

Kidney Transplantation Selection Criteria

To be considered for kidney transplantation at the University of Virginia, candidates will meet one of the following criteria:

- **Calculated GFR or Creatinine Clearance less than or equal to 20 ml/min**
- **Require hemodialysis or peritoneal dialysis for management of End Stage Renal Disease**
- **Transplant Nephrologist documents need for renal transplantation with a living donor**

Patients may be declined for kidney transplantation at the University of Virginia for one or more of the following:

- **Age greater than 80 years**
- **Ongoing irreversible vascular disease**
- **Active infection**
- **Active cancer**
- **Current substance abuse excluding marijuana**
- **Life expectancy less than 5 years**