	28.5	9.5	162.6	69.2	26.0	7.9
Non-Hispanic	530,890	3.2	90.0	7.8	29.0	9.7	167.5	75.0	26.6	8.7
Unknown	2,197	3.2	97.0	8.0	29.0	9.7	166.1	71.7	25.8	8.2
Diabetic	267,506	3.1	87.8	6.9	29.1	9.7	166.5	77.9	28.0	9.3
Non-diabetic	336,188	3.2	91.4	8.5	28.9	9.7	167.2	71.6	25.5	8.1
Year of first service										
1995 [^]	45,492	3.2	94.0	8.7	27.9	9.4	166.8	71.7	25.7	7.5
1996	75,170	3.2	94.1	8.5	28.0	9.4	167.0	72.3	25.8	7.8
1997	80,079	3.2	92.4	8.2	28.4	9.5	167.1	72.9	26.1	8.1
1998	85,106	3.2	90.3	7.9	28.7	9.6	166.9	73.8	26.4	8.5
1999	89,156	3.1	88.7	7.7	29.2	9.7	166.8	74.5	26.7	8.8
2000	92,275	3.1	87.7	7.4	29.5	9.8	166.5	75.7	27.1	9.1
2001	94,535	3.1	86.5	7.3	29.7	9.9	167.1	76.5	27.3	9.4
2002 [^]	41,881	3.1	86.3	7.2	29.8	9.9	167.2	77.1	27.5	9.6

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The age of the incident patient is determined as of the date of ESRD initiation.

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*Values for cells with fewer than 10 patients are suppressed.

Table C.14

Lab Values & Physical Characteristics: by Year & Age

incident patients, May 1995-April 2002 combined

	Patients	Serum albumin (g/dl)	BUN (mg/dl)	Creat. (mg/dl)	Hct %	Hgb (g/dl)	Height (cm)	Weight (kg)	Body mass index (kg/m ²)	eGFR (ml/min 1.73m ²) by MDRD formula
1995 [^]										
0-19	683	3.5	95.6	10.1	26.7	9.2	147.2	48.6	20.9	9.7
20-44	7,943	3.2	94.3	11.0	26.8	9.1	169.1	74.1	25.8	6.7
45-64	16,058	3.2	93.8	8.9	27.7	9.3	168.0	76.8	27.2	7.3
65-74	12,088	3.3	93.1	7.8	28.3	9.5	166.3	70.3	25.4	7.8
75+	8,663	3.3	95.1	7.3	28.6	9.6	164.9	64.1	23.6	8.2
Unknown	57	3.0	71.1	5.9	30.2	10.2	121.6	28.1	20.2	8.5
1996										
0-19	1,049	3.4	93.9	10.0	26.2	8.9	147.4	49.5	21.2	9.8
20-44	12,535	3.2	94.1	10.8	27.0	9.1	169.0	74.9	26.0	6.8
45-64	25,977	3.2	94.1	8.8	27.8	9.4	168.1	77.5	27.4	7.5
65-74	20,364	3.2	94.0	7.6	28.5	9.5	166.7	71.0	25.6	8.1
75+	15,130	3.2	94.4	7.2	28.8	9.7	165.3	64.9	23.7	8.4
Unknown	115	3.1	74.3	5.9	30.0	10.2	130.8	29.7	21.4	8.9
1997										
0-19	1,002	3.4	91.8	9.8	27.2	9.2	146.3	48.6	21.5	9.8
20-44	12,439	3.2	92.7	10.5	27.4	9.2	169.1	75.6	26.3	7.1
45-64	27,699	3.2	92.4	8.5	28.2	9.4	168.3	78.4	27.6	7.8
65-74	21,579	3.2	91.7	7.3	28.9	9.6	166.8	71.6	25.8	8.5
75+	17,224	3.2	93.2	6.8	29.1	9.7	165.3	65.6	24.0	8.8
Unknown	136	3.0	76.7	5.7	28.9	9.7	148.8	34.0	22.2	9.5
1998										
0-19	983	3.4	92.8	9.7	26.9	9.2	147.3	50.6	21.7	9.9
20-44	12,857	3.2	91.3	10.4	27.6	9.2	169.0	76.4	26.6	7.3
45-64	29,847	3.2	89.9	8.2	28.6	9.5	168.1	79.2	28.0	8.1
65-74	22,289	3.2	89.9	7.1	29.1	9.7	166.5	72.7	26.3	8.8
75+	18,974	3.2	90.6	6.6	29.4	9.8	165.3	66.2	24.3	9.3
Unknown	156	3.1	83.0	5.7	30.5	10.3	141.9	34.3	21.3	9.0
1999										
0-19	1,071	3.3	86.5	9.1	27.7	9.4	147.4	50.6	21.9	10.4
20-44	12,822	3.1	89.2	10.1	28.0	9.4	168.8	77.4	27.1	7.5
45-64	31,384	3.1	88.8	8.1	29.0	9.6	167.9	80.1	28.4	8.4
65-74	22,708	3.2	88.0	6.9	29.6	9.8	166.5	73.7	26.6	9.2
75+	21,019	3.2	89.1	6.4	29.9	9.9	165.2	66.9	24.5	9.7
Unknown	152	3.0	78.9	5.7	29.9	10.1	146.0	38.5	22.9	9.2
2000										
0-19	1,054	3.3	88.6	9.2	28.1	9.5	145.4	49.9	21.9	10.4
20-44	12,914	3.1	87.4	9.8	28.3	9.5	168.4	78.3	27.4	7.7
45-64	32,511	3.1	87.9	7.8	29.2	9.7	167.8	81.3	28.7	8.7
65-74	23,320	3.1	87.7	6.7	29.8	9.9	166.2	75.2	27.1	9.6
75+	22,249	3.1	87.8	6.2	30.2	10.0	165.1	68.2	24.9	10.1
Unknown	227	3.0	79.1	5.2	30.2	10.1	145.0	45.5	23.1	10.5
2001										
0-20	1,070	3.3	85.8	8.9	28.3	9.6	146.8	51.3	22.1	10.8
20-45	12,820	3.1	86.2	9.7	28.6	9.6	169.0	79.3	27.5	7.9
45-65	33,798	3.1	86.8	7.7	29.5	9.8	168.4	82.1	28.8	8.9
65-75	23,777	3.1	86.5	6.6	30.1	10.0	166.7	75.8	27.2	9.8
75+	22,846	3.1	86.5	6.0	30.4	10.1	165.5	69.0	25.1	10.4
Unknown	224	3.0	76.6	5.5	31.1	10.3	147.1	45.5	23.8	10.8
2002 [^]										
0-20	457	3.2	90.7	9.5	28.0	9.5	146.4	50.0	21.8	10.3
20-45	5,407	3.1	86.2	9.7	28.6	9.6	169.3	80.0	27.8	8.0
45-65	14,892	3.1	86.2	7.6	29.6	9.9	168.6	82.8	29.1	9.1
65-75	10,270	3.1	86.3	6.5	30.2	10.0	166.7	76.6	27.5	10.0
75+	10,763	3.1	86.3	5.9	30.5	10.1	165.7	69.4	25.3	10.7
Unknown	92	3.1	72.9	5.3	30.4	10.2	152.4	50.2	23.8	11.3

[^]Incomplete data

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~Schwartz-Levey formula used for ages 0-18; Levey formula (MDRD) for ages 19+.

Table C.15

Lab Values & Physical Characteristics: by Race

incident patients, by gender, age, & diabetic status, May 1995-April 2002 combined

WHITE			Serum	BUN	Creat.	Hct	Hgb	Height	Weight	Body mass	eGFR (ml/min)		
Age group	Diabetic status	Patients	albumin (g/dl)	(mg/dl)	(mg/dl)	%	(g/dl)	(cm)	(kg)	index (kg/m ²)	by MDRD formula		
Male	-0-19	Diabetic	18	3.2	86.6	9.5	28.7	9.7	168.6	70.9	24.5	12.5	
		Non-diabetic	2,499	3.5	92.4	9.0	28.2	9.7	146.4	48.0	20.8	11.0	
	-20-44	Diabetic	10,556	3.1	84.6	8.1	29.0	9.8	173.8	78.4	25.8	9.3	
		Non-diabetic	15,952	3.5	99.2	11.0	28.4	9.7	174.5	81.0	26.5	7.0	
	45-64	Diabetic	35,302	3.1	92.4	7.3	29.4	9.8	174.2	86.7	28.5	9.5	
		Non-diabetic	31,131	3.3	95.2	9.0	29.4	9.9	175.1	82.5	26.8	7.8	
	65-74	Diabetic	25,036	3.2	94.6	6.5	29.8	10.0	173.3	80.9	26.9	10.4	
		Non-diabetic	33,114	3.3	93.8	7.7	29.8	10.0	173.8	75.8	25.0	8.8	
	75+	Diabetic	15,201	3.2	95.1	6.0	30.1	10.1	172.2	75.3	25.4	11.2	
		Non-diabetic	42,050	3.2	93.9	6.9	30.1	10.1	172.2	70.8	23.8	9.7	
	Female	-0-19	Diabetic	24	3.1	76.0	7.4	27.2	9.0	159.4	55.5	22.2	10.8
			Non-diabetic	1,934	3.3	87.8	8.6	27.4	9.3	141.2	44.8	21.1	9.9
		-20-44	Diabetic	7,259	3.0	78.7	6.9	28.7	9.6	161.4	68.5	26.2	8.6
			Non-diabetic	10,833	3.4	85.4	8.9	28.1	9.5	161.1	68.6	26.4	6.8
45-64		Diabetic	30,500	3.0	85.7	6.2	29.1	9.7	160.5	79.0	30.5	8.8	
		Non-diabetic	22,009	3.3	86.6	7.6	29.2	9.8	161.2	70.4	27.0	7.2	
65-74		Diabetic	25,660	3.1	87.5	5.7	29.5	9.8	159.5	73.4	28.8	9.2	
		Non-diabetic	22,348	3.2	86.0	6.7	29.6	9.9	160.0	64.7	25.3	7.9	
75+		Diabetic	15,480	3.1	87.7	5.3	29.8	9.9	158.3	67.1	26.8	9.8	
		Non-diabetic	30,335	3.2	86.5	6.1	29.8	9.9	158.3	59.7	23.9	8.6	
BLACK													
Male		-0-19	Diabetic	14	3.0	68.0	8.8	27.0	9.1	160.2	63.9	24.3	12.4
			Non-diabetic	1,022	3.3	90.4	11.4	27.3	9.2	155.9	58.5	22.8	9.9
		-20-44	Diabetic	3,844	2.9	84.2	9.7	27.8	9.3	174.9	87.4	28.4	9.3
	Non-diabetic		16,974	3.1	99.7	13.2	27.4	9.2	175.5	83.0	26.8	6.8	
	45-64	Diabetic	16,408	3.1	89.7	8.8	28.3	9.4	175.4	87.3	28.3	9.5	
		Non-diabetic	20,276	3.2	96.6	10.9	27.9	9.3	175.2	80.9	26.3	7.8	
	65-74	Diabetic	7,474	3.2	91.0	7.8	28.8	9.5	173.5	81.2	27.0	10.2	
		Non-diabetic	8,073	3.2	92.5	9.0	28.3	9.4	173.6	74.9	24.8	9.1	
	75+	Diabetic	3,325	3.2	89.6	7.1	29.0	9.6	171.7	75.3	25.5	11.2	
		Non-diabetic	6,412	3.2	90.6	7.9	28.8	9.5	172.1	69.4	23.5	10.1	
	Female	-0-19	Diabetic	19	2.9	60.2	9.7	25.7	8.4	161.5	70.2	26.6	9.5
			Non-diabetic	933	3.0	86.5	10.4	25.9	8.6	151.5	58.7	24.4	9.2
		-20-44	Diabetic	3,801	2.8	73.9	8.2	27.1	8.9	163.1	81.6	30.6	8.4
			Non-diabetic	11,896	3.0	85.2	10.8	26.3	8.8	162.8	74.5	28.0	6.5
45-64		Diabetic	20,310	3.0	81.0	7.6	28.1	9.2	162.3	81.8	30.9	8.4	
		Non-diabetic	15,112	3.2	86.7	9.2	27.5	9.1	162.1	74.1	28.1	7.0	
65-74		Diabetic	13,066	3.1	81.7	7.0	28.4	9.4	161.3	74.7	28.7	8.8	
		Non-diabetic	9,289	3.2	84.0	7.8	28.1	9.3	160.9	67.9	26.2	8.0	
75+		Diabetic	6,590	3.1	82.0	6.5	28.6	9.4	160.1	68.6	26.7	9.4	
		Non-diabetic	9,107	3.1	83.9	7.1	28.4	9.4	159.5	61.4	24.2	8.7	
NATIVE AMERICAN/ALASKAN NATIVE													
Male		-0-19	Diabetic										
			Non-diabetic	46	3.3	87.0	10.6	26.6	8.9	153.5	55.4	22.8	10.4
		-20-44	Diabetic	331	2.7	81.7	8.8	27.8	9.3	173.7	88.6	29.2	8.3
	Non-diabetic		334	3.3	100.7	12.5	27.0	9.1	174.2	83.0	27.4	6.1	
	45-64	Diabetic	1,465	2.9	88.4	8.5	28.4	9.5	173.3	83.9	27.9	8.2	
		Non-diabetic	467	3.1	95.4	10.1	27.5	9.2	173.8	81.2	26.8	7.0	
	65-74	Diabetic	480	3.0	88.4	7.2	29.1	9.8	171.3	76.8	26.1	9.6	
		Non-diabetic	206	3.1	95.7	8.8	28.1	9.4	171.8	73.4	24.7	7.8	
	75+	Diabetic	149	3.2	92.3	6.7	28.9	9.6	169.7	69.8	24.5	9.8	
		Non-diabetic	147	3.1	102.3	8.2	28.5	9.5	169.9	70.2	24.2	8.2	
	Female	-0-19	Diabetic										
			Non-diabetic	38	2.9	77.4	9.1	26.4	9.0	145.3	49.5	21.5	10.0
		-20-44	Diabetic	290	2.6	75.0	7.6	27.2	9.0	162.4	79.8	30.3	7.8
			Non-diabetic	306	3.2	87.7	10.3	26.2	8.7	160.9	70.6	27.3	5.8
45-64		Diabetic	1,743	2.8	80.5	7.1	28.4	9.4	159.7	75.0	29.3	7.5	
		Non-diabetic	376	3.1	86.3	8.4	27.4	9.2	159.7	70.2	27.3	6.4	
65-74		Diabetic	830	2.9	81.9	6.4	28.4	9.4	158.2	67.7	27.1	8.1	
		Non-diabetic	236	3.1	84.8	7.0	27.7	9.2	158.9	66.1	26.3	7.2	
75+		Diabetic	306	2.9	83.1	5.9	29.1	9.7	157.7	64.2	25.9	8.6	
		Non-diabetic	177	3.1	86.4	6.4	27.9	9.3	156.3	56.7	23.5	7.9	

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Table C.15 (continued)

Lab Values & Physical Characteristics: by Race

incident patients, by gender, age, & diabetic status

ASIAN			Serum albumin (g/dl)	BUN (mg/dl)	Creat. (mg/dl)	Hct %	Hgb (g/dl)	Height (cm)	Weight (kg)	Body mass index (kg/m ²)	eGFR (ml/min) by MDRD formula	
Male	-0-19	Diabetic	*	3.4	71.0	20.2	21.6	7.4	172.5	60.0	20.2	3.6
		Non-diabetic	95	3.3	103.6	11.3	27.4	9.1	146.3	46.8	19.8	9.4
	-20-44	Diabetic	173	3.0	91.8	9.2	29.2	9.8	169.2	77.3	26.8	7.8
		Non-diabetic	950	3.4	108.2	12.8	26.6	9.0	166.3	64.8	23.4	5.9
	45-64	Diabetic	1,314	3.0	94.3	8.5	29.0	9.7	166.5	70.0	25.2	8.1
		Non-diabetic	1,269	3.4	99.0	10.3	28.5	9.6	165.7	66.3	24.0	6.7
	65-74	Diabetic	886	3.1	92.1	7.6	29.6	9.9	164.9	64.4	23.7	8.8
		Non-diabetic	888	3.3	93.9	8.5	29.3	9.8	164.3	61.2	22.6	8.0
	75+	Diabetic	694	3.1	91.8	6.6	30.0	10.1	163.1	60.7	22.9	9.9
		Non-diabetic	1,027	3.2	92.5	7.4	29.5	9.9	163.1	57.8	21.9	8.9
Female	-0-19	Diabetic	*	2.7	88.0	17.3	22.3	7.7	175.0	66.0	21.6	2.8
		Non-diabetic	96	3.1	100.8	9.0	25.2	8.4	147.0	43.8	19.9	9.2
	-20-44	Diabetic	130	2.8	88.3	8.6	27.9	9.4	157.1	63.6	25.6	6.7
		Non-diabetic	896	3.3	91.7	9.8	26.8	8.9	156.0	53.8	22.0	5.8
	45-64	Diabetic	1,060	3.0	86.3	7.4	28.6	9.5	155.4	61.0	25.1	7.2
		Non-diabetic	1,136	3.4	92.0	8.8	28.1	9.4	154.5	54.9	23.0	6.0
	65-74	Diabetic	1,112	3.1	84.2	6.5	29.2	9.8	153.9	55.4	23.5	7.8
		Non-diabetic	789	3.3	85.4	7.5	29.0	9.6	153.1	52.4	22.4	6.9
	75+	Diabetic	783	3.0	86.7	6.0	29.5	9.8	152.6	52.1	22.6	8.6
		Non-diabetic	894	3.2	86.5	6.7	29.4	9.8	151.2	48.7	21.3	7.7
PACIFIC ISLANDER												
Male	-0-19	Diabetic	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
		Non-diabetic	25	3.0	120.7	12.4	27.1	9.0	150.4	51.0	22.4	9.8
	-20-44	Diabetic	117	2.9	97.7	10.8	28.7	9.5	170.9	90.1	30.7	6.9
		Non-diabetic	259	3.4	110.5	13.3	28.3	9.6	169.5	75.9	26.1	5.7
	45-64	Diabetic	761	2.9	101.3	9.7	28.7	9.6	169.4	79.7	27.8	7.1
		Non-diabetic	355	3.3	107.5	11.2	28.6	9.5	167.8	73.1	25.7	6.1
	65-74	Diabetic	398	3.1	94.2	7.8	29.6	9.9	167.0	69.0	24.9	8.7
		Non-diabetic	233	3.2	96.7	8.8	28.3	9.5	165.2	63.7	23.4	7.5
	75+	Diabetic	148	3.1	93.6	6.8	30.3	10.1	164.7	61.7	23.0	10.0
		Non-diabetic	245	3.2	93.3	7.8	29.5	9.8	163.0	57.9	21.9	8.8
Female	-0-19	Diabetic	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
		Non-diabetic	34	3.0	99.4	9.9	26.1	8.6	147.6	46.4	21.2	9.5
	-20-44	Diabetic	117	2.6	84.2	9.1	27.2	8.9	159.8	76.2	29.8	6.4
		Non-diabetic	272	3.3	98.3	11.3	26.7	8.9	158.6	62.5	24.7	5.2
	45-64	Diabetic	743	2.8	90.9	8.1	28.4	9.4	157.4	69.2	27.8	6.6
		Non-diabetic	314	3.3	94.8	9.3	27.9	9.3	156.5	60.3	24.5	5.6
	65-74	Diabetic	468	3.0	86.8	6.8	29.4	9.7	156.1	60.4	24.7	7.5
		Non-diabetic	209	3.3	87.8	7.9	29.3	9.7	153.6	55.4	23.3	6.2
	75+	Diabetic	222	2.9	86.3	5.9	29.5	9.9	153.8	54.1	23.0	8.5
		Non-diabetic	208	3.2	85.7	6.8	29.6	9.8	151.6	50.0	21.8	7.7
MID-EAST/ARABIAN												
Male	-0-19	Diabetic	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
		Non-diabetic	47	3.6	99.6	9.9	27.8	9.5	128.9	38.1	19.6	8.8
	-20-44	Diabetic	24	3.0	100.2	8.8	28.1	9.3	167.2	82.6	28.1	8.4
		Non-diabetic	205	3.6	100.9	11.8	28.8	9.7	169.8	74.2	25.7	6.5
	45-64	Diabetic	249	3.2	91.1	7.5	29.7	9.9	168.1	75.0	26.4	9.2
		Non-diabetic	245	3.5	102.5	9.7	29.4	9.8	169.8	76.2	26.2	7.0
	65-74	Diabetic	151	3.2	91.1	6.9	29.8	9.8	169.6	76.2	26.4	10.0
		Non-diabetic	161	3.3	82.9	8.1	29.8	9.9	167.3	69.5	24.6	8.6
	75+	Diabetic	79	3.2	98.8	6.4	30.8	10.2	165.4	69.3	25.0	11.3
		Non-diabetic	142	3.3	93.3	7.2	29.9	9.8	167.5	66.8	23.8	9.2
Female	-0-19	Diabetic	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
		Non-diabetic	26	3.8	89.7	9.2	26.1	8.6	132.0	43.1	19.8	8.4
	-20-44	Diabetic	10	3.0	89.9	7.0	28.2	9.4	155.4	68.8	28.4	8.2
		Non-diabetic	93	3.6	88.6	10.0	27.5	9.4	158.4	60.1	23.8	5.4
	45-64	Diabetic	82	3.0	86.9	6.4	29.6	9.8	156.0	70.0	28.9	8.3
		Non-diabetic	140	3.4	89.3	8.4	28.4	9.4	157.2	65.5	26.6	6.1
	65-74	Diabetic	108	3.2	82.6	5.7	29.7	9.6	156.1	66.3	27.6	9.3
		Non-diabetic	85	3.3	85.9	6.7	29.9	9.8	156.0	66.2	27.3	8.3
	75+	Diabetic	46	3.2	83.1	4.8	29.6	9.7	153.1	61.0	26.0	10.6
		Non-diabetic	79	3.2	90.2	5.9	31.2	10.3	157.2	63.7	25.9	8.9

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Table C.15 (continued)
Lab Values & Physical Characteristics: by Race
incident patients, by gender, age, & diabetic status

INDIAN SUBCONTINENT			Serum	BUN	Creat.	Hct	Hgb	Height	Weight	Body mass	eGFR (ml/min)		
Age group	Diabetic status	Patients	albumin (g/dl)	(mg/dl)	(mg/dl)	%	(g/dl)	(cm)	(kg)	index (kg/m ²)	by MDRD formula		
Male	-0-19	Diabetic											
		Non-diabetic	28	3.4	96.7	9.8	29.7	9.9	147.8	45.4	19.4	10.0	
	-20-44	Diabetic	48	3.0	83.1	8.6	28.2	9.5	168.5	75.8	25.6	8.2	
		Non-diabetic	215	3.4	95.2	11.7	28.0	9.5	169.7	68.4	23.8	6.6	
	45-64	Diabetic	392	3.1	87.1	7.9	28.9	9.7	167.6	70.0	25.0	8.7	
		Non-diabetic	255	3.4	92.1	10.1	28.0	9.4	168.2	66.9	23.4	6.9	
	65-74	Diabetic	212	3.1	88.0	6.7	29.3	9.8	166.0	67.0	24.2	10.5	
		Non-diabetic	131	3.3	89.2	7.7	29.3	9.8	165.2	65.4	23.8	9.3	
	75+	Diabetic	59	3.2	78.7	6.1	29.3	9.7	165.0	62.7	22.5	10.8	
		Non-diabetic	101	3.2	86.3	6.6	30.4	10.0	164.1	60.1	22.3	10.1	
	Female	-0-19	Diabetic										
			Non-diabetic	18	3.3	74.9	7.3	29.6	9.9	137.4	39.4	19.8	9.8
-20-44		Diabetic	33	2.7	87.7	8.6	27.0	9.1	157.6	66.3	26.6	6.5	
		Non-diabetic	134	3.2	89.6	9.6	26.7	8.7	158.5	59.6	23.7	6.4	
45-64		Diabetic	244	2.9	79.5	6.5	28.1	9.3	155.0	64.6	27.0	8.2	
		Non-diabetic	137	3.3	85.3	7.9	27.8	9.3	154.9	59.3	24.9	6.6	
65-74		Diabetic	171	3.1	78.7	5.9	29.0	9.7	154.4	62.2	26.3	9.0	
		Non-diabetic	99	3.3	79.7	6.7	28.5	9.5	153.5	57.4	24.1	7.9	
75+		Diabetic	62	2.9	80.8	5.2	29.2	9.8	153.6	57.5	24.3	10.7	
		Non-diabetic	60	3.0	79.7	6.4	28.0	9.2	153.7	54.4	23.2	8.1	
OTHER/MULTIRACIAL													
Male		-0-19	Diabetic										
	Non-diabetic		201	3.5	99.3	10.3	27.2	9.3	144.9	50.5	21.6	9.6	
	-20-44	Diabetic	534	2.9	87.6	9.1	27.8	9.4	169.4	77.2	26.7	8.3	
		Non-diabetic	1,355	3.3	102.9	12.9	26.9	9.1	168.9	73.5	25.5	5.8	
	45-64	Diabetic	2,754	3.0	90.5	8.3	28.5	9.5	167.5	76.2	26.9	8.4	
		Non-diabetic	1,454	3.3	98.2	10.6	28.0	9.4	168.1	74.0	26.1	6.7	
	65-74	Diabetic	1,199	3.1	91.6	7.4	29.1	9.8	166.8	71.8	25.8	9.2	
		Non-diabetic	681	3.3	97.0	9.0	28.8	9.7	165.7	69.0	24.8	7.5	
	75+	Diabetic	493	3.2	90.7	6.8	29.5	9.9	166.3	68.6	24.9	9.9	
		Non-diabetic	610	3.3	92.3	8.0	29.5	9.8	165.2	64.1	23.4	8.6	
	Female	-0-19	Diabetic	*	4.5	69.0	16.5	34.0	11.7	152.0	44.0	19.0	3.0
			Non-diabetic	180	3.2	92.0	9.0	25.7	8.7	136.0	43.8	21.7	9.0
-20-44		Diabetic	341	2.8	79.6	7.6	27.3	9.1	159.2	68.3	26.9	7.9	
		Non-diabetic	893	3.3	91.0	10.2	26.4	8.8	157.9	64.1	25.6	5.8	
45-64		Diabetic	2,073	2.9	82.5	6.9	28.3	9.4	156.6	69.6	28.2	7.7	
		Non-diabetic	888	3.3	92.9	9.1	27.6	9.2	156.5	64.8	26.1	5.9	
65-74		Diabetic	1,338	3.0	82.4	6.4	28.6	9.5	155.8	64.5	26.5	8.1	
		Non-diabetic	493	3.2	85.8	7.7	28.7	9.6	155.2	59.3	24.6	6.9	
75+		Diabetic	561	3.1	82.7	6.0	29.3	9.7	154.7	60.0	24.8	8.8	
		Non-diabetic	505	3.2	86.0	6.7	29.1	9.7	153.7	55.4	23.4	7.8	
UNKNOWN													
Male		-0-19	Diabetic										
	Non-diabetic		43	3.5	85.8	9.2	27.2	9.4	145.7	45.3	19.9	10.2	
	-20-44	Diabetic	91	2.9	83.8	8.8	28.0	9.6	169.4	77.3	26.4	8.5	
		Non-diabetic	230	3.2	101.4	12.7	27.1	9.2	169.2	71.6	25.3	6.3	
	45-64	Diabetic	362	3.0	98.7	8.7	28.2	9.4	169.7	78.2	27.1	8.2	
		Non-diabetic	274	3.2	100.9	10.1	27.9	9.5	169.1	74.2	26.1	7.2	
	65-74	Diabetic	197	3.1	96.4	7.2	28.6	9.7	168.3	72.7	25.5	9.5	
		Non-diabetic	211	3.3	98.6	8.2	28.9	9.7	170.4	70.3	24.4	8.8	
	75+	Diabetic	101	3.0	96.7	6.7	30.3	10.0	166.4	69.7	24.4	10.4	
		Non-diabetic	192	3.2	94.1	7.2	29.2	9.8	167.4	67.7	23.6	9.3	
	Female	-0-19	Diabetic										
			Non-diabetic	25	3.1	96.1	9.4	26.6	9.1	142.4	42.7	20.7	8.6
-20-44		Diabetic	66	2.7	82.8	7.6	27.2	9.1	161.9	72.3	27.0	7.3	
		Non-diabetic	174	3.2	93.8	10.4	25.8	8.8	159.2	62.7	24.9	6.0	
45-64		Diabetic	326	3.0	84.2	6.8	28.3	9.4	157.4	71.8	28.9	8.0	
		Non-diabetic	240	3.2	88.7	8.5	28.1	9.3	159.5	67.6	26.4	6.3	
65-74		Diabetic	248	3.1	84.5	6.6	28.6	9.6	156.3	65.8	26.6	8.4	
		Non-diabetic	114	3.3	88.6	7.4	29.2	9.7	157.2	60.3	24.2	7.3	
75+		Diabetic	117	3.1	88.4	6.0	29.1	9.7	155.4	58.2	24.1	8.7	
		Non-diabetic	161	3.2	90.0	6.6	28.6	9.5	153.9	57.9	24.3	7.9	

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Table C.16

Lab Values & Physical Characteristics: by Hispanic Ethnicity

incident patients, by gender, age, & diabetic status

HISPANIC-MEXICAN			Patients	Serum	BUN (mg/dl)	Creat. (mg/dl)	Hct %	Hgb (g/dl)	Height (cm)	Weight (kg)	Body mass	eGFR (ml/min)	
Age group	Diabetes	albumin (g/dl)		index (kg/m ²)							by MDRD formula		
Male	-0-19	Diabetic	*	3.3	119.5	16.3	24.1	8.1	166.5	63.0	22.6	4.6	
		Non-diabetic	512	3.4	100.2	10.7	26.8	9.1	146.2	48.3	20.9	9.5	
	~20-44	Diabetic	1,385	2.8	85.8	8.8	27.9	9.4	169.9	80.8	27.7	8.5	
		Non-diabetic	2,799	3.3	104.7	12.9	26.8	9.1	168.8	74.5	26.0	6.0	
	45-64	Diabetic	7,093	3.0	88.6	8.0	28.5	9.6	168.7	78.1	27.3	8.7	
		Non-diabetic	2,571	3.2	94.8	9.9	28.0	9.4	168.8	75.7	26.6	7.3	
	65-74	Diabetic	3,312	3.1	89.4	7.1	29.0	9.7	167.8	73.1	25.9	9.8	
		Non-diabetic	1,575	3.2	92.8	8.4	28.9	9.7	168.0	69.9	24.8	8.4	
	75+	Diabetic	1,363	3.1	89.9	6.3	29.5	9.9	166.3	68.2	24.7	10.7	
		Non-diabetic	1,315	3.2	89.7	7.1	29.5	9.9	165.8	65.7	23.8	9.6	
	Female	-0-19	Diabetic	*	2.9	83.7	8.3	28.1	9.4	163.6	60.3	22.6	10.9
			Non-diabetic	422	3.2	89.5	9.3	26.0	8.7	139.8	43.4	20.9	9.4
		~20-44	Diabetic	998	2.7	78.1	7.3	27.4	9.2	158.2	72.0	28.6	8.1
			Non-diabetic	1,961	3.2	90.9	10.0	26.4	8.9	157.3	65.1	26.2	6.1
45-64		Diabetic	6,714	2.9	81.0	6.5	28.4	9.5	156.3	70.8	28.8	8.3	
		Non-diabetic	1,779	3.2	87.9	8.3	27.9	9.3	156.4	67.2	27.3	6.8	
65-74		Diabetic	4,425	3.0	81.9	6.1	29.0	9.7	155.4	65.4	27.1	8.7	
		Non-diabetic	1,252	3.2	84.4	7.0	28.9	9.6	155.4	62.0	25.7	7.7	
75+		Diabetic	1,882	3.0	82.1	5.4	29.3	9.8	154.0	60.5	25.5	9.8	
		Non-diabetic	1,229	3.1	83.4	6.0	29.4	9.8	153.5	56.3	24.0	8.7	
HISPANIC-OTHER													
Male		-0-19	Diabetic	*	2.5	59.8	9.4	25.2	8.6	170.3	69.5	23.9	12.0
			Non-diabetic	291	3.4	96.4	9.9	27.5	9.3	146.4	50.0	21.4	9.8
		~20-44	Diabetic	857	3.0	85.9	8.8	28.2	9.5	168.7	78.0	27.2	8.5
	Non-diabetic		2,103	3.3	101.5	12.5	27.2	9.2	169.5	74.5	25.8	6.1	
	45-64	Diabetic	4,202	3.1	90.5	8.1	28.8	9.6	167.9	76.3	26.9	8.6	
		Non-diabetic	2,381	3.3	98.9	10.3	28.2	9.5	168.5	74.1	25.9	6.9	
	65-74	Diabetic	2,148	3.2	90.5	7.2	29.2	9.8	166.8	71.8	25.8	9.4	
		Non-diabetic	1,373	3.3	94.2	8.7	28.9	9.7	167.0	69.6	24.8	7.8	
	75+	Diabetic	927	3.2	91.0	6.8	29.9	9.9	166.7	69.3	24.9	10.0	
		Non-diabetic	1,326	3.2	92.1	7.8	29.4	9.8	166.0	65.5	23.5	8.7	
	Female	-0-19	Diabetic	*	4.5	69.0	16.5	34.0	11.7	152.0	44.0	19.0	3.0
			Non-diabetic	245	3.2	91.7	9.2	26.5	8.9	139.8	44.3	21.6	9.0
		~20-44	Diabetic	594	2.8	78.4	7.5	27.4	9.1	159.5	68.6	27.1	7.8
			Non-diabetic	1,465	3.3	90.2	10.0	26.6	8.9	158.7	64.1	25.4	6.0
45-64		Diabetic	3,183	2.9	82.0	6.8	28.6	9.5	157.2	69.9	28.3	7.9	
		Non-diabetic	1,603	3.3	90.8	8.9	27.9	9.3	157.3	64.4	25.8	6.2	
65-74		Diabetic	2,216	3.0	83.4	6.4	28.9	9.6	156.5	65.5	26.6	8.2	
		Non-diabetic	959	3.2	85.7	7.5	28.8	9.6	155.7	61.3	25.1	7.3	
75+		Diabetic	1,009	3.1	83.6	5.9	29.7	9.8	155.3	60.8	25.2	8.7	
		Non-diabetic	958	3.2	86.1	6.6	29.3	9.8	154.8	57.1	23.9	7.9	
NON-HISPANIC													
Male		-0-19	Diabetic	26	3.2	75.1	8.9	28.5	9.7	164.5	67.7	24.4	13.1
			Non-diabetic	3,179	3.4	91.0	9.6	28.1	9.6	149.3	51.3	21.4	10.8
		~20-44	Diabetic	13,421	3.0	84.5	8.5	28.7	9.7	174.5	81.1	26.5	9.3
	Non-diabetic		31,447	3.3	99.4	12.1	27.9	9.5	175.2	82.1	26.6	6.9	
	45-64	Diabetic	47,532	3.1	92.1	7.9	29.1	9.7	175.2	87.6	28.5	9.5	
		Non-diabetic	50,576	3.3	95.9	9.8	28.8	9.7	175.2	81.7	26.6	7.8	
	65-74	Diabetic	30,457	3.2	94.2	6.9	29.6	9.9	173.7	81.3	26.9	10.4	
		Non-diabetic	40,587	3.3	93.6	8.0	29.5	9.9	173.8	75.4	24.9	8.9	
	75+	Diabetic	17,886	3.2	94.3	6.2	29.9	10.0	172.2	75.1	25.3	11.2	
		Non-diabetic	48,084	3.2	93.6	7.0	29.9	10.0	172.2	70.4	23.7	9.8	
	Female	-0-19	Diabetic	37	3.0	66.9	8.6	26.1	8.6	160.1	62.4	24.4	9.9
			Non-diabetic	2,598	3.2	87.5	9.1	26.9	9.1	145.1	49.9	22.2	9.7
		~20-44	Diabetic	10,424	2.9	77.2	7.4	28.2	9.4	162.3	73.3	27.7	8.6
			Non-diabetic	21,983	3.2	85.2	9.9	27.2	9.1	162.1	71.4	27.1	6.6
45-64		Diabetic	47,009	3.0	84.3	6.8	28.7	9.5	161.7	80.7	30.8	8.6	
		Non-diabetic	36,807	3.3	86.8	8.3	28.5	9.5	161.6	71.6	27.3	7.1	
65-74		Diabetic	36,184	3.1	85.9	6.2	29.1	9.7	160.4	74.0	28.7	9.0	
		Non-diabetic	31,323	3.2	85.5	7.1	29.2	9.7	160.2	65.4	25.5	7.9	
75+		Diabetic	21,182	3.1	86.4	5.7	29.4	9.8	159.0	67.4	26.7	9.6	
		Non-diabetic	39,157	3.1	85.9	6.3	29.5	9.8	158.5	59.9	23.9	8.6	

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