

India's growing incidence of Hypertensive and Diabetic patients contribute to a great prevalence of kidney related diseases. It is estimated that every 5th patient with high blood pressure and every 7th patient with diabetes, will develop Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD). Currently, the rate of Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD) in India is estimated at 0.2%. This translates into approximately 2,000,000 patients. In many cases, this progresses to Chronic Renal Failure (CRF), affecting over 200,000 patients each year.

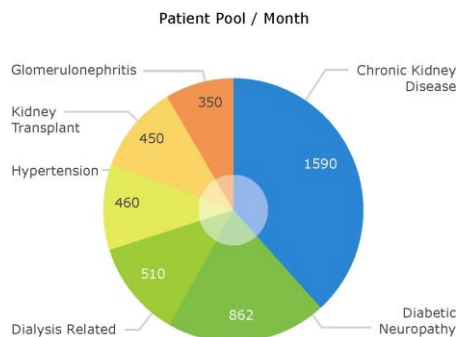
The growing incidence of hypertension and diabetes in India has also contributed significantly to the prevalence of kidney related diseases. Diabetes and hypertension account for 40-60% cases of chronic kidney disease (CKD). The increase in cases of diabetes and hypertension cases in urban India has resulted in an increase in the number of people suffering from kidney disease (nearly 17%). Out of this, nearly 6% have stage III kidney disease which needs medical attention. The yearly incidence of end stage renal disease (ESRD) in India is approximately 150-200 per million people.

### Our Sites and Investigators

Our access to the most prominent Nephrology sites and Investigators ensures a large and diverse patient pool and leading lines of medical treatment. We ensure that clinical trials are conducted according to ICH-GCP guidelines and meet the highest standards of ethics and integrity.

Common kidney related disorders in India are urolithiasis, urinary tract infections, glomerulopathies and disorders regarding body fluids and electrolytes.

CITIES	SITES	INVESTIGATORS
Delhi/ NCR	9	15
Mumbai	10	20
Kolkata	8	12
Bangalore	8	13
Chennai	9	14
Hyderabad	7	15
Pune	6	10
Jaipur	5	12
Ahmedabad	6	15
Nagpur	3	5
Others	23	40
<b>Total</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>176</b>



### Excel Life Sciences Pulmonary Experience

Indication	Phase
Diabetic Nephropathy	III

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