

PATIENT & STAFF RESOURCES

Resource Material/Description	Brief Description	Media Type	Available On-Line @
AAKP Access Booklet and Patient Plan (Patients)	Brochure describes permanent and temporary access placements, how accesses are placed, when they are used, and strengths and limitations of each.	Booklet	http://www.aakp.org/AccessBooklet5.pdf
Access Management- The Native AV Fistula (Patients)	Keys to successful creation, maturation and maintenance of the Native AV Fistula. 10 minutes	Video	http://www.medisystems.com/
Early Renal Insufficiency Program (Staff)	Education for PCPs and other physicians caring for CKD patients.	Handout	http://www.orthobiotech.com/
BE Active Website (Patients & Staff)	Comprehensive management of early renal insufficiency including working with multidisciplinary team, communication, timing of access placement as it relates to CKD	Website	http://www.beactive.com/
Buttonhole Method of Needle Insertion into AV Fistulas (Staff)	Discussion of technique of buttonhole cannulation of AV fistulas	Video	http://www.medisystems.com/
Getting the Most from Your Treatment-What You Need to Know About Your Access (Patients)	Descriptions and drawings of vascular access options. Lists complications, briefly discusses self-cannulation & buttonhole technique. Publication #: NKF-DOQI No. 112	Brochure	http://www.kidney.org/
Introduction to Cannulation: Steps to Optimal Cannulation (Patients & Staff)	Addresses the basic concerns and techniques necessary to achieve optimal cannulation	Video	http://www.medisystems.com/
Just the Facts: Vascular Access (Patients)	Access patient education	Handout	http://www.lifeoptions.org/pdfs/teachtools/vafac.pdf
Kidney School Module 8: Vascular Access: A Lifeline for Dialysis (Patients)	Online teaching module for patient that discusses various vascular access options	Website	http://www.kidneyschool.org/

<i>FMC Vascular Access QI Module (Staff)</i>	QI Module for Vascular Access	Handout	http://fmcna.com/
<i>Early Intervention Strategies for Pre-ESRD (Staff)</i>	Program to assist in managing Pre-ESRD patients	Website	http://www.renaladvances.com/
<i>NKF-DOQI Clinical Practice Guidelines for Vascular Access-Quick Reference Handbook (Patients & Staff)</i>	Provides overview of the clinical practice guidelines for vascular access	Booklet	www.kidney.org
<i>Vascular Access For Hemodialysis (Patients)</i>	Provides comprehensive information on all access types, what to expect during hemodialysis, possible complications, and taking care of your access	Booklet	http://kidney.niddk.nih.gov/
<i>Practice Arms for Cannulation (Staff)</i>	Venipuncture practice arm for cannulation	Practice Arm	http://www.healthedco.com