

AV FISTULA – STATE OF THE ART

EUROPEAN GUIDELINES

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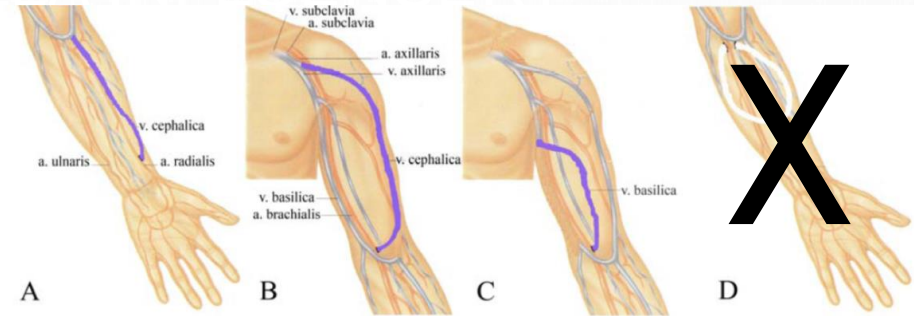
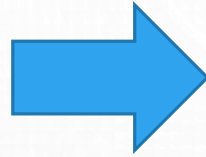
OTHER GUIDELINES

- K-DOQI
 - 1997, 2006
 - REVISION IN PROGRESS => 2020 (CACVS 2019; C LOK)
 - 130 => 163 STATEMENTS/RECOMMENDATIONS [\leq ESVS 80]
 - 33% LEVEL A-B; 66% LEVEL C
- ERA-EDTA-EBP
- MISC
 - CLINICAL PRACTICE GUIDELINE: VASCULAR ACCESS FOR HAEMODIALYSIS, UK RENAL ASSOCIATION 2015
 - SPANISH CLINICAL GUIDELINES ON VASCULAR ACCESS FOR HAEMODIALYSIS, 2017

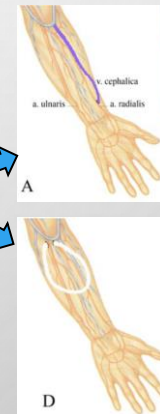
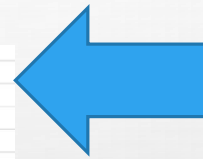
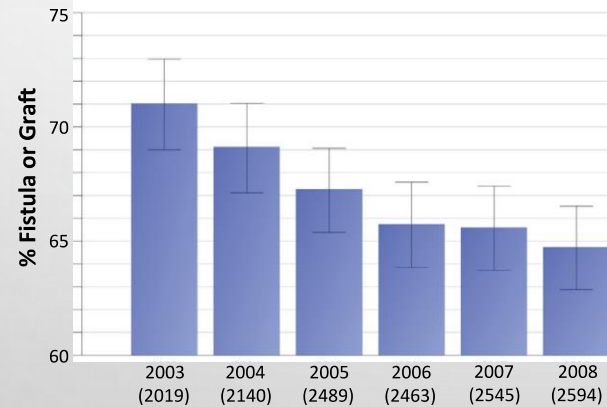


REASONS TO DEVELOP YOUR OWN

- K-DOQI, FISTULA FIRST ETC.

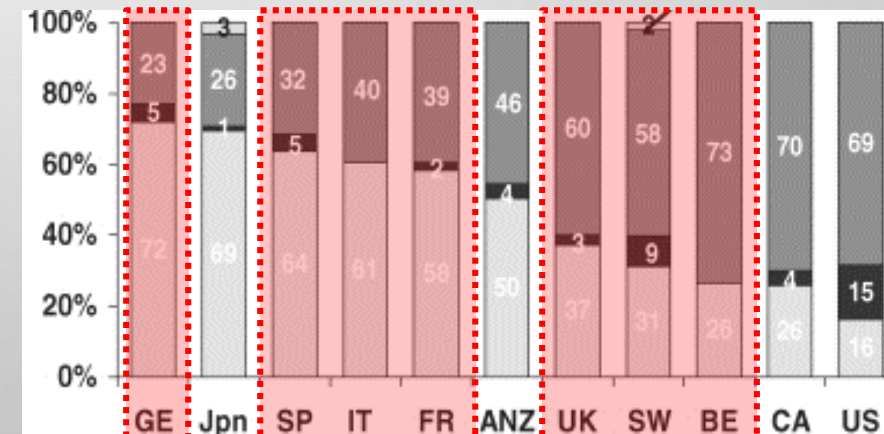
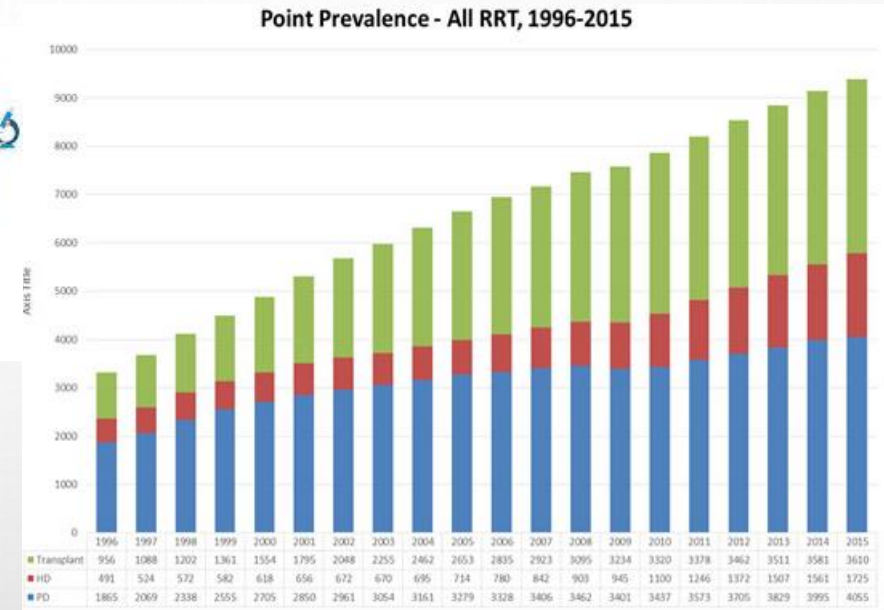


- AVF VS. AVG
 - 2004 SWEDEN 10-15% AVG



WHY?

- INCREASINGLY IMPORTANT FOR VASCULAR SURGERY
 - NEPHROLOGISTS=>UROLOGISTS
 - TRANSPLANT SURGEONS=>VASCULAR SURGEONS=>ACCESS SURGEON (AV ACCESS-CATHETERS-PD'S-OPEN/ENDO)
- INCREASING DEMAND FOR RRT
- VARIABLE PRACTISE IN EUROPE
- TRAINING



GUIDELINE PROCESS

- STARTED IN 2013
- PUBLISHED IN 2018
- WRITING GROUP: 19 AUTHORS FROM 10 DIFFERENT COUNTRIES
- MULTIDISCIPLINARY REPRESENTATION FROM:
VASCULAR SURGERY,
TRANSPLANTATION, DIALYSIS
NURSING, NEPHROLOGY,
INTERVENTIONAL RADIOLOGY,
IMAGING
- ESVS GUIDELINE COMMITTEE

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Editor's Choice — Vascular Access: 2018 Clinical Practice Guidelines of the European Society for Vascular Surgery (ESVS)★

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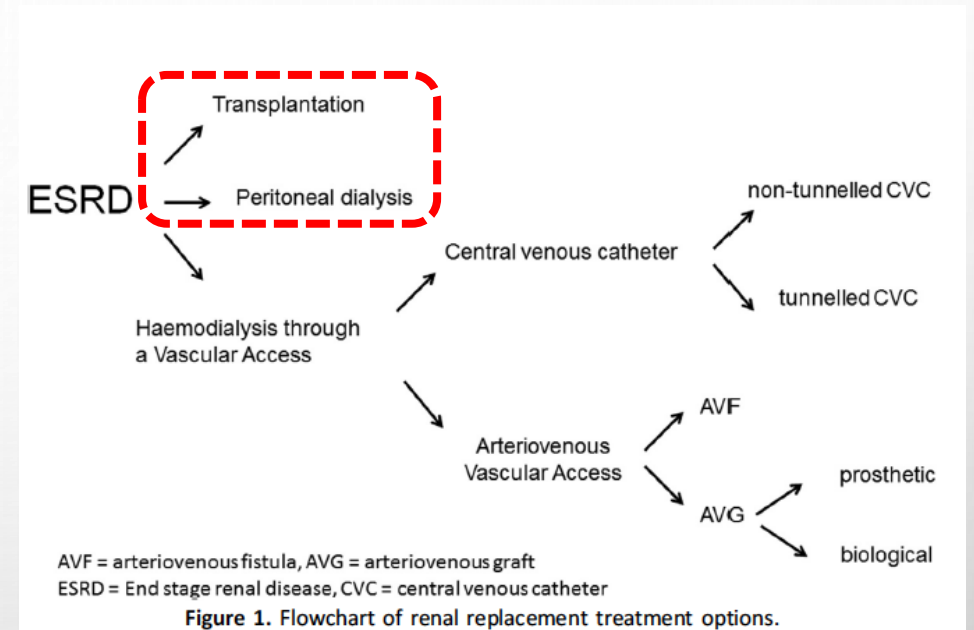
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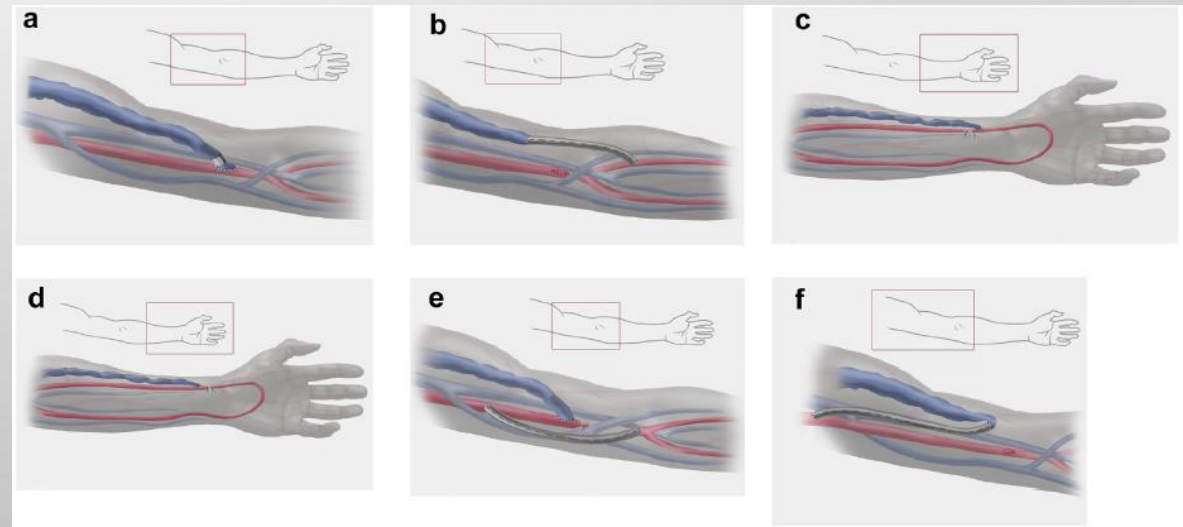
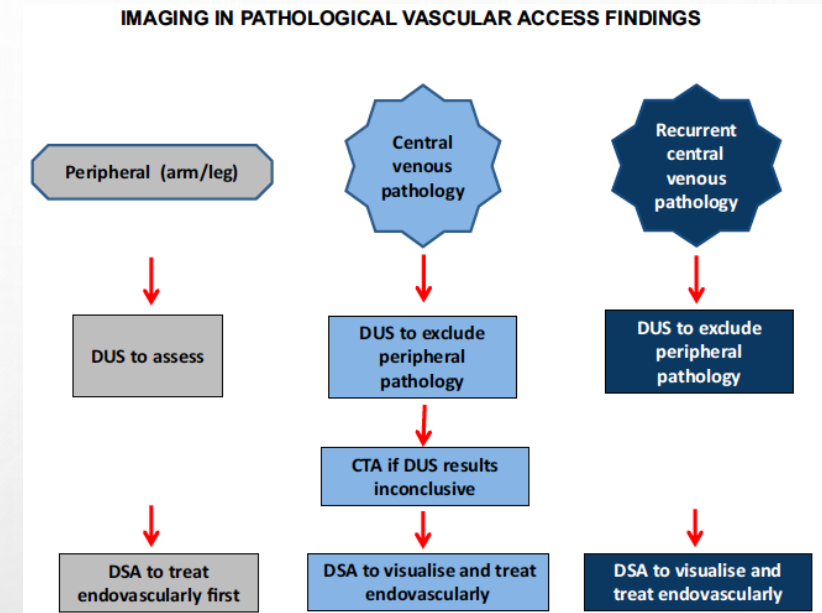
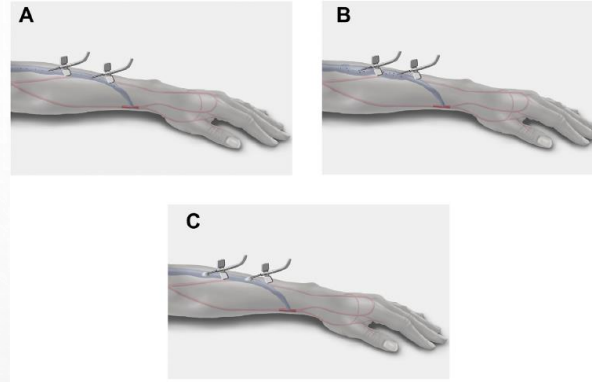
CONTENT

1. METHODOLOGY, DEFINITION OF **VASCULAR** ACCESS
2. EPIDEMIOLOGY OF CKD AND AV ACCESS
3. CLINICAL DECISION MAKING
4. PRE-OP IMAGING
5. CREATION OF VASCULAR ACCESS
6. SURVEILLANCE OF VASCULAR ACCESS (CANNULATION, ACCESS MONITORING AND SURVEILLANCE, NURSING ORGANIZATION)
7. LATE VASCULAR ACCESS COMPLICATIONS (ACCESS ANEURYSMS, INFECTION, STENOSIS, THROMBOSIS, VASCULAR ACCESS INDUCED LIMB ISCHAEMIA AND HIGH FLOW VASCULAR ACCESS)
8. COMPLEX OR TERTIARY HAEMODIALYSIS VASCULAR ACCESS
9. GAPS IN THE EVIDENCE



WHAT'S USEFUL?

- WELL STRUCTURED
- MULTIDISCIPLINARY PERSPECTIVE
 - DIALYSIS, NEEDLING, SURVEILLANCE
- ALGORITHMS
- PROCEDURES FOR HAND ISCHEMIA AND HIGH FLOW ACCESS



LIMITATIONS

- FOR VASCULAR ACCESS SURGERY RATHER THAN DIALYSIS CARE
- POOR EVIDENCE BASE ('EVIDENCE FREE ZONES')
 - TREATMENT OF COMPLICATIONS
- RECOMMENDATIONS FOR VASCULAR/HEMODIALYSIS ACCESS ONLY
 - NOT FOR COMPLETE RRT/ACCESS (- PD)
- UP-TO-DATE?
 - 2013->2018
 - IDEAL <4 YEARS
- INDIVIDUALIZED ACCESS PLANNING?

Table 1. Level of evidence for treatment recommendations in ESVS guidelines.

	Vascular access	Carotid disease	Thoracic aorta	Mesenteric vessels
Level A	10%	24%	0%	3%
Level B	20%	30%	10%	30%
Level C	70%	47%	90%	67%
Total recommendations	80 (100%)	118 (100%)	86 (100%)	64 (100%)

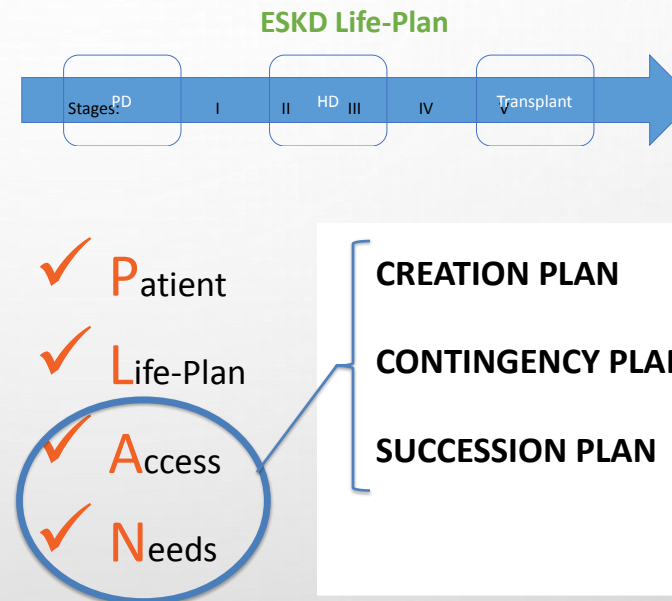
REASONS TO LOOK INTO K-DOQI 2020 (WASSE NEXT TALK)

ESVS VA Guidelines 2018



K-DOQI 2020

Recommendation 1	Class	Level
Referral of chronic kidney disease patients to the nephrologist and/or surgeon for preparing vascular access is recommended when they reach stage 4 of chronic kidney disease (glomerular filtration rate < 30 ml/min/1.73 m ²), especially in cases of rapidly progressing nephropathy.	I	C
Recommendation 2		
A permanent vascular access should be created 3–6 months before the expected start of haemodialysis treatment.	I	B
Recommendation 3		
An autogenous arteriovenous fistula is recommended as the primary option for vascular access.	I	A
Recommendation 4		
The radiocephalic arteriovenous fistula is recommended as the preferred vascular access.	I	B
Recommendation 5		
When vessel suitability is adequate, the non-dominant extremity should be considered as the preferred location for vascular access.	IIa	C
Recommendation 6		
A lower extremity vascular access should be considered only when upper extremity access is impossible.	IIa	C
Recommendation 7		
Tunnelled cuffed central venous catheters as a long standing haemodialysis modality should be considered when the creation of arteriovenous fistulas or grafts is impossible or in patients with limited life expectancy.	IIa	B



Patient oriented

- Quality of life
- Longevity
- Home dialysis
- Economically feasible

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CONCLUSIONS

- ESVS VASCULAR ACCESS GUIDELINES
 - 'COOK-BOOK' IN VASCULAR ACCESS FOR VASCULAR SURGEONS
 - EDUCATIONAL MULTIDISCIPLINARY INSIGHTS
 - TRAINING
 - LESS IMPACT FOR DIALYSIS CARE
- SCIENTIFICALLY EVIDENCE-POOR FIELD
 - RESEARCH AND RCTS NEEDED
- TECHNOLOGY RAPIDLY ADVANCING
 - UPDATES NEEDED (<3-4 YEARS)
- IMPACT VS. K-DOQI 2020?



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