

# Network 5 Area Support Group Listing | 2019

<u>DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA</u>							
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<u>MARYLAND</u>							
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DaVita Landover	Kenny Smith	Phone: 301-322-2861	1-5	Patients Only	In-Center Only	As needed – decided by group	No
U.S. Renal Care North Baltimore	Jay Joyner	<a href="mailto:Jerome.Joyner@usrenalcare.com">Jerome.Joyner@usrenalcare.com</a> Phone: 410-956-1793	1-5	Patients, family members and support partners	In-Center and Home	Monthly at the dialysis center	Yes
<u>VIRGINIA</u>							
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UVA Staunton	Rebecca Peters	<a href="mailto:rpt3e@virginia.edu">rpt3e@virginia.edu</a> Phone: 540-213-0474	6-10	Patients, family members and support partners	In-Center & Home	Monthly Every 3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday from 4pm-5pm	No
Royal Oak Dialysis	Opal Burris	Phone: 276-783-4377	1-5	Patients, family members and	In-Center Only	About 4 times a year in the	Yes

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				support partners		clinic lobby (very informal and casual)	
<b>University of Virginia Hospital</b>	Debbie Sprouse	<a href="mailto:DSS6N@hscmail.mcc.virginia.edu">DSS6N@hscmail.mcc.virginia.edu</a> Phone: 434-924-5959	1-5	Patients, family members and support partners	In-Center Only	Tuesdays 5:30-7pm in lobby of the kidney center	Yes
<b>UVA Amherst</b>	Jennifer Nelson	<a href="mailto:jln6z@virginia.edu">jln6z@virginia.edu</a> Phone: 434-946-0785	1-5	Patients, family members and support partners	In-Center Only	Every other month on Saturday mornings	Yes
<b>Kidney Support Group of Richmond</b>	Barbara Buchanan	Phone: 804-745-3287	11-15	Patients, family members and support partners	In-Center and Home	Every second Wednesday of each month 5:30pm	Yes
<b>VCU Transplant Support Group</b>	Sheila Bullock	Phone: 804-828-8193	Unknown	Patients, family members and support partners	In-Center and Home	Second and Fourth Tuesday of each month Noon-1pm	Yes
<b>Hampton Roads Kidney Support @Sentara Careplex Hospital</b>	Aaron Steward	<a href="mailto:Innerreins41@yahoo.com">Innerreins41@yahoo.com</a> Phone: 757-593-6973	2-15	Patients, family members and support partners	All Modalities and people with diabetes/pre-diabetic	4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month 6pm-7pm	Yes
<b>DaVita Hioaks Dialysis Empowerment Group</b>	Holly O'Connell & Adrienne Odom	<a href="mailto:Holly.oconnell@davita.com">Holly.oconnell@davita.com</a> Phone: 804-327-2447	5-10	Patients, family members, care partners/givers	All Modalities	3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday Each Month 11am-12:30pm	

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<u>WEST VIRGINIA</u>							
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FMC-Kanawha County	Judith Malone	<a href="mailto:judith.malone@fmc-na.com">judith.malone@fmc-na.com</a> Phone: 304-766-1009	1-5	Pt's, family members and support partners	In-center & Home	Monthly in the clinic	Yes

## ***Additional Support Resources***

### **National Kidney Foundation (NKF)**

[www.kidney.org](http://www.kidney.org)

### **NKF Serving Virginia**

804-288-8342

### **NKF Serving Maryland & Delaware**

410-494-8545

### **NKF Serving the National Capital Area & Virginia**

202-244-7900

### **NKF Peers**

[nkfpeers@kidney.org](mailto:nkfpeers@kidney.org)

855-NKF-PEERS (653-7337)

### **American Association of Kidney Patients**

<https://aakp.org>

800-749-AAKP (2257)

### **Renal Support Network (RSN)**

[www.rsnhope.org](http://www.rsnhope.org)

HOPEline- 800-579-1970 (Pacific Time)