

HAP10 Dialysis

The trainee will be able to evaluate the patient who presents on dialysis who is unwell and produce a valid differential diagnosis, appropriate investigation and implement a management plan

Knowledge	Assessment Methods	GMP Domains
Know the different types of dialysis and their complications	E, Mi, C, ACAT	1
Recognition of sepsis in these patients	E, Mi, C, ACAT	1
Indications for urgent dialysis - hyperkalaemia, pulmonary oedema, fluid overload	E, Mi, C, ACAT	1
Know the consequences of missed dialysis	E, Mi, C, ACAT	
Skills		
Recognise and treat life-threatening hyperkalaemia and pulmonary oedema	Mi, C, D	1
Recognise the need to preserve fistulae and risks of catheter-related sepsis	Mi, C	1
Behaviour		
Liaise closely with renal physicians/critical care to establish if emergency dialysis needed	Mi, C	2