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2020 ERA Registry Annual Report

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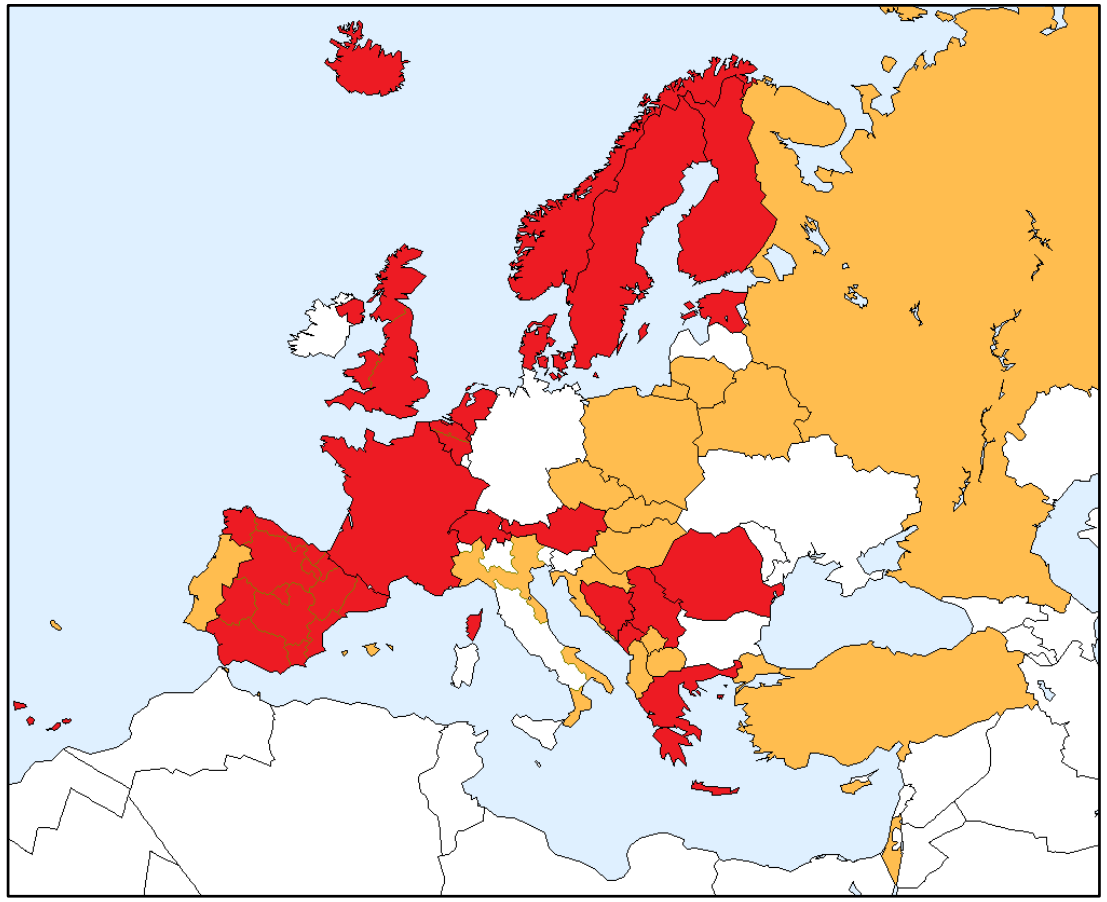

Renal registries contributing with individual patient data

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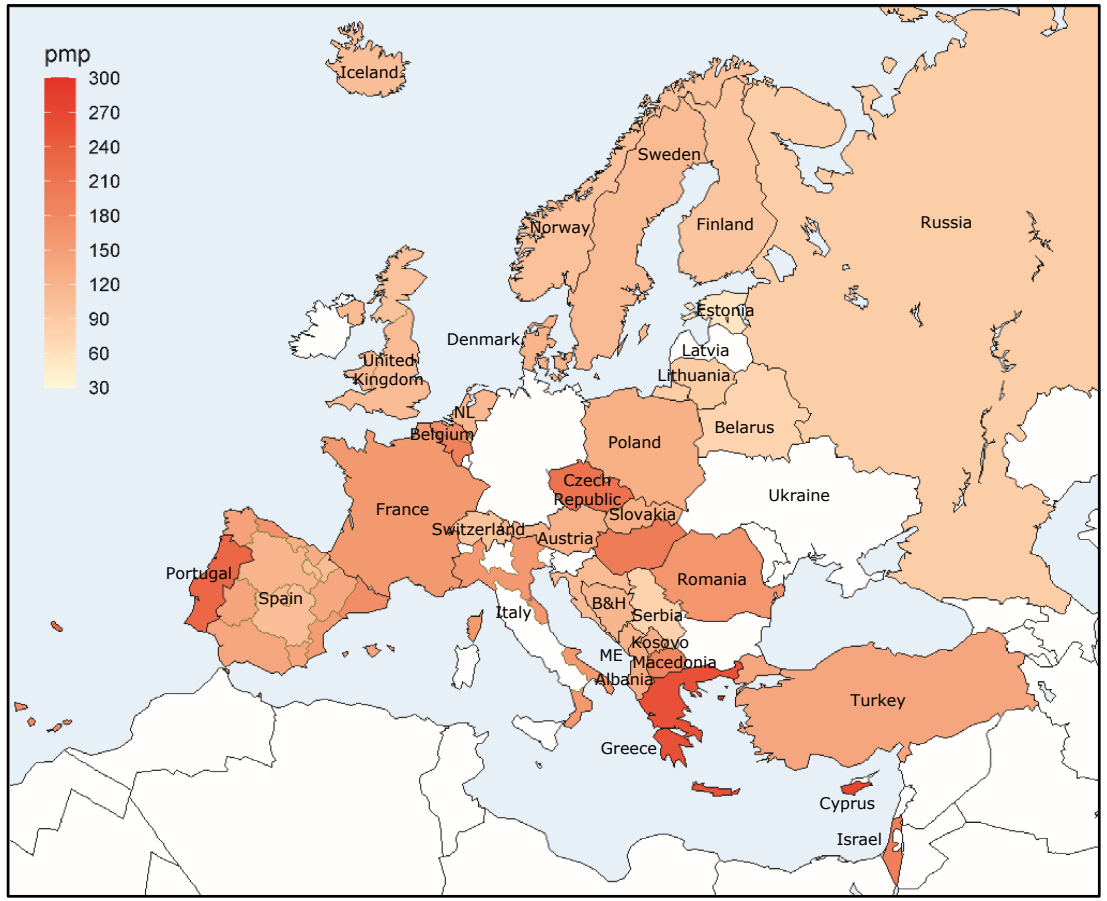
Incident patients accepted for KRT in 2020, at day 1

by country



Incident patients accepted for KRT in 2020, at day 1

by country

Unadjusted incidence

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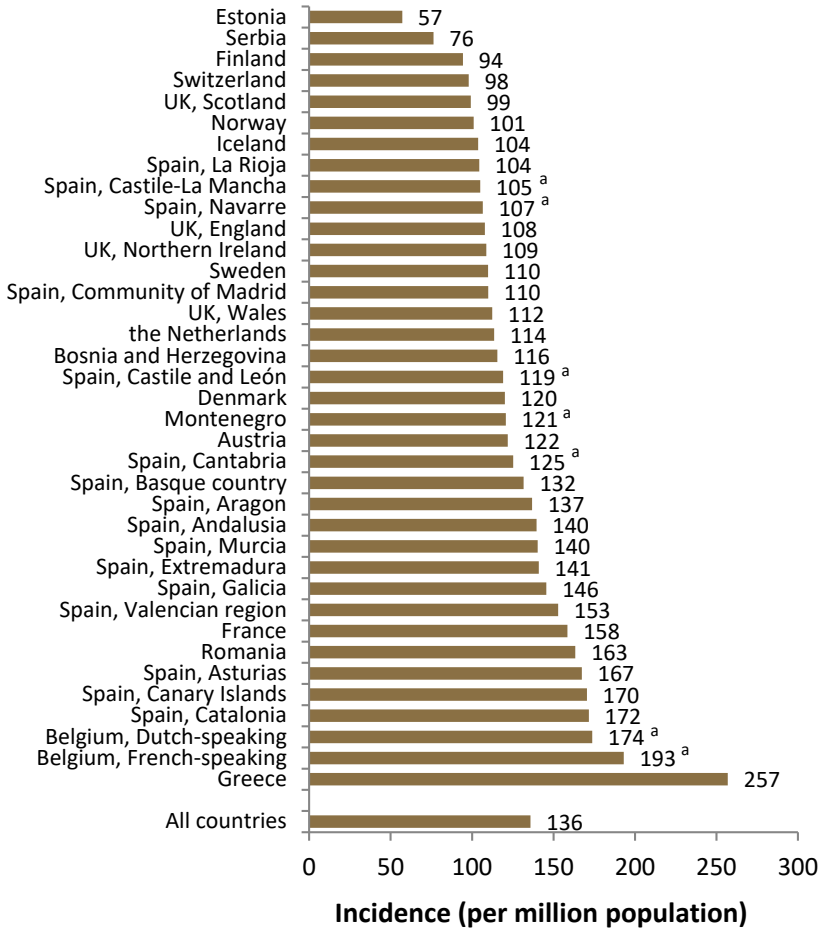

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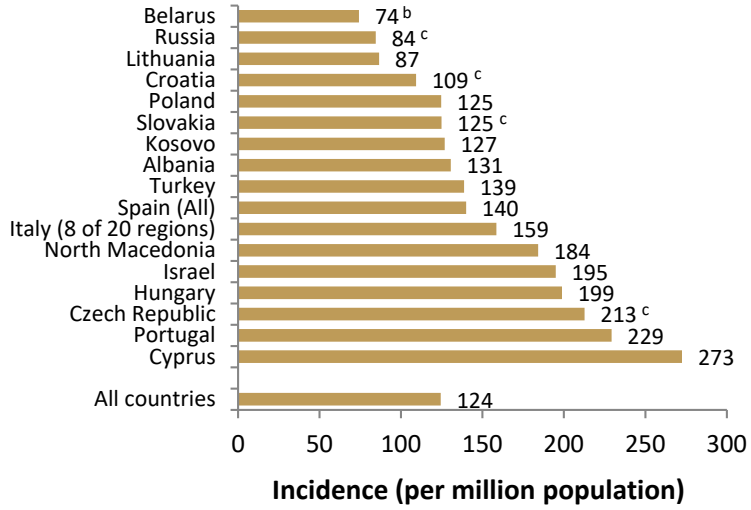

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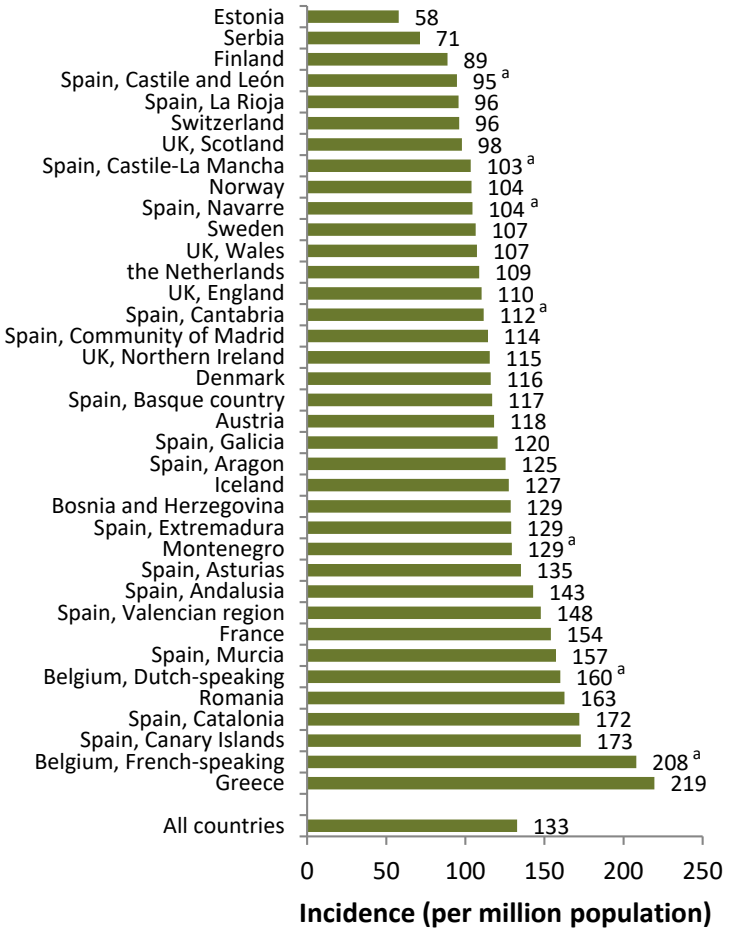
Incident patients accepted for KRT in 2020, at day 1

by country, adjusted for age and sex

Adjusted incidence

renal registries providing individual patient data



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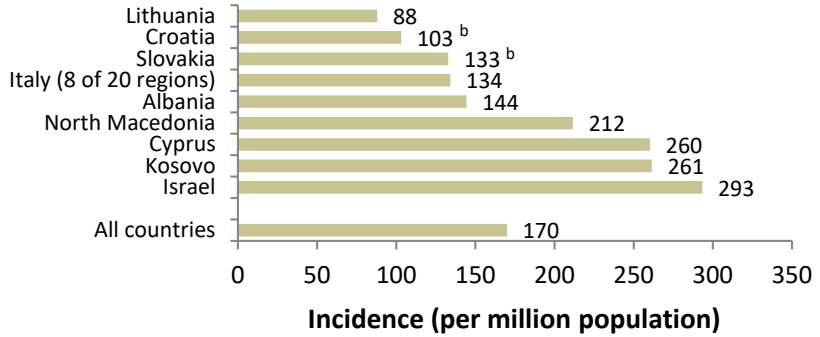

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Incident patients accepted for KRT in 2020, at day 1

mean age

Mean age at start of KRT

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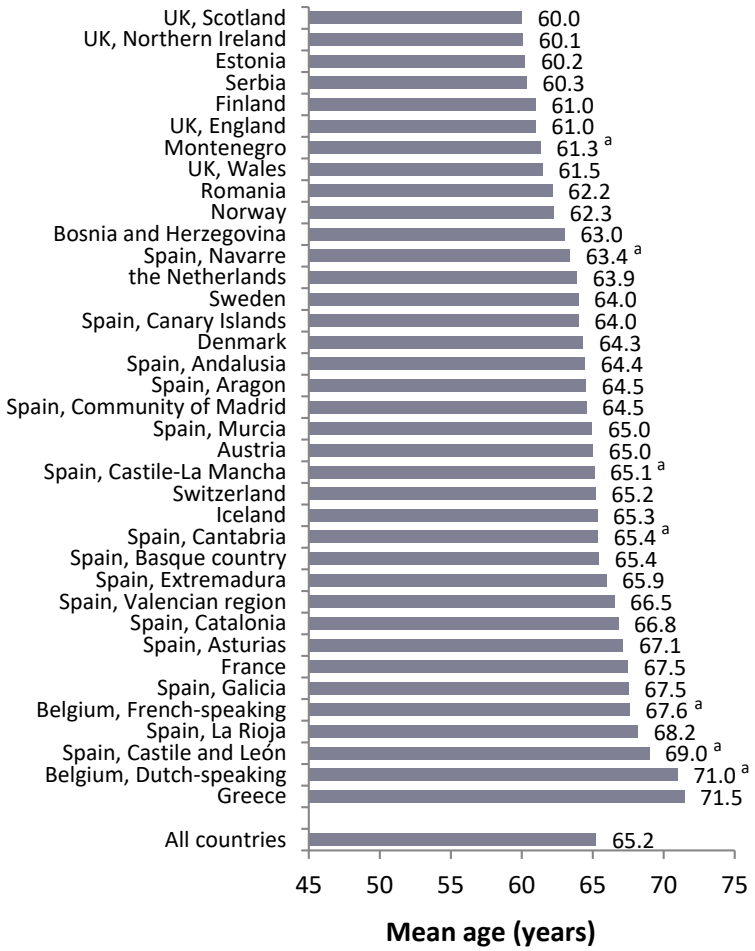

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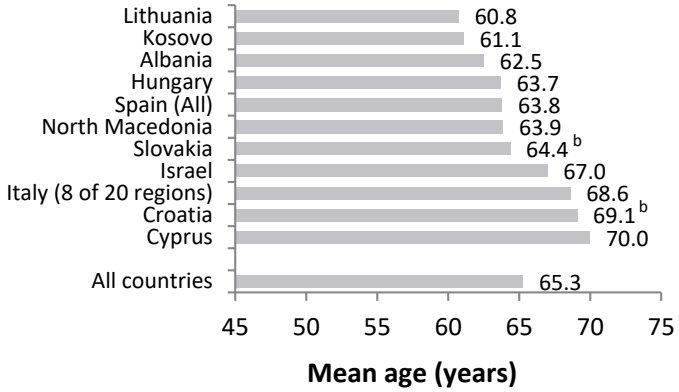

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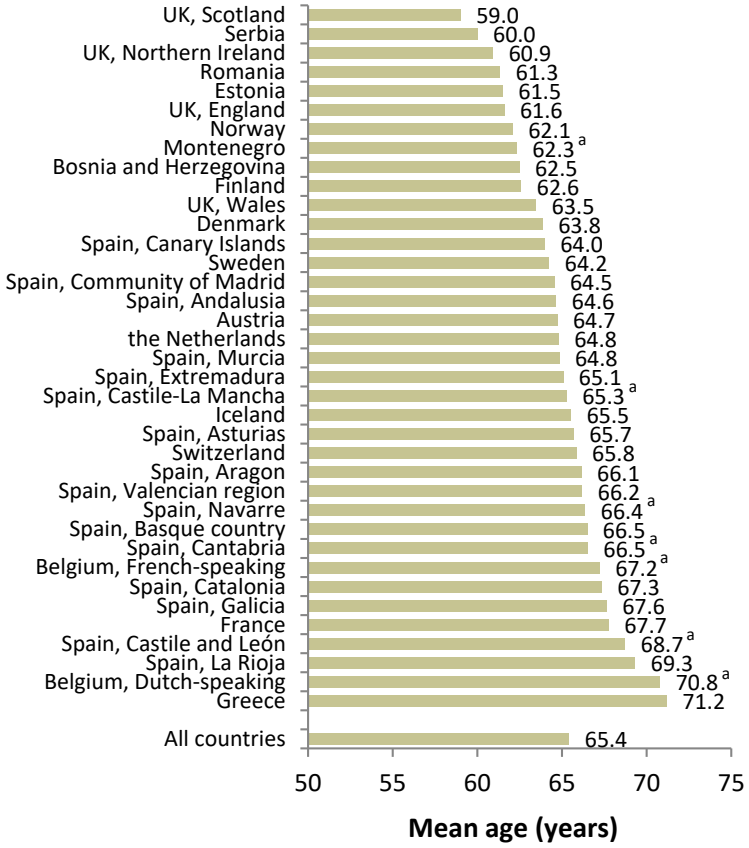
registries providing individual patient data only

Mean age at start of KRT

male patients



Mean age at start of KRT

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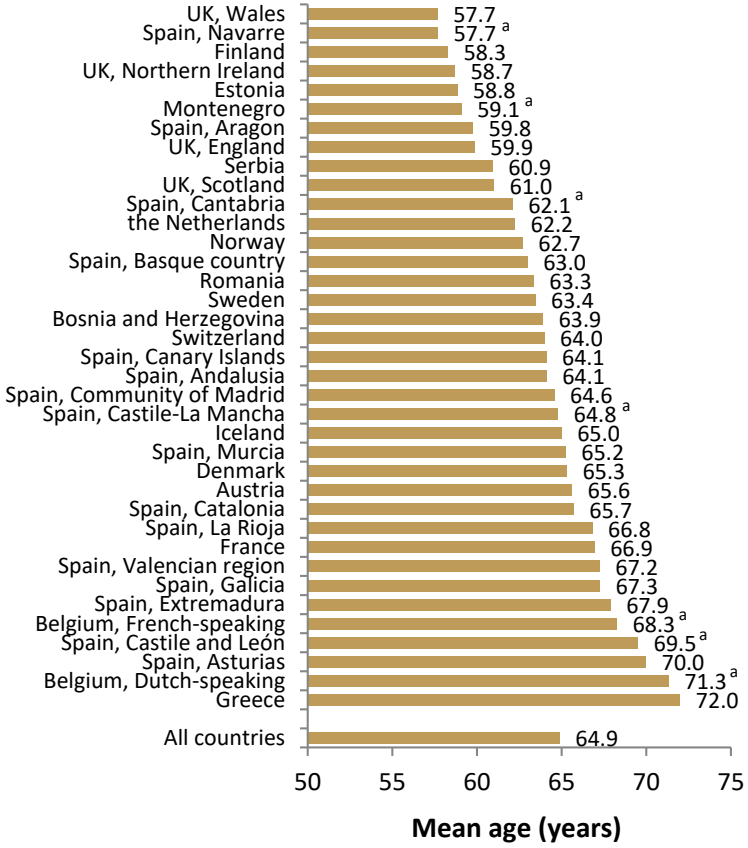

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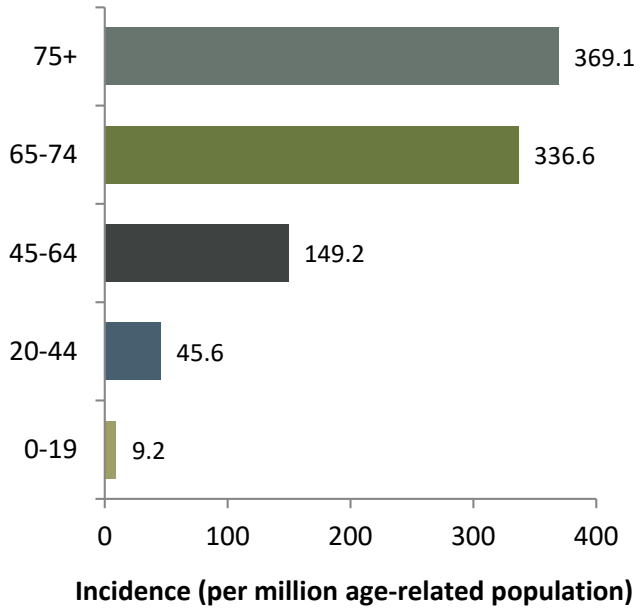
Incident patients accepted for KRT in 2020, at day 1

by age category

Incidence by age category

for all registries



Incidence by age category

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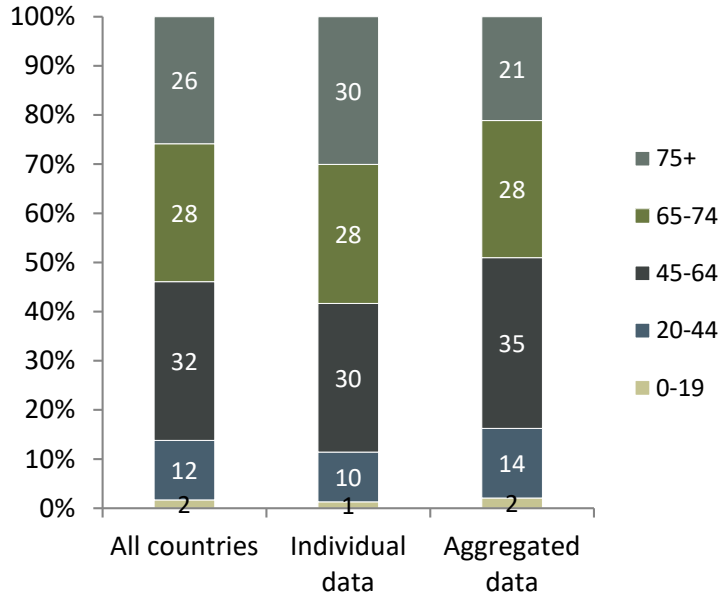

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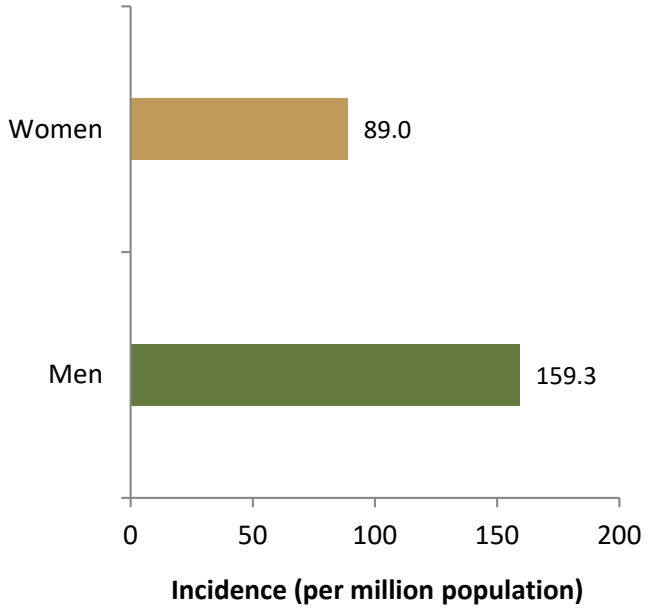
by sex

Incidence by sex

for all registries



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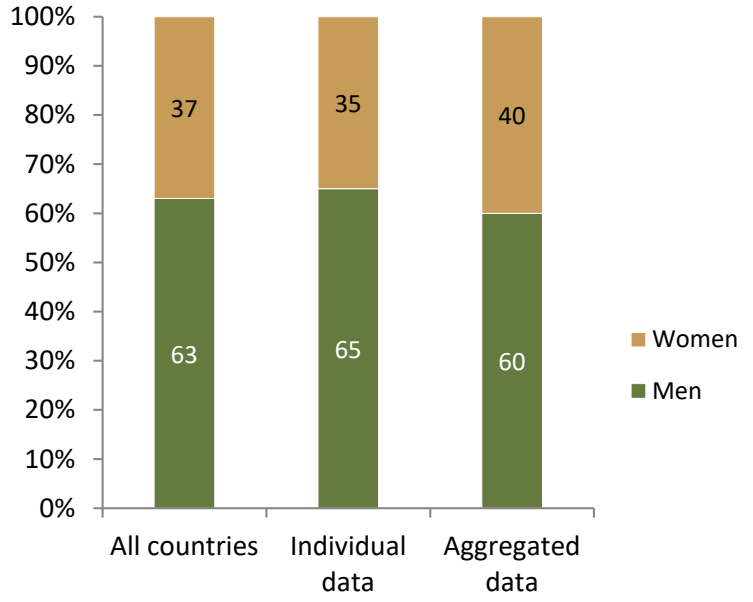

Incident patients accepted for KRT in 2020, at day 1

by primary renal disease

Incidence by primary renal disease

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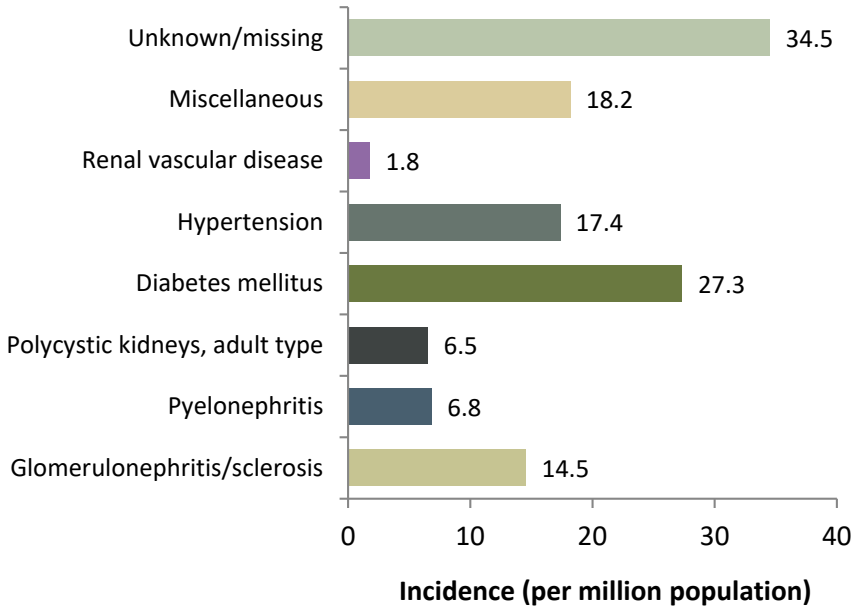

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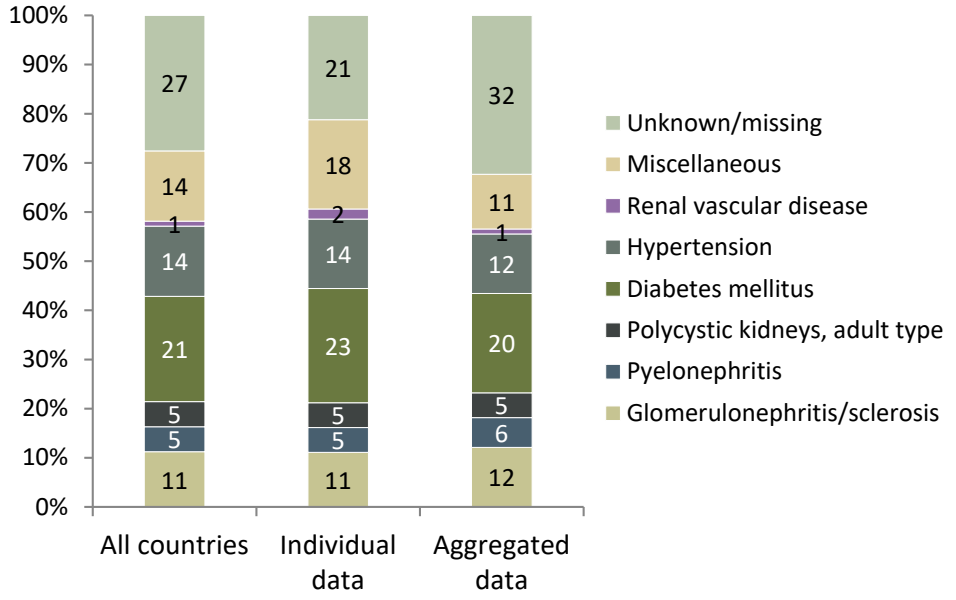


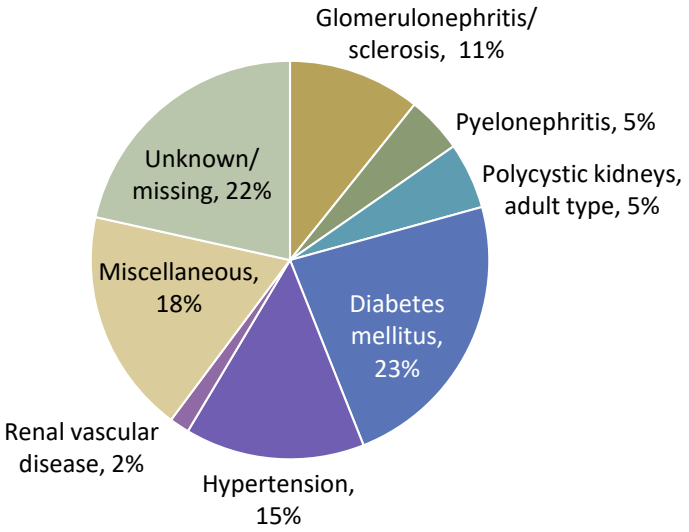
Incident patients accepted for KRT in 2020, at day 1

by primary renal disease and age category

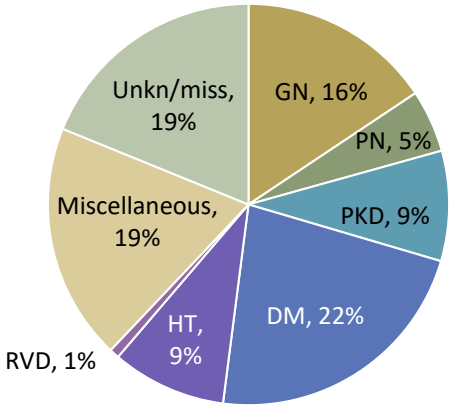
Incidence by primary renal disease

patients from registries providing individual patient data only

all patients



patients younger than 65 years of age at the start of KRT



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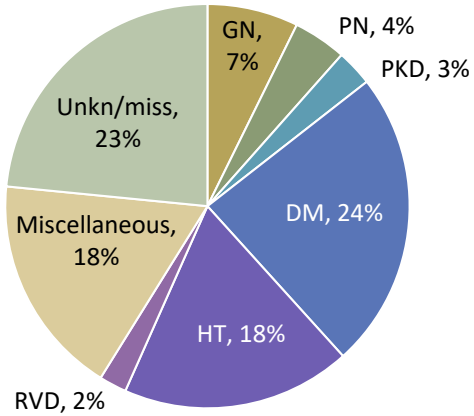

Incident patients accepted for KRT in 2020, at day 91

by established modality

Incidence at day 91 by established modality

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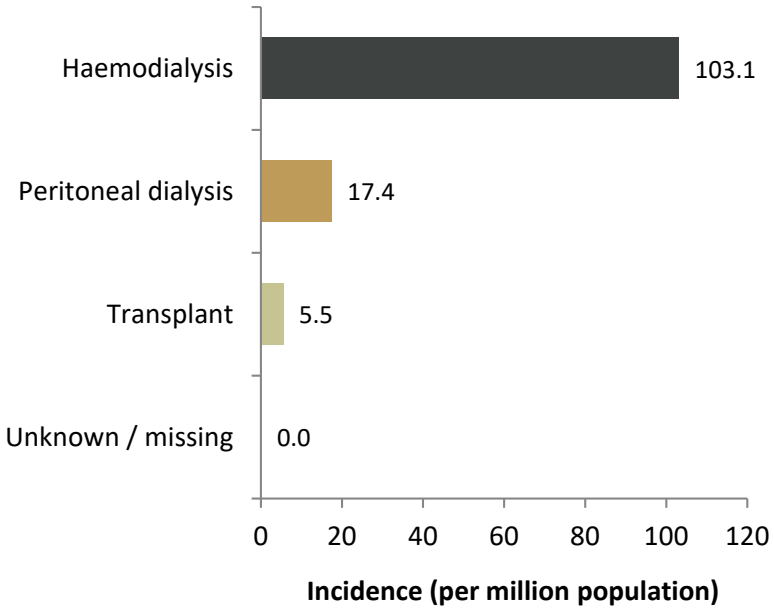

Incidence at day 91 by established modality

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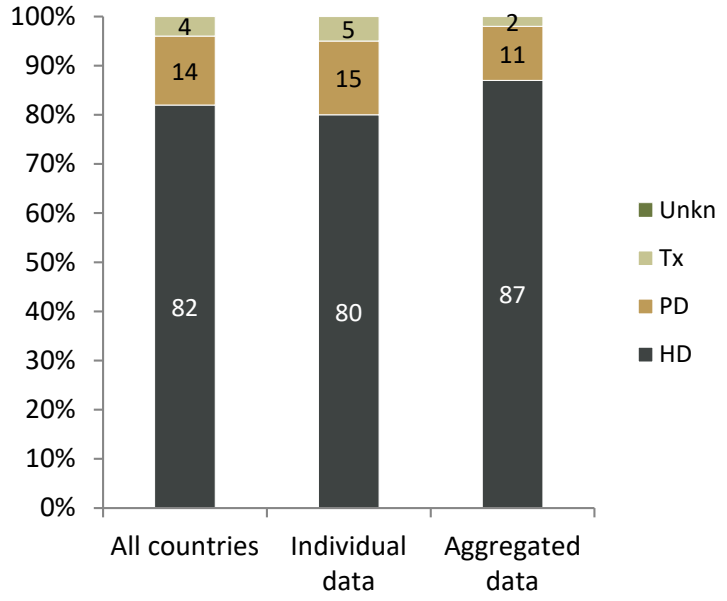

Incident patients accepted for KRT in 2020, at day 91

by established modality and age category

Incidence at day 91 by established modality

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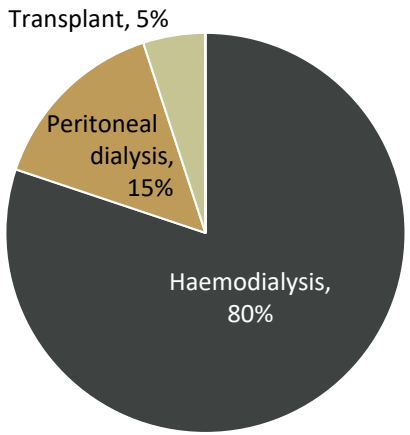

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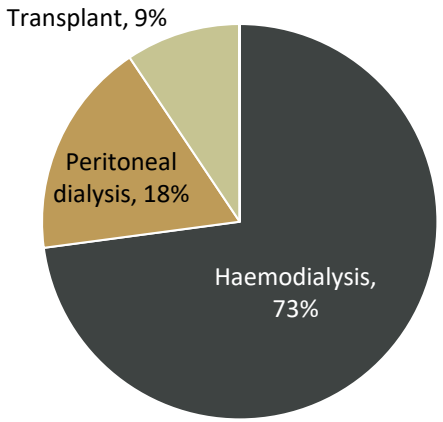

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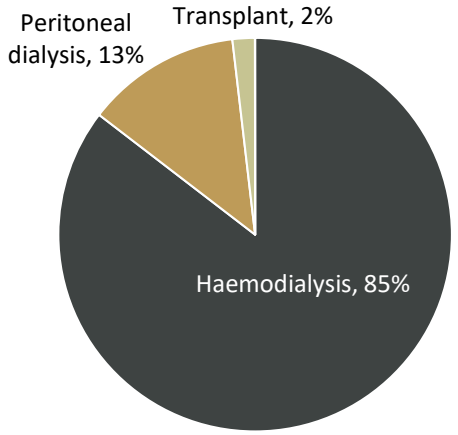
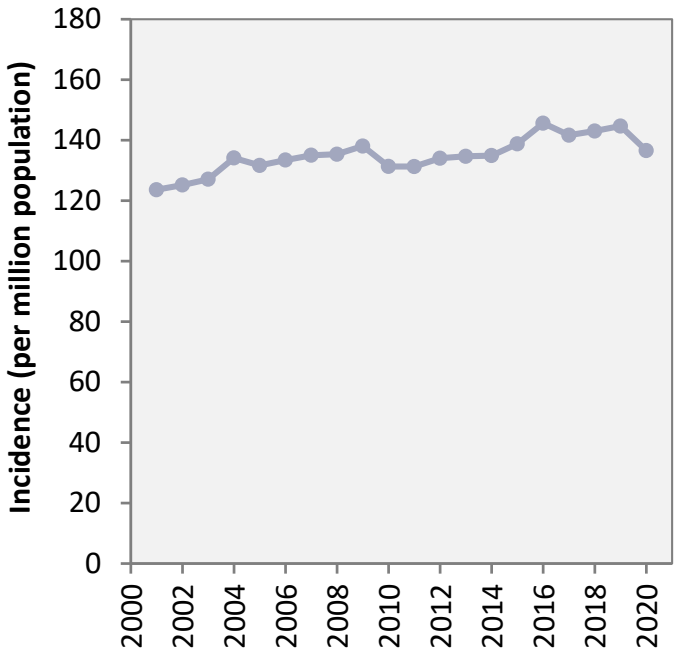


Incident patients accepted for KRT, at day 1

last 20 years (2002-2020)

Unadjusted incidence over time

all patients starting KRT



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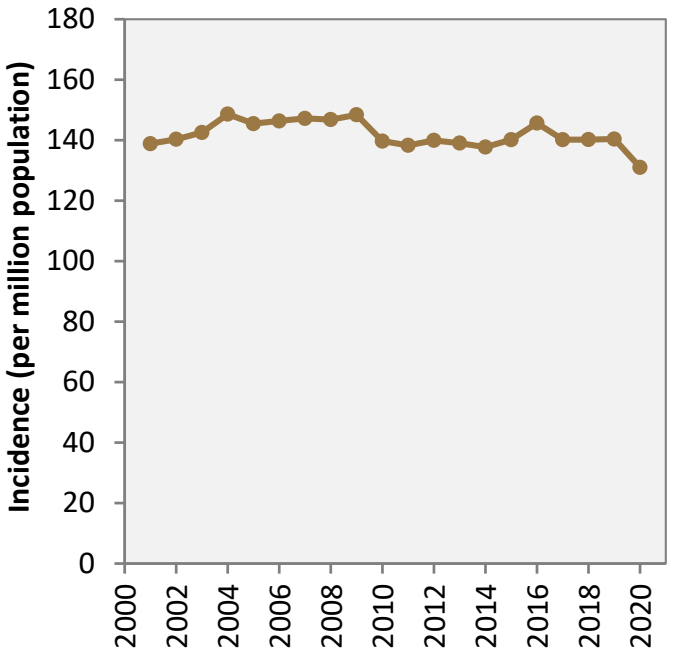

Incident patients accepted for KRT, at day 1

last 15 years (2006-2020)

Unadjusted incidence over time

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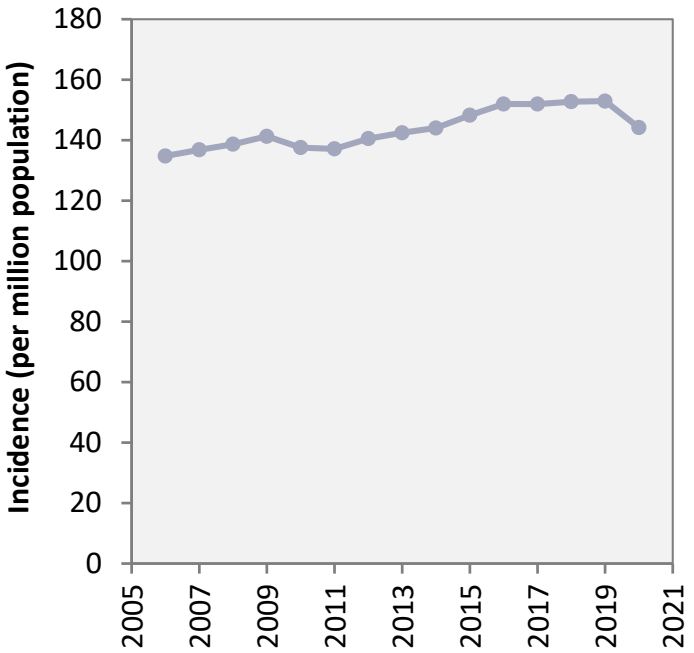

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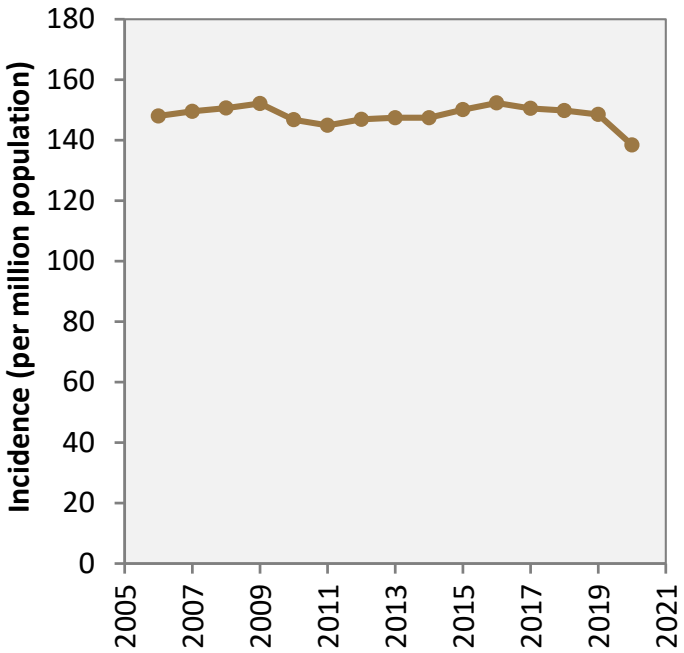
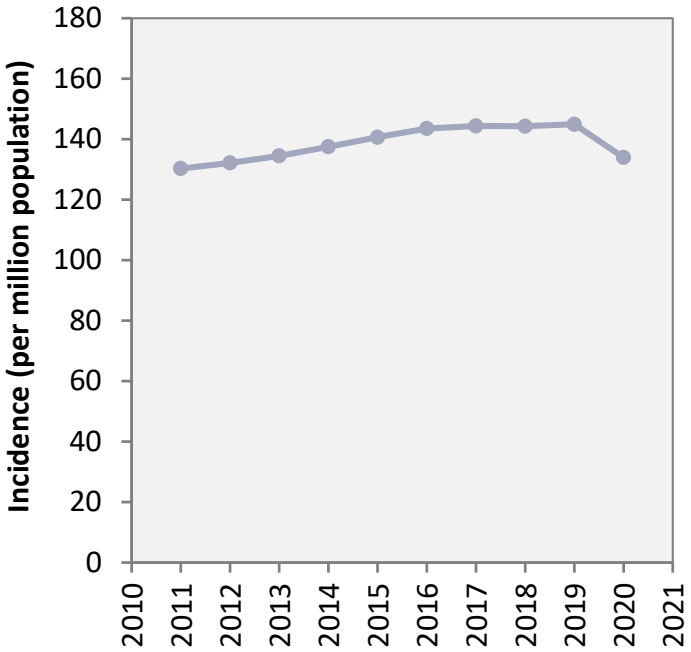


Incident patients accepted for KRT, at day 1

last 10 years (2011-2020)

Unadjusted incidence over time

all patients starting KRT



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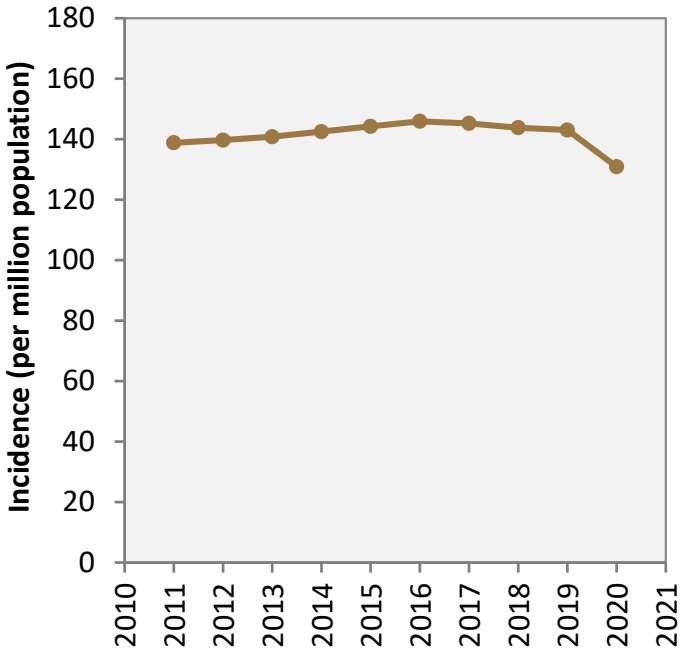
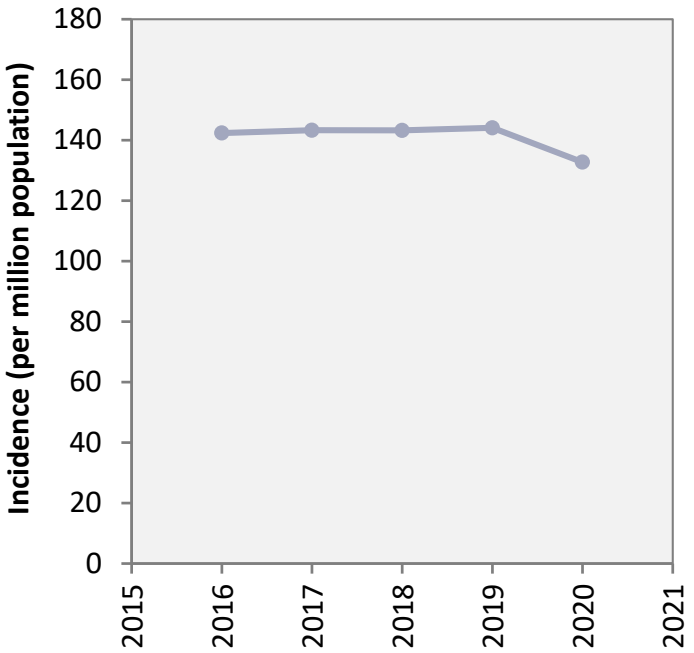


Incident patients accepted for KRT, at day 1

last 5 years (2016-2020)

Unadjusted incidence over time

all patients starting KRT



Adjusted incidence over time

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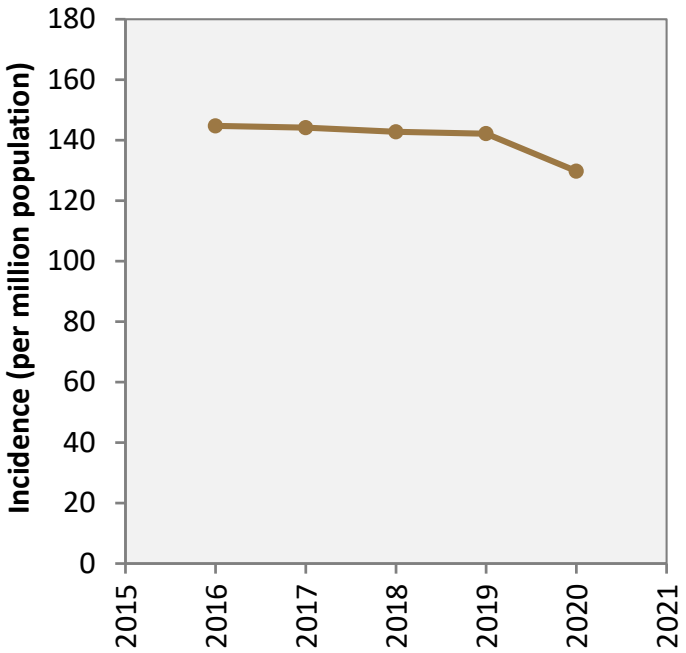
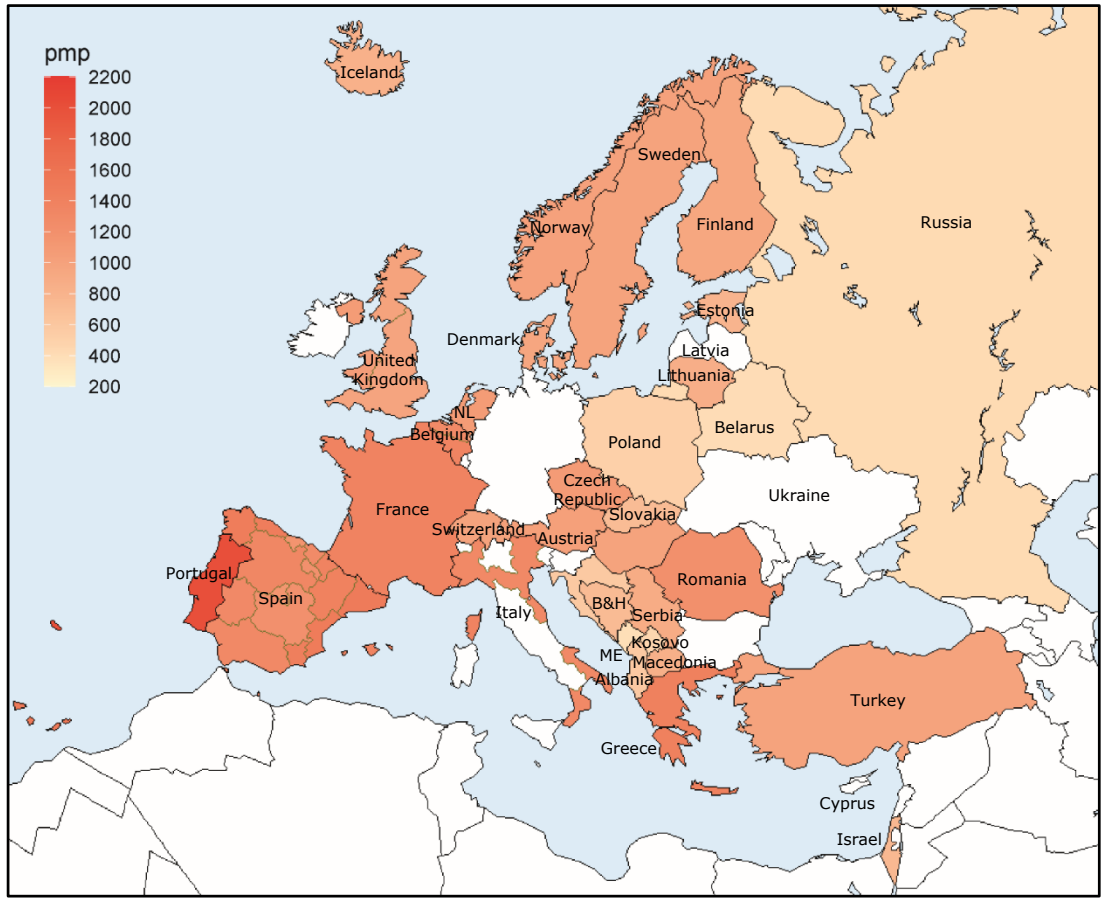


Prevalent patients on KRT in 2020

by country

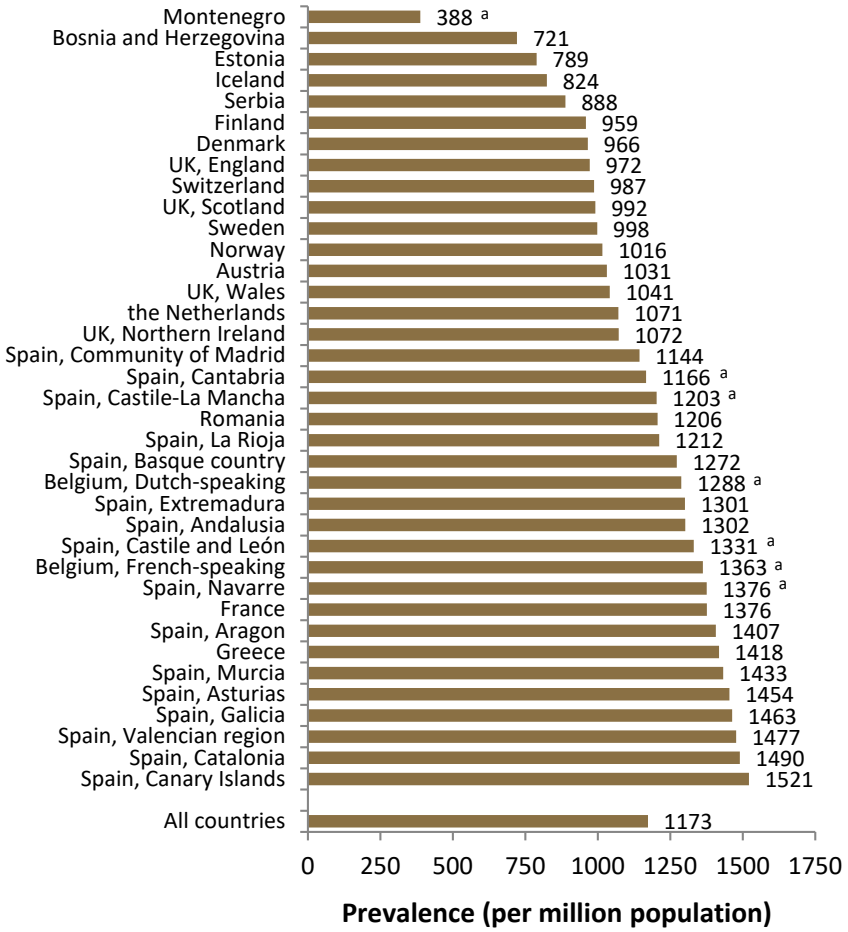


Prevalent patients on KRT in 2020

by country

Unadjusted prevalence

renal registries providing individual patient data



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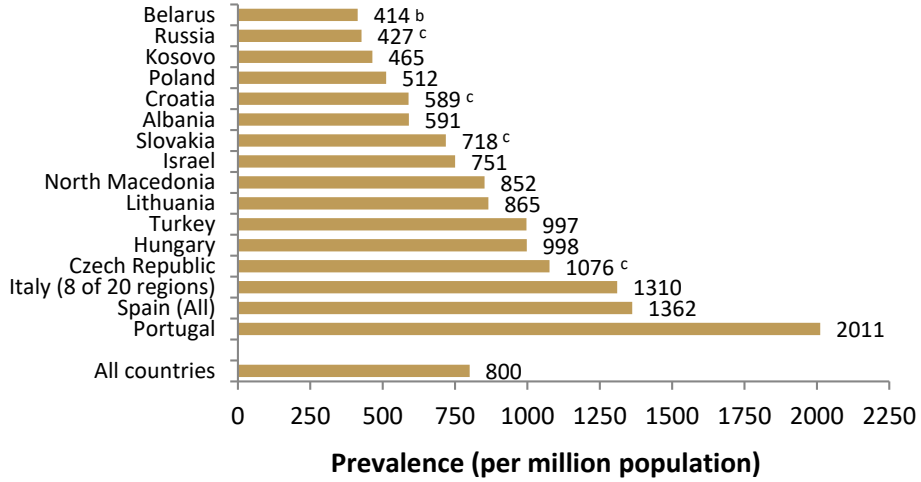

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Prevalent patients on KRT in 2020

by country, adjusted for age and sex

Adjusted prevalence

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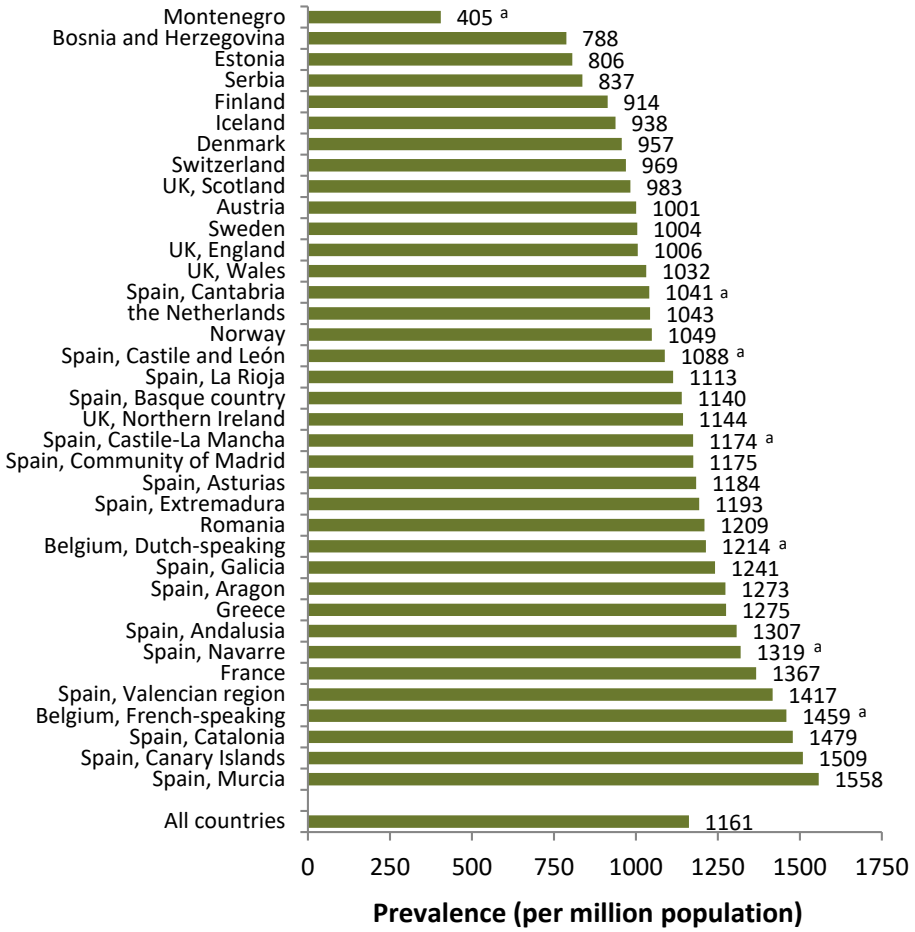

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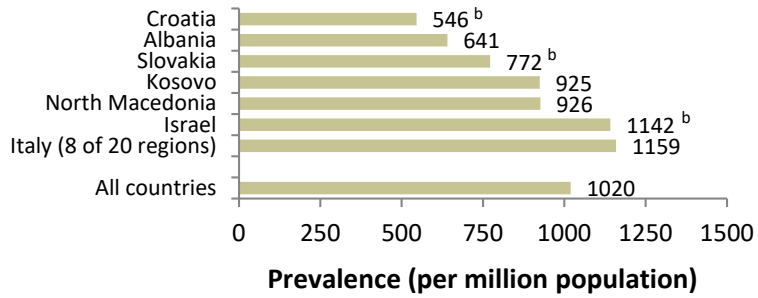

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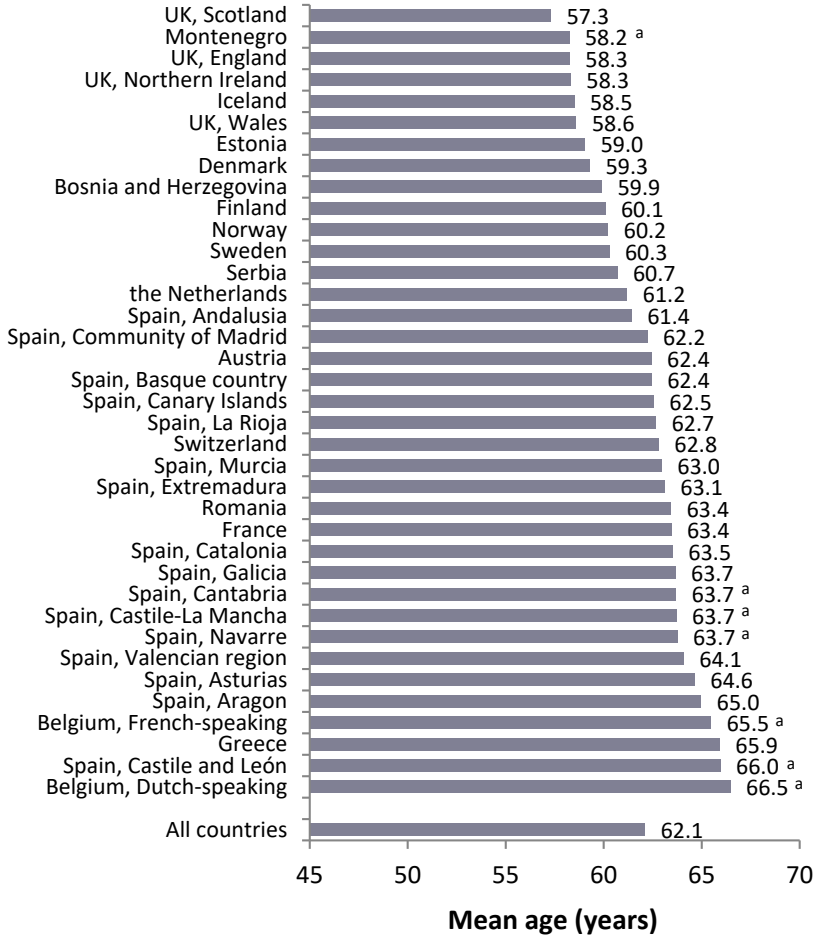
Prevalent patients on KRT in 2020

mean age

Mean age on 31 December 2020

renal registries providing individual patient data



Mean age on 31 December 2020

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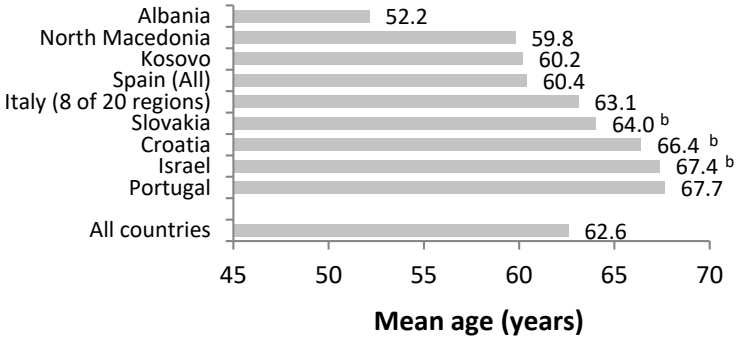

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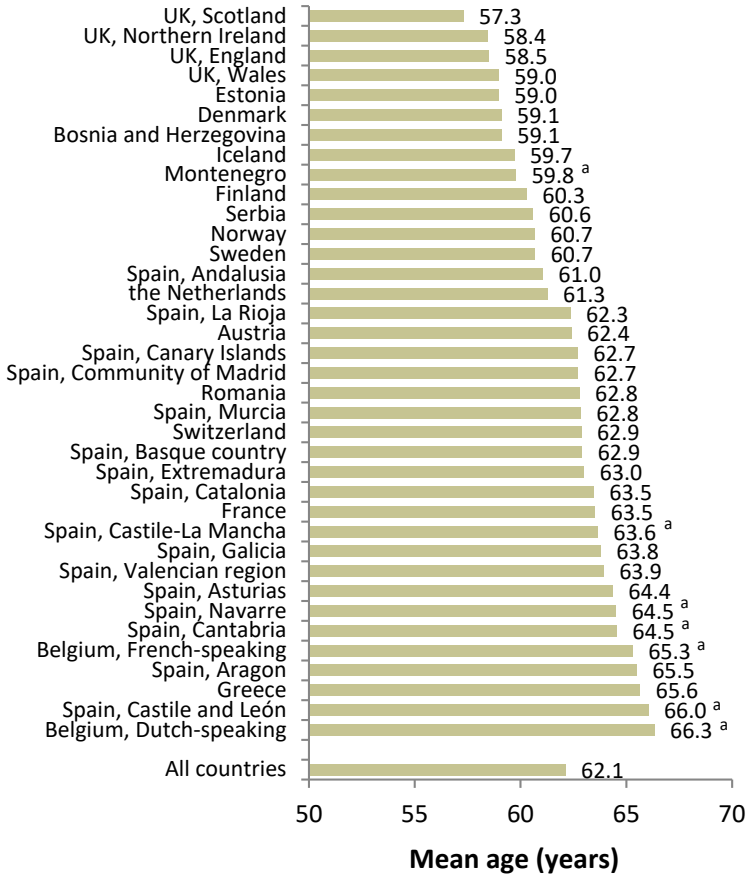
Prevalent patients on KRT in 2020

for registries providing individual patient data only

Mean age on 31 December 2020

male patients



Mean age on 31 December 2020

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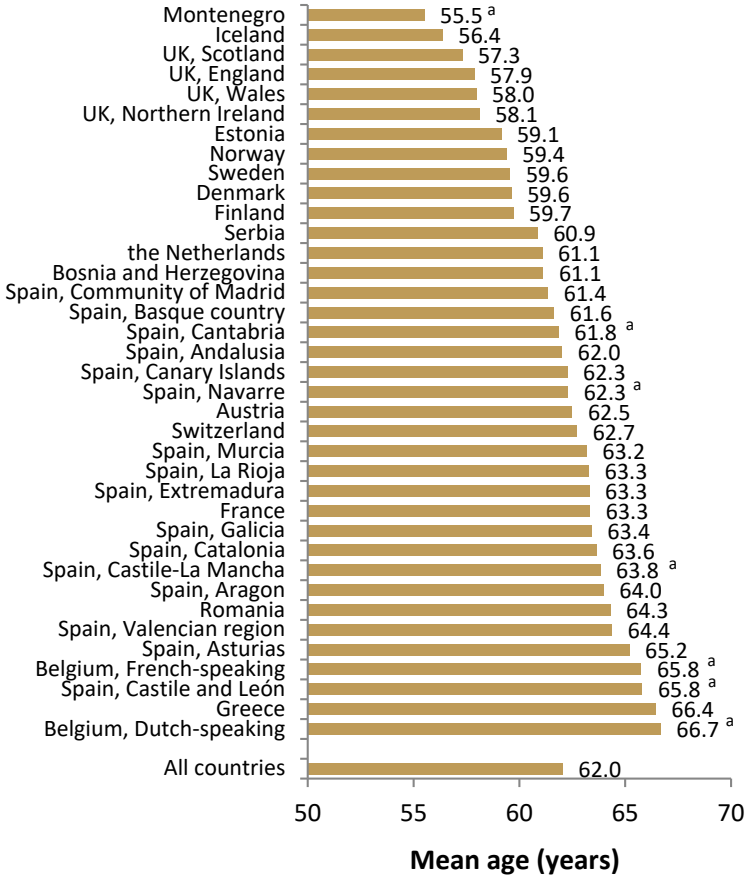

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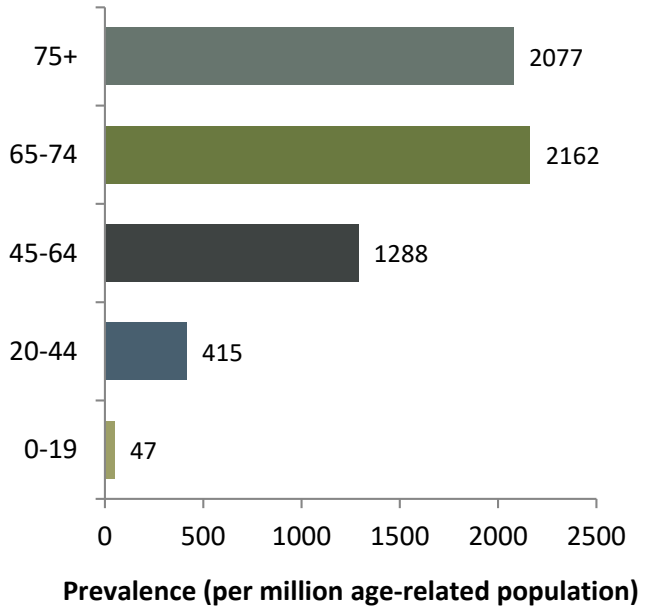
Prevalent patients on KRT in 2020

by age category

Prevalence by age category

for all registries



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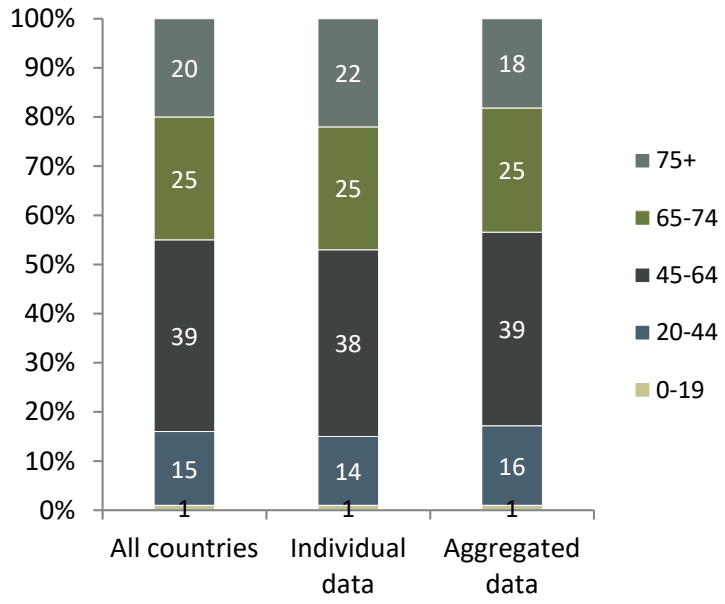
by type of data provided by registry

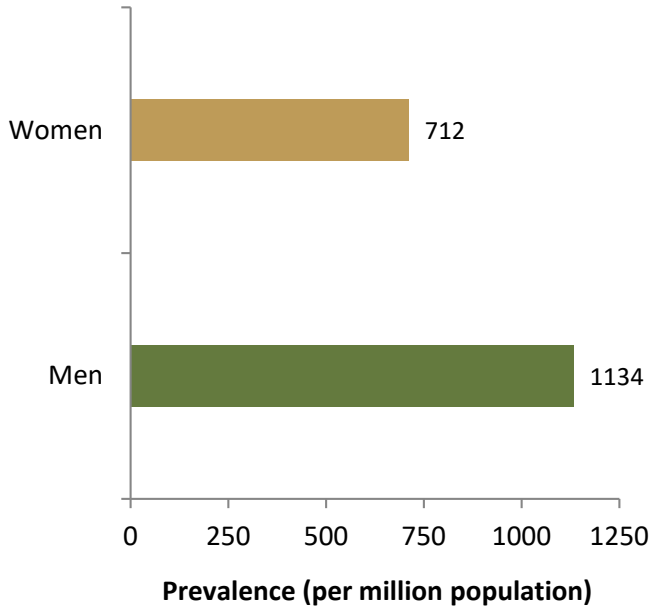


Prevalent patients on KRT in 2020

by sex

Prevalence by sex

for all registries



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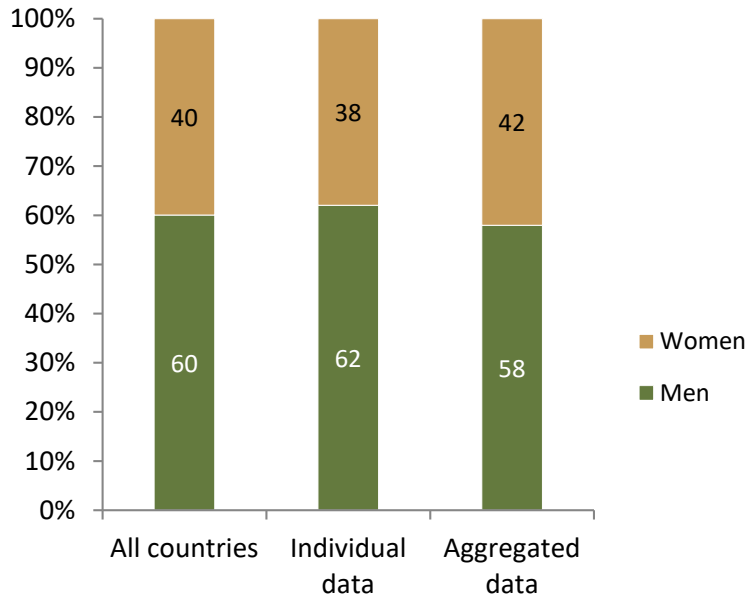
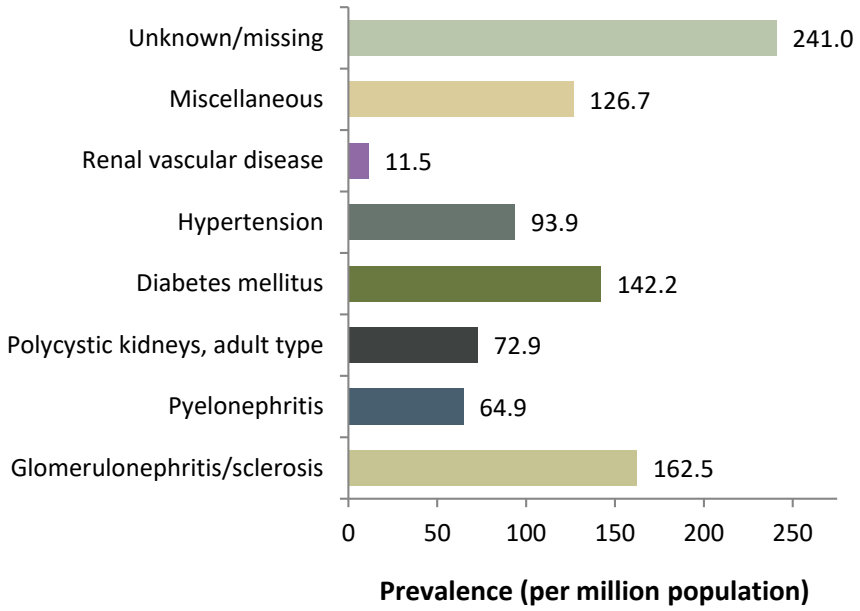


Prevalent patients on KRT in 2020

by primary renal disease

Prevalence by primary renal disease

for all registries



Prevalence by primary renal disease

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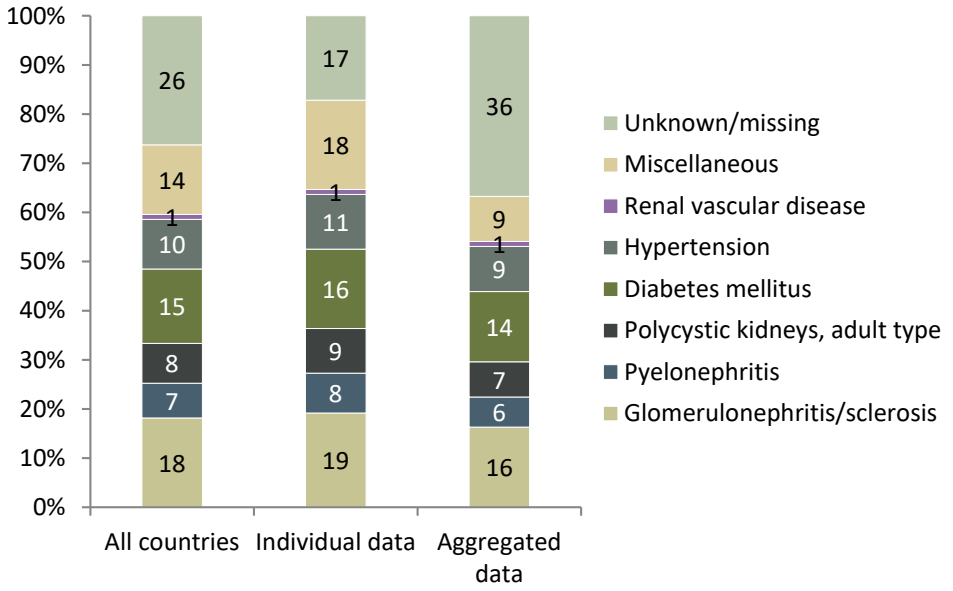


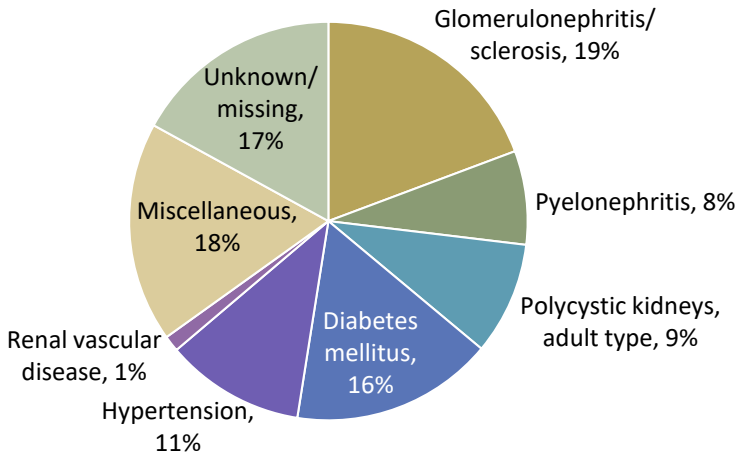
Prevalent patients on KRT in 2020

by primary renal disease and age category

Prevalence by primary renal disease

patients from registries providing individual patient data only

all patients



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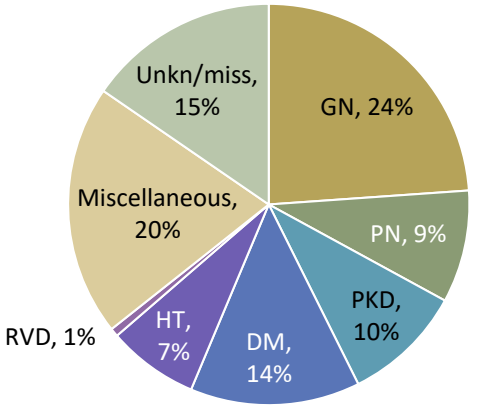

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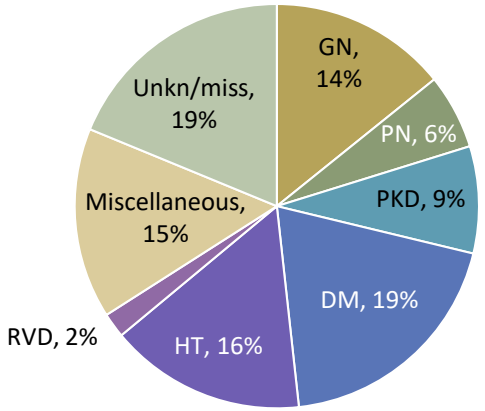
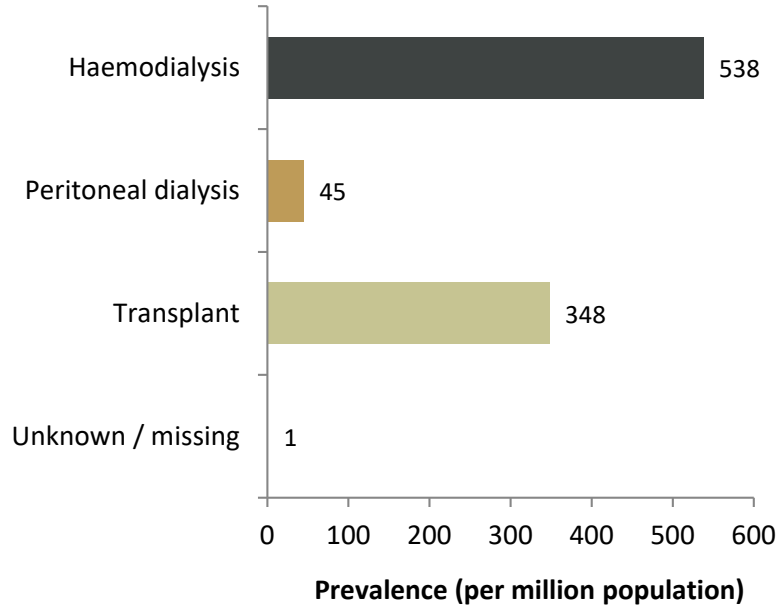


Prevalent patients on KRT in 2020

by modality

Prevalence by modality

for all registries



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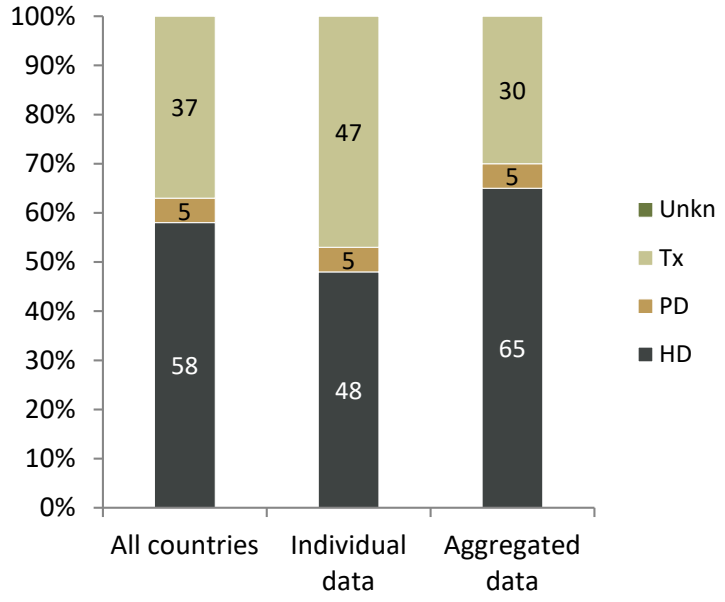

Prevalent patients on KRT in 2020

by modality and age category

Prevalence by modality

patients from registries providing individual patient data only

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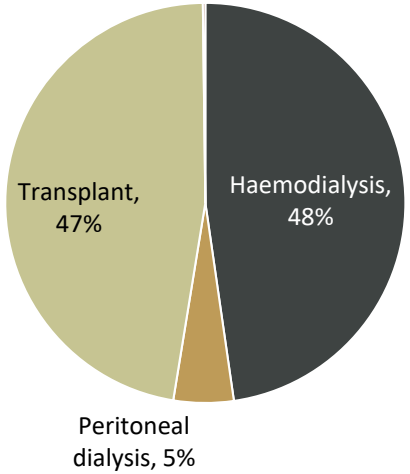

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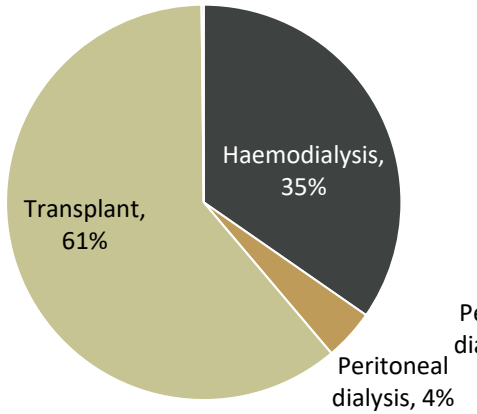

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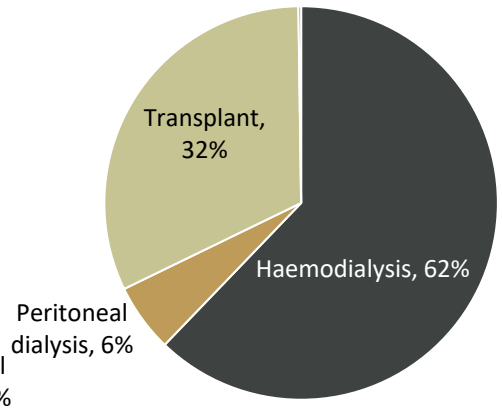
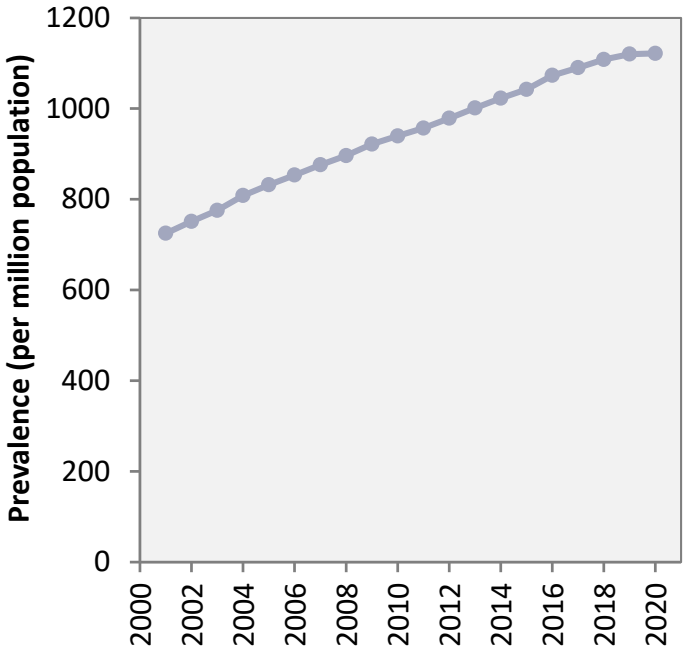


Prevalent patients on KRT

last 20 years (2001-2020)

Unadjusted prevalence over time

all patients on KRT



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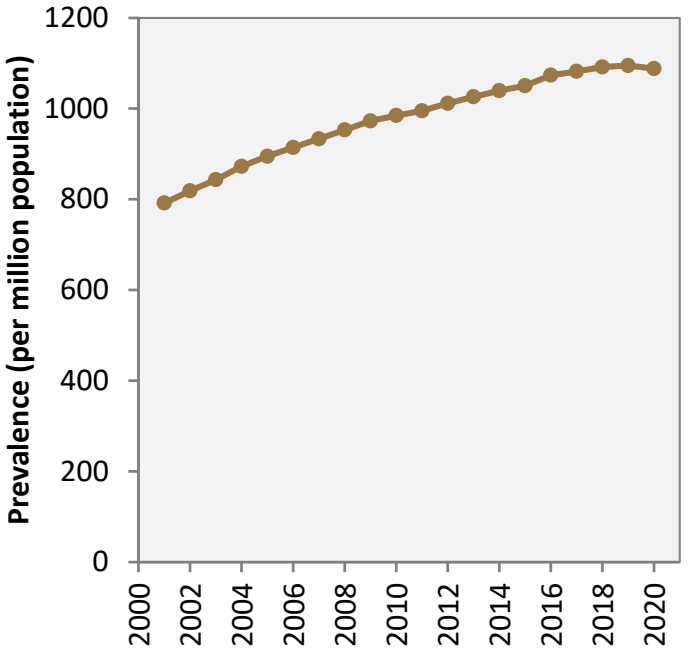

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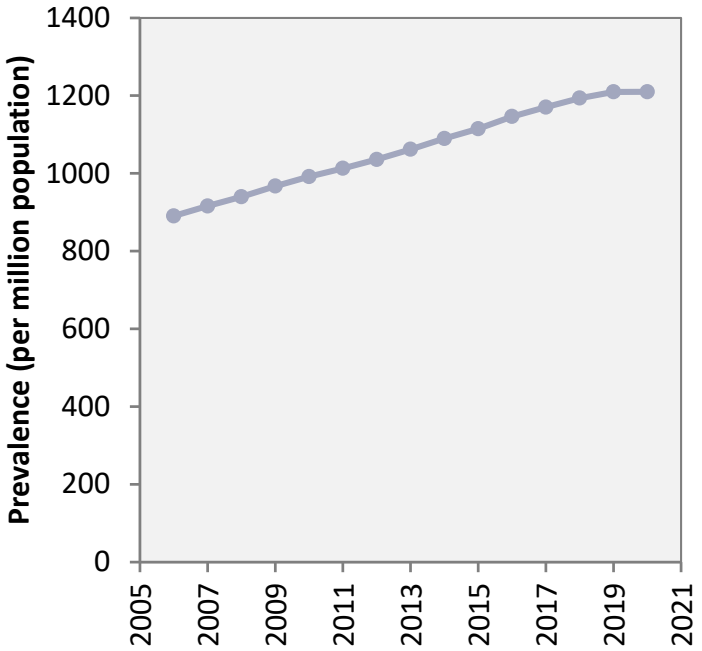

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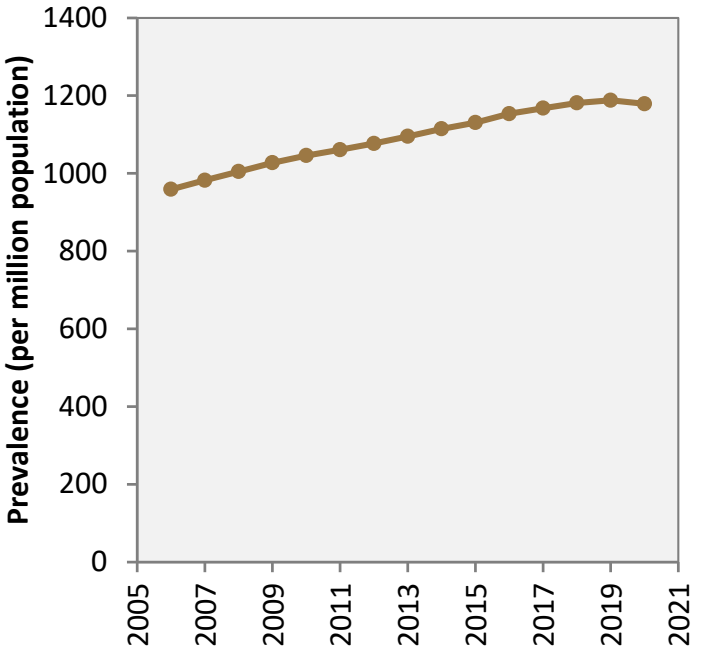

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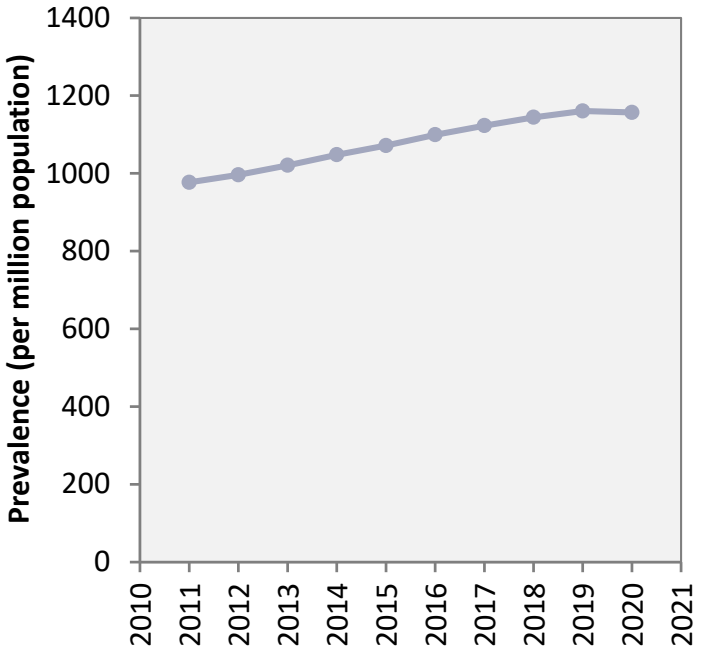

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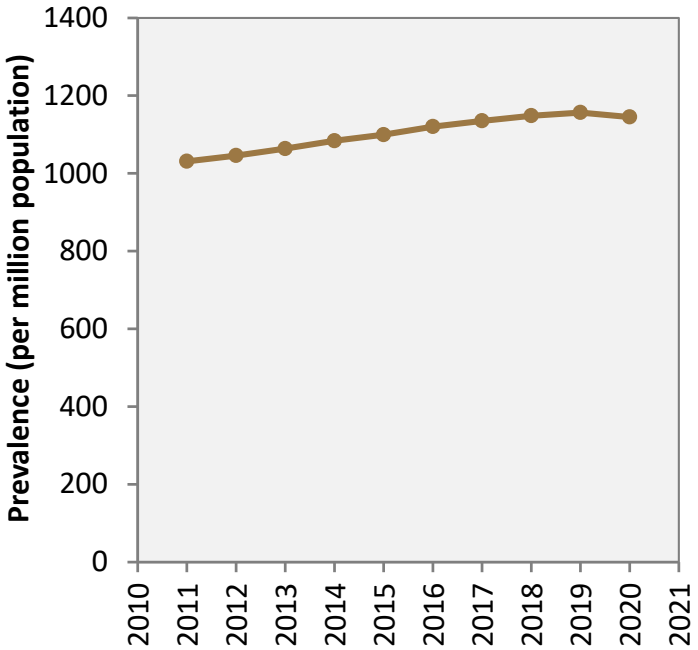

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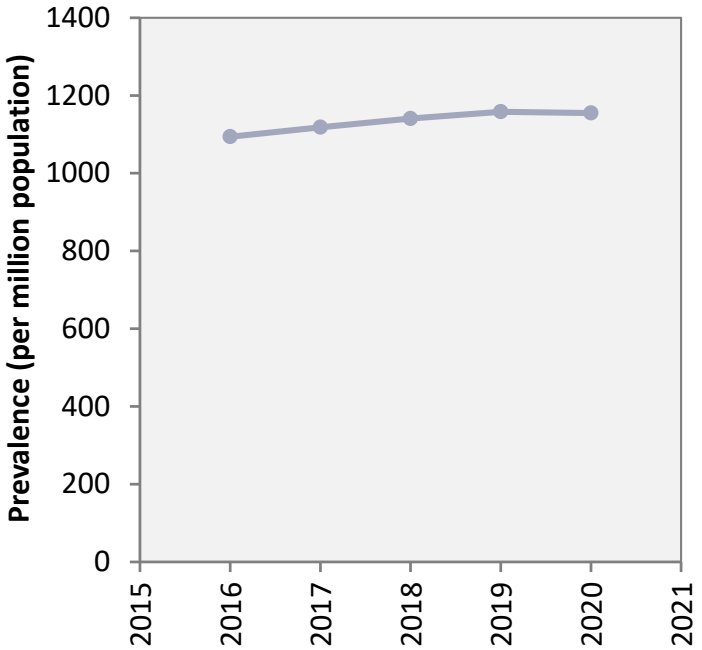

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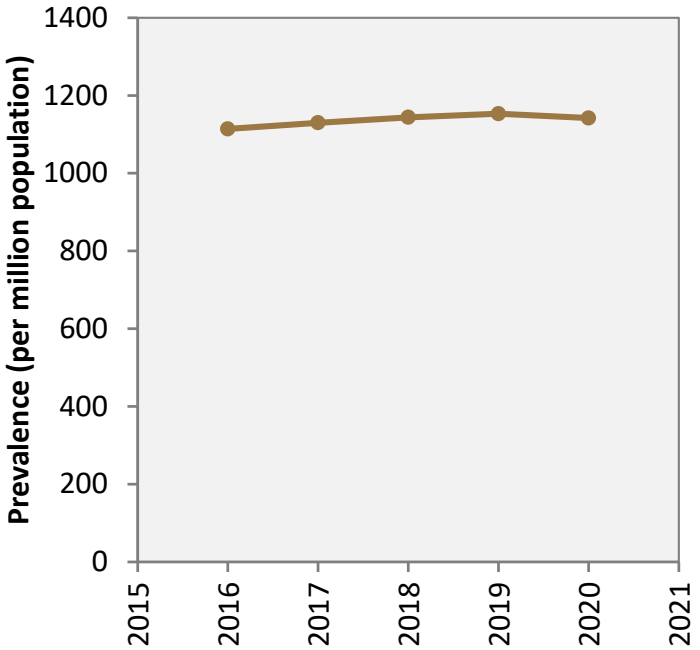
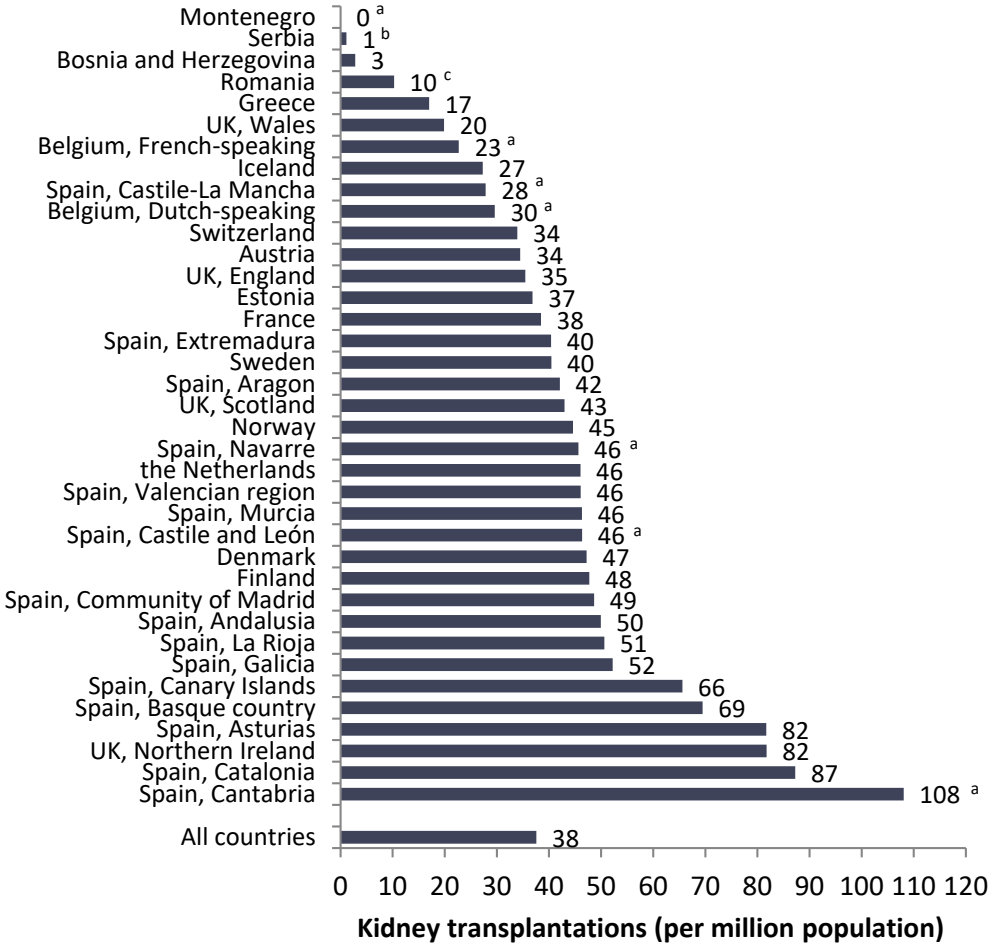


Kidney transplantations performed in 2020

by country

Kidney transplantation rate

renal registries providing individual patient data



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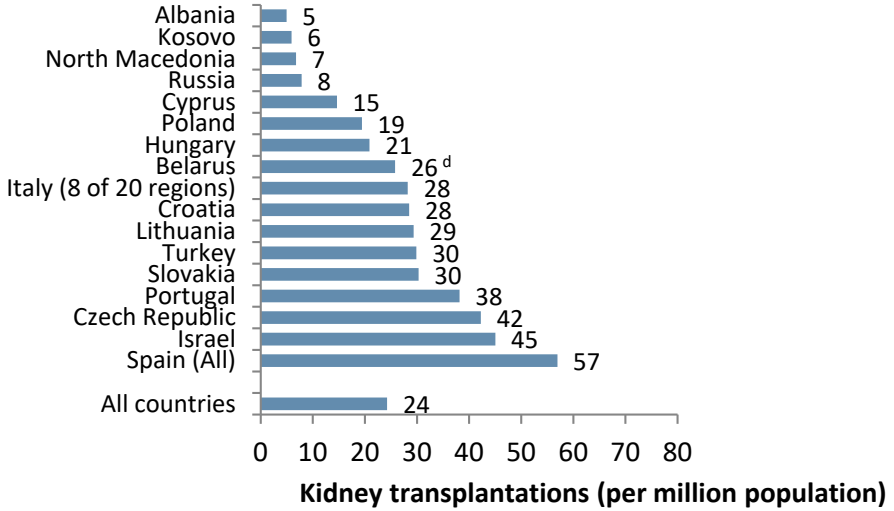

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Kidney transplantations performed in 2020

transplants from deceased donors, by country

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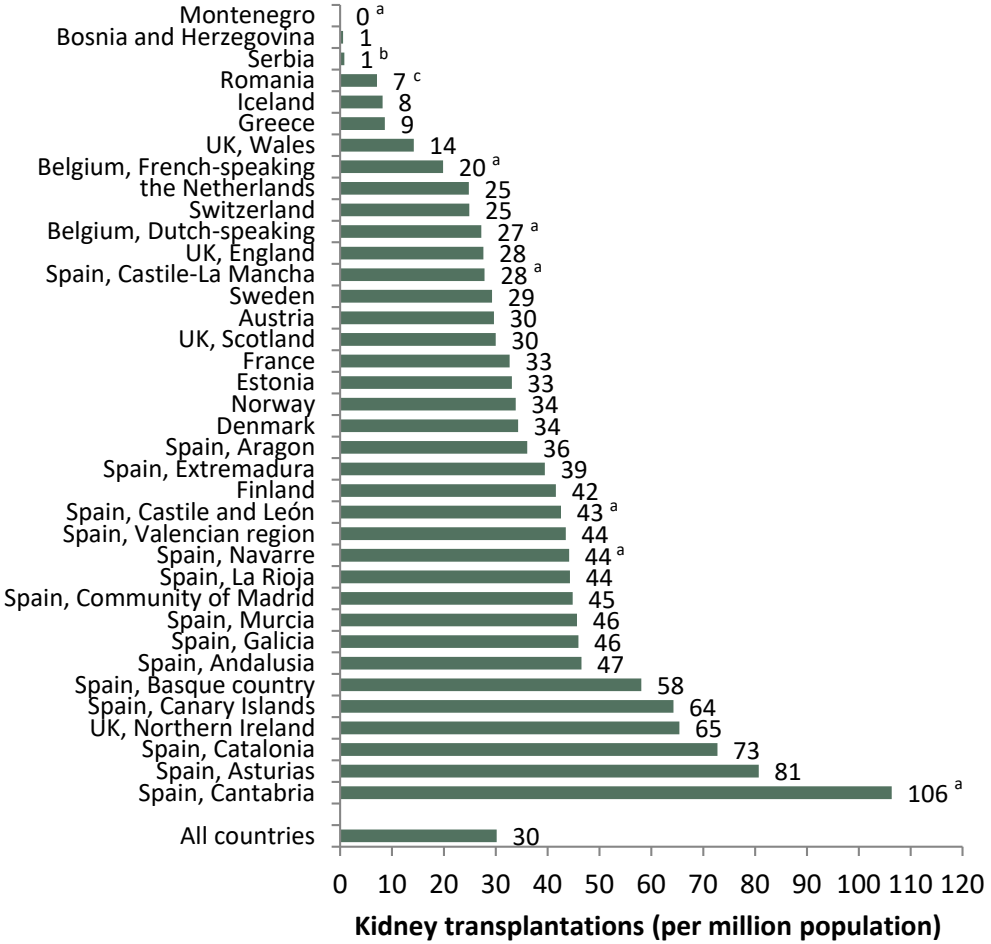

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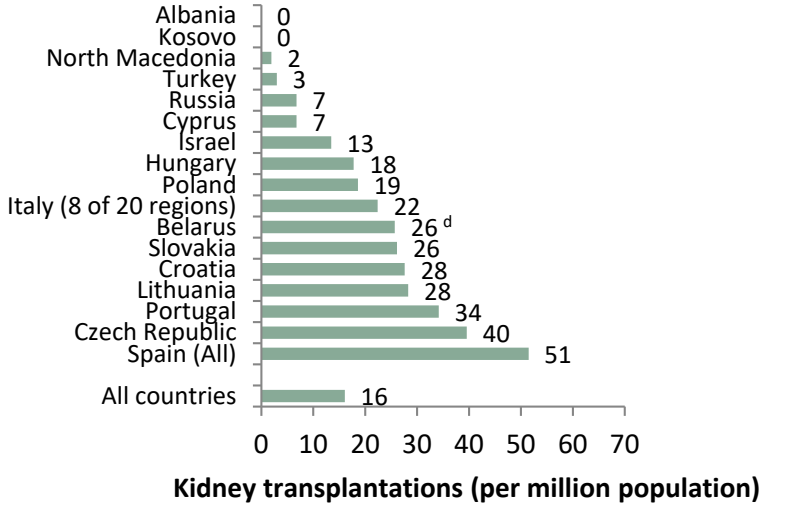

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Kidney transplantations performed in 2020

transplants from living donors, by country

Living donor transplantation rate

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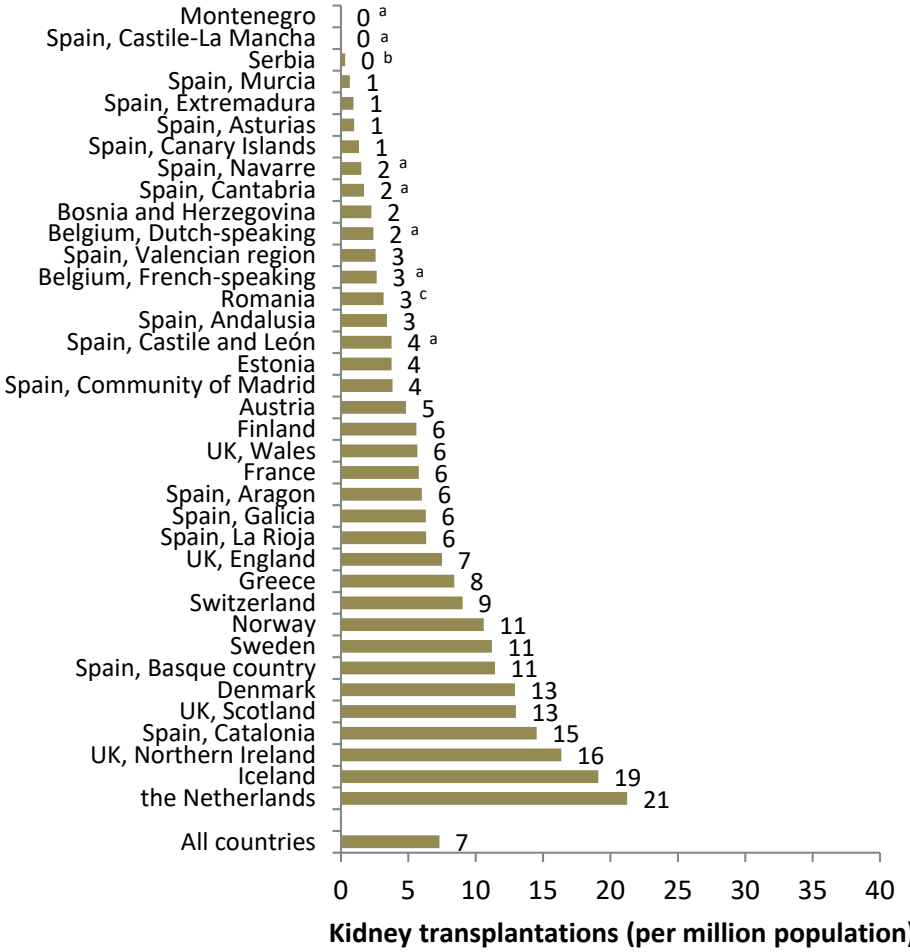

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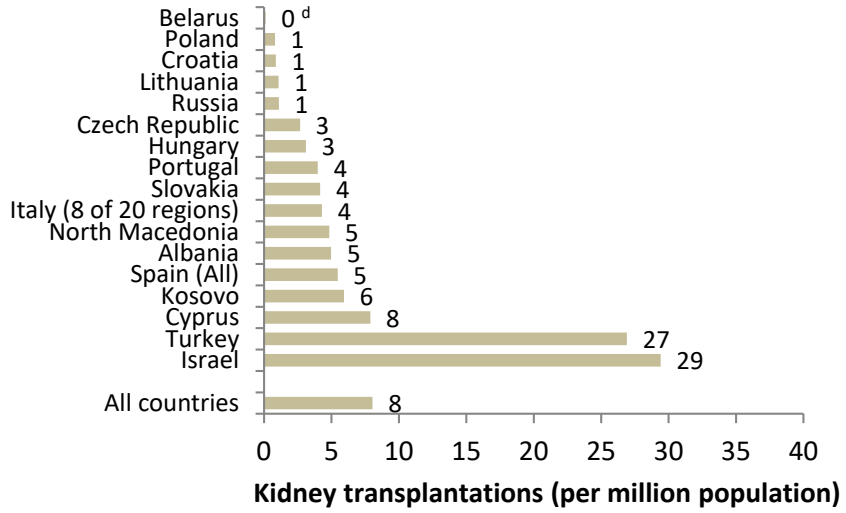

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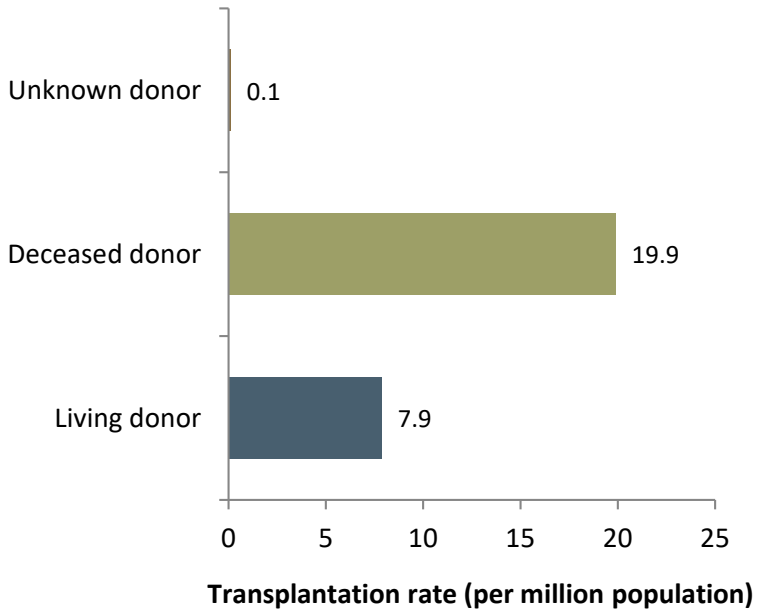
Kidney transplantations performed in 2020

by donor type

Kidney transplantations by donor type

for all registries



Kidney transplantations by donor type

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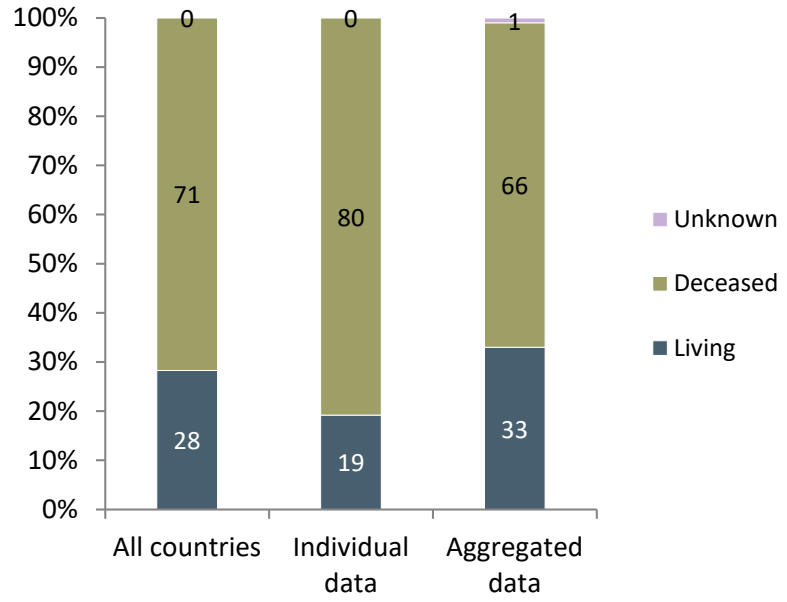

Kidney transplantations performed in 2020

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Kidney transplantations by donor type

patients from registries providing individual patient data only

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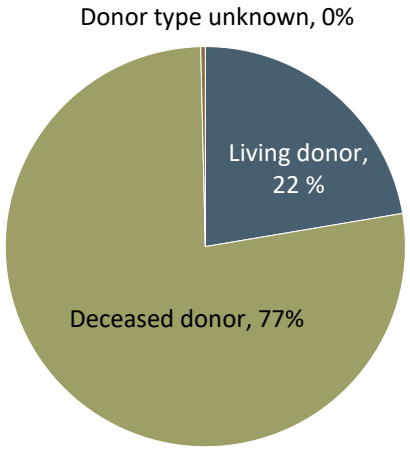

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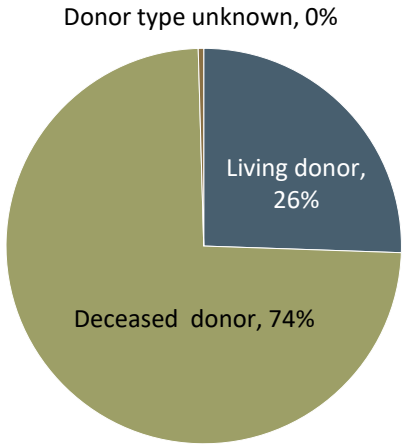

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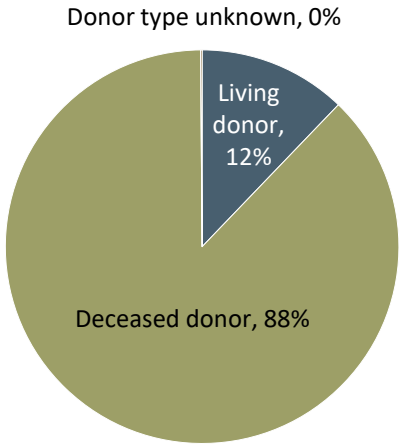
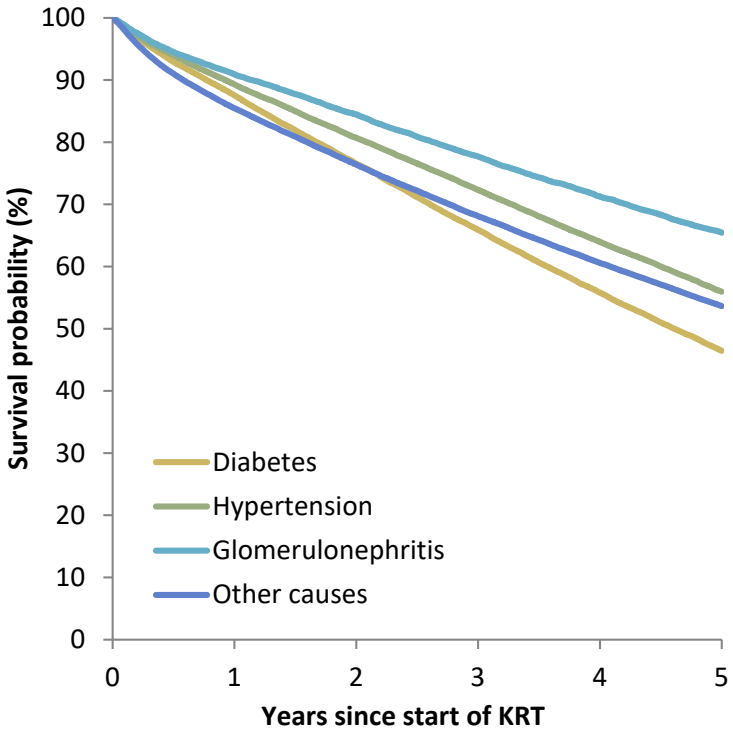


Survival probability, cohort 2011-2015

by primary renal disease

Adjusted patient survival by primary renal disease
Incident KRT patients

from day 1, adjusted for age and sex



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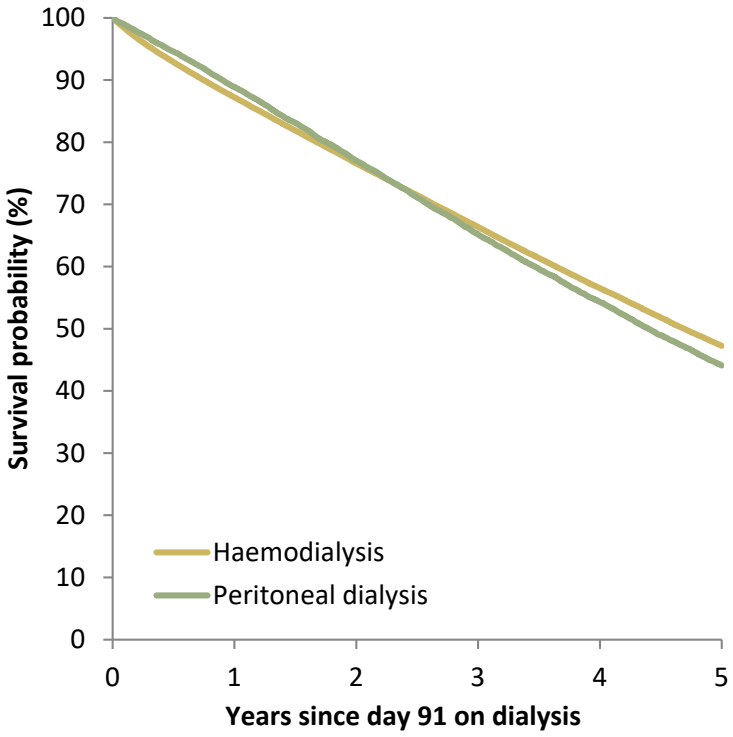
Survival probability, cohort 2011-2015

by dialysis modality

Adjusted patient survival by modality
Incident dialysis patients

from day 91, adjusted for age, sex, and primary renal disease



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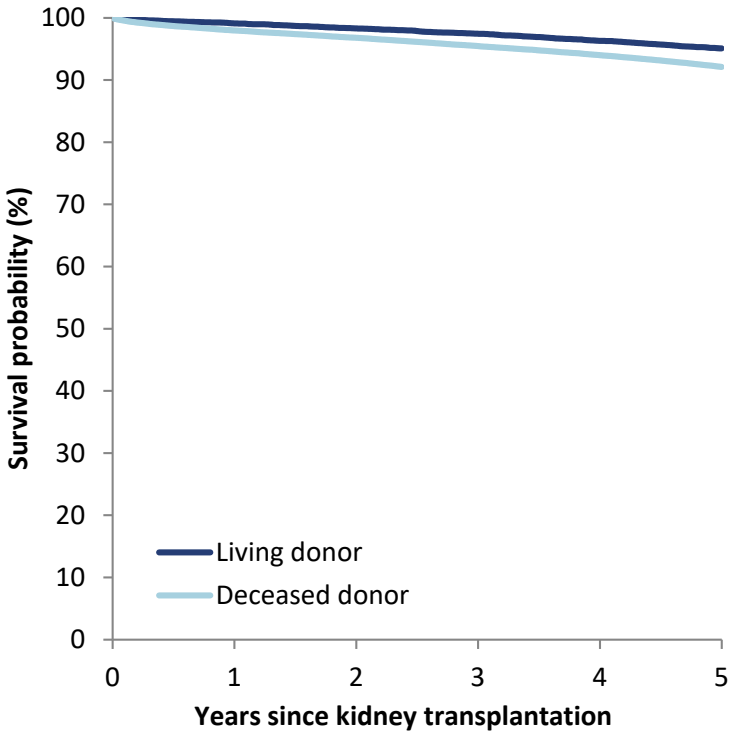
Survival probability, cohort 2011-2015

by kidney donor

Adjusted patient survival by donor type
Patients receiving a first kidney transplant

from day of transplant, adjusted for age, sex, and primary renal disease



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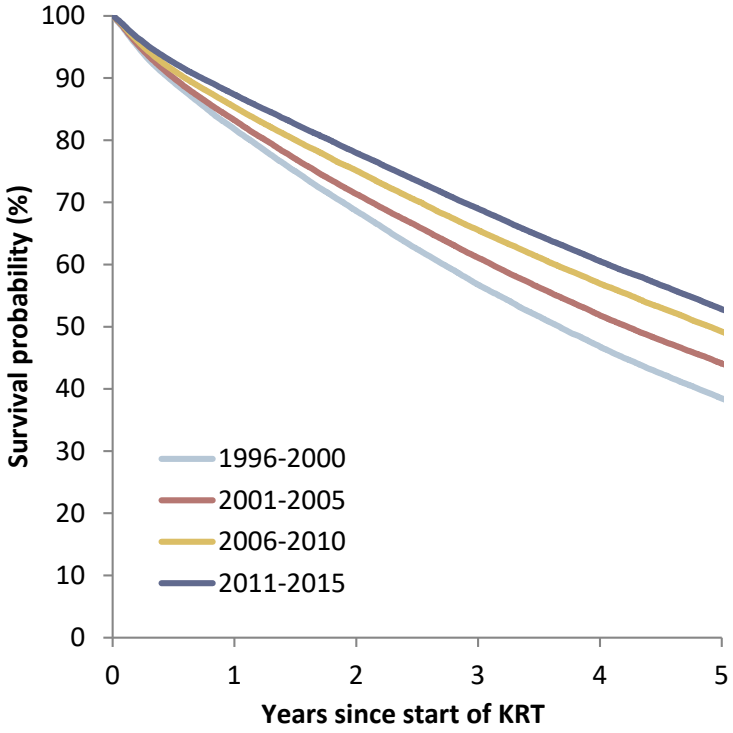
Patient survival on KRT

by cohort

Patient survival
incident KRT patients

adjusted for age, sex and cause of renal failure



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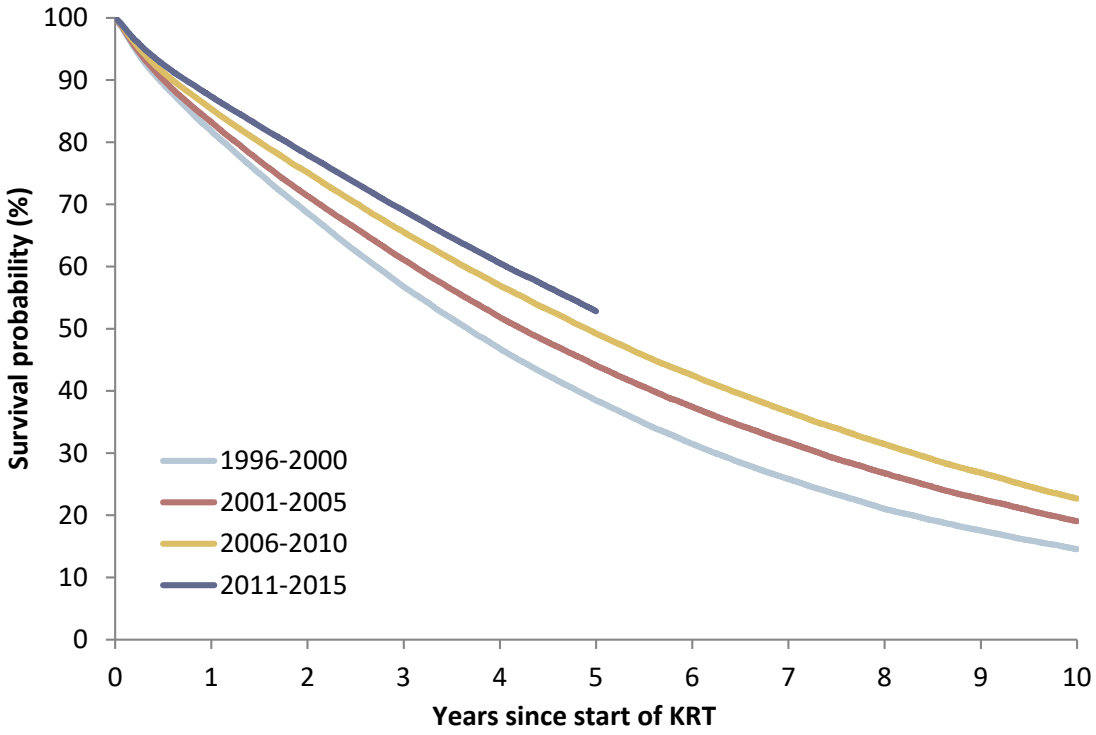

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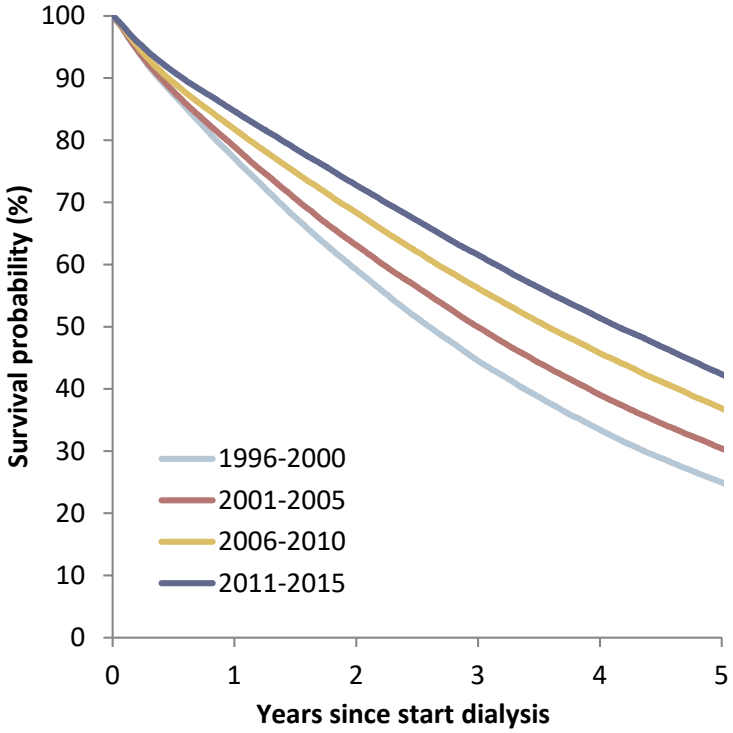
Patient survival on dialysis

by cohort

Patient survival
incident dialysis patients

adjusted for age, sex and cause of renal failure



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Patient survival on dialysis

by cohort

Patient survival
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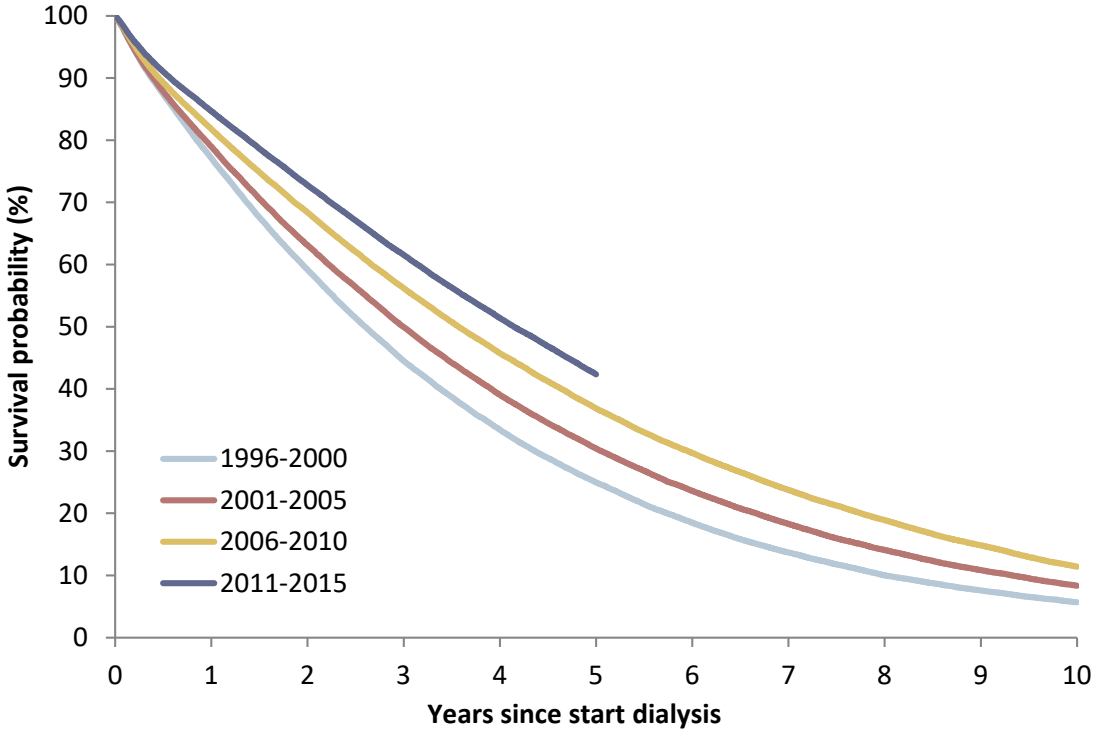

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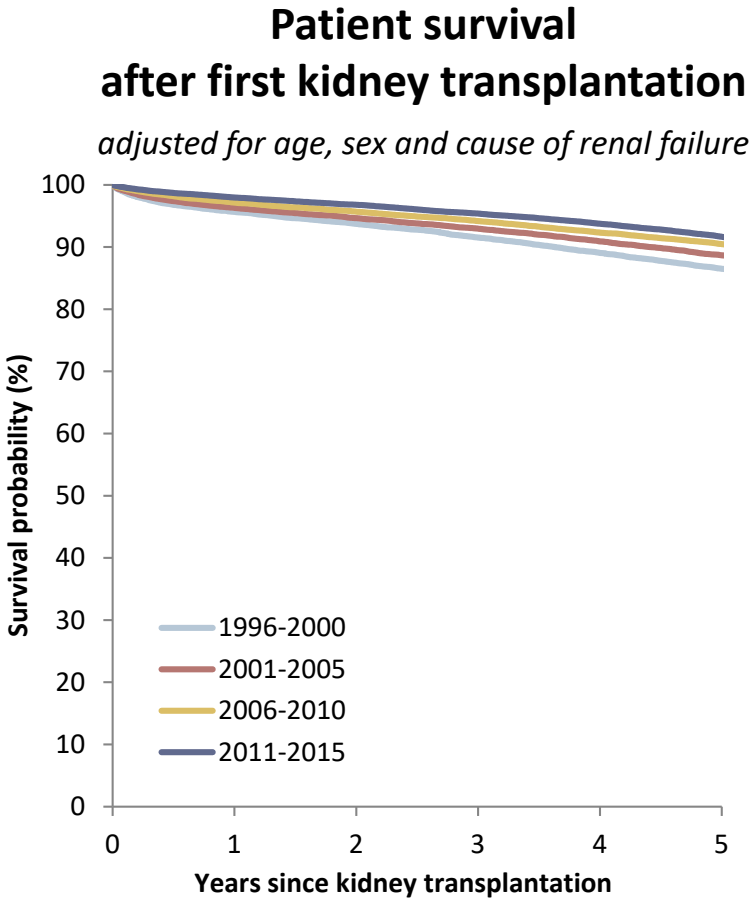
Patient survival after kidney transplantation

by cohort



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Patient survival after kidney transplantation

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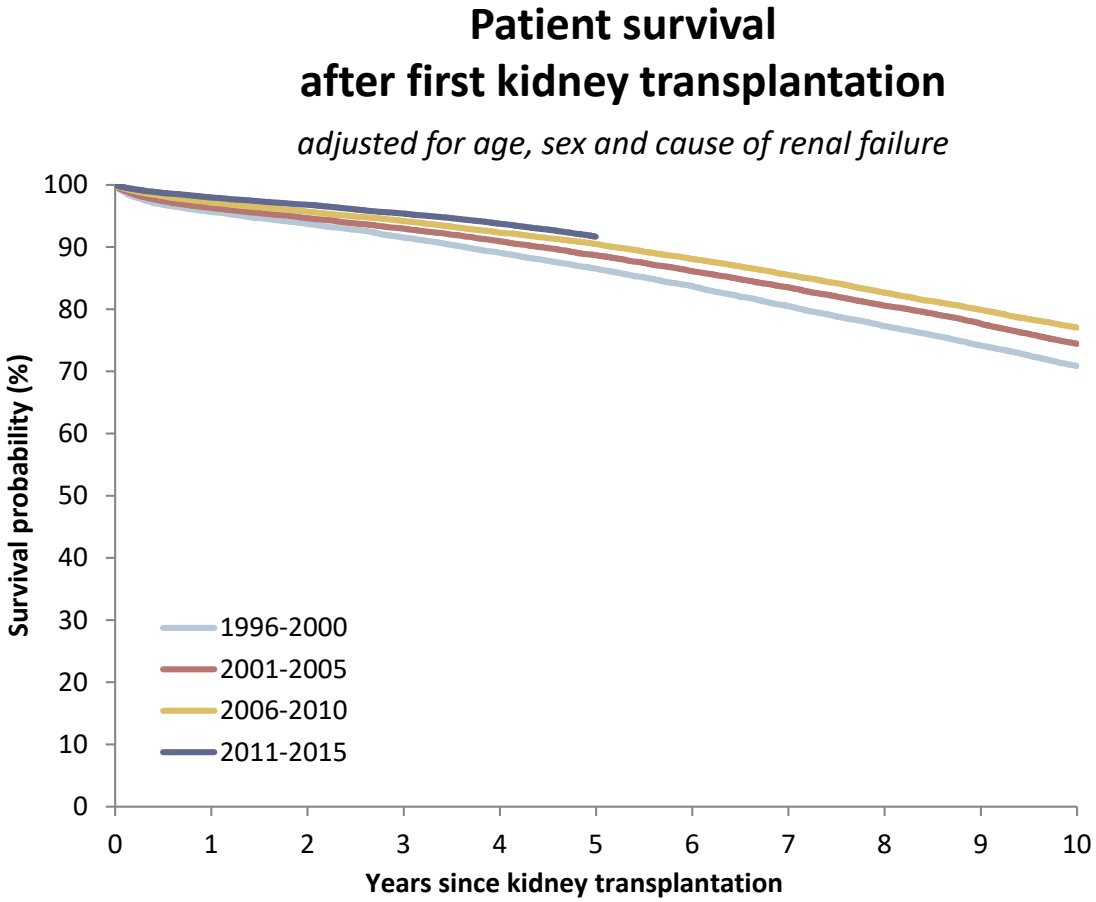

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Graft survival after kidney transplantation

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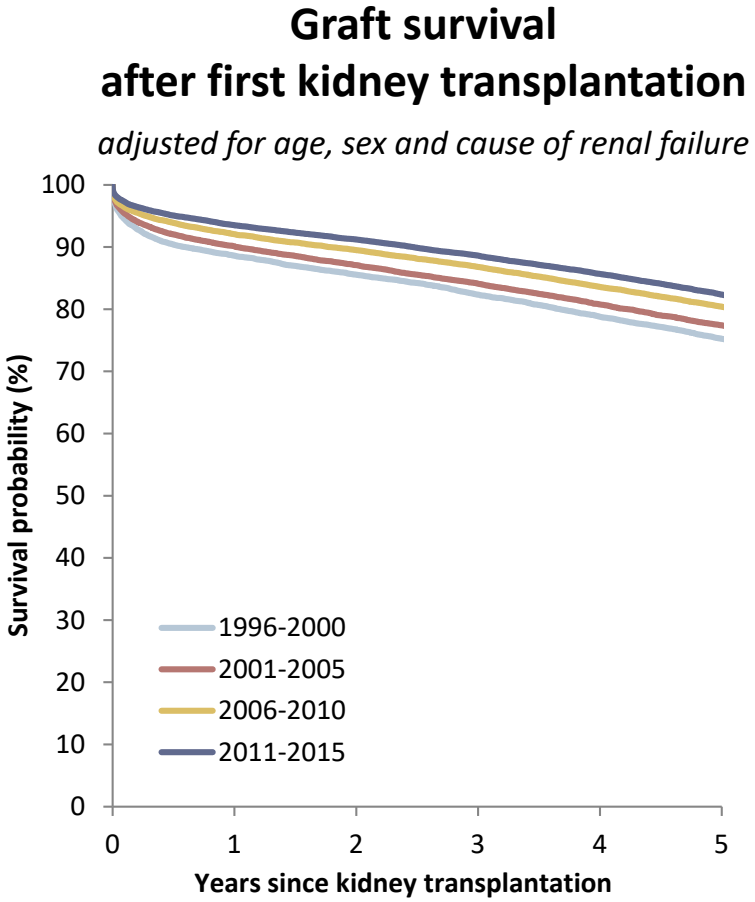

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Graft survival after kidney transplantation

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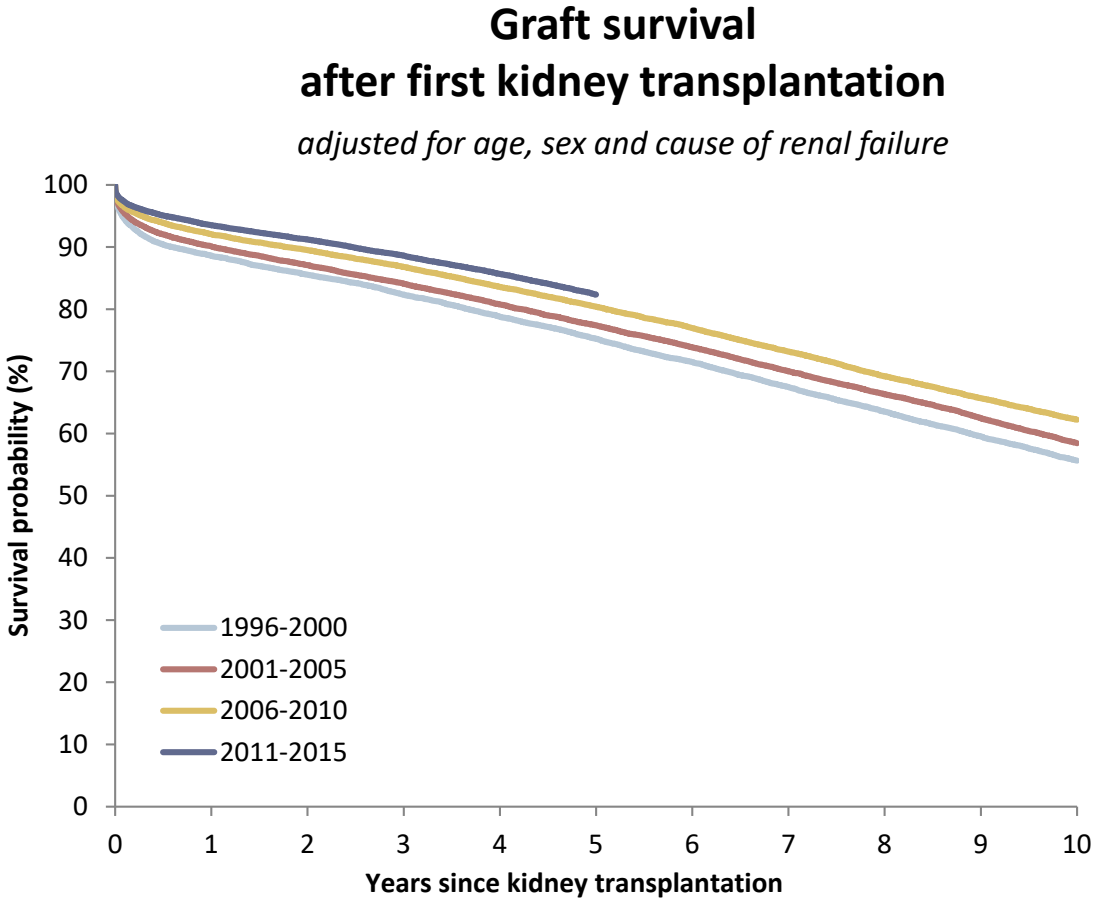

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