Kidney Care UK

Ensuring no one faces kidney disease alone

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About kidney disease

Around **7 million people** in the UK live with chronic kidney disease (CKD), and **1 million of them don't know that they do**.

Over 68,000 are treated for kidney failure, **relying on dialysis or a transplant to keep them alive.**

Treatments are gruelling and relentless and impact patients' ability to work, maintain social interaction and live the lives they choose.

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For over 50 years, Kidney Care UK has been at the forefront of supporting people with kidney disease. From our early days when we campaigned to introduce donor cards in the UK, we have worked hard to **support and represent the interests of everyone affected by kidney disease**.

What we do

- Our mission is to **improve the quality of life for everyone affected by kidney disease.**
- We provide **practical, emotional and financial support** to kidney patients and their families.
- We **campaign at a national and governmental level** to improve kidney health and care services.
- We **fund patient-centred projects** to help improve kidney care services throughout the UK.

Financial support

Telephone counselling

Advice and support

Trusted information

Benefits support

Fighting for better care

What we offer

Pension

- Employer contributes 8% with minimum employee contribution of 2%

Flexible working

Retail discounts

Generous annual leave

- 25 days annual leave (pro-rata for part time), plus Bank Holidays and three days between Christmas and New Year

Cycle2Work Scheme

Employee Assistance

- Financial and debt advice service
- Access to range of online resources, podcasts, and advice
- 24/7 access to free, qualified counsellors (and up to eight face-to-face sessions per year)

Family leave

- Enhanced Maternity, Paternity and Adoption Pay

Health Cash Plan

- Claiming back towards the cost of routine medical and health treatments
- Discounted health club/gym membership for participating gyms
- Access to Virtual GP and prescription service, digital physiotherapy, as well as a health and stress helpline

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