

PATHOPHYSIOLOGY OF RENAL DISORDERS (II)

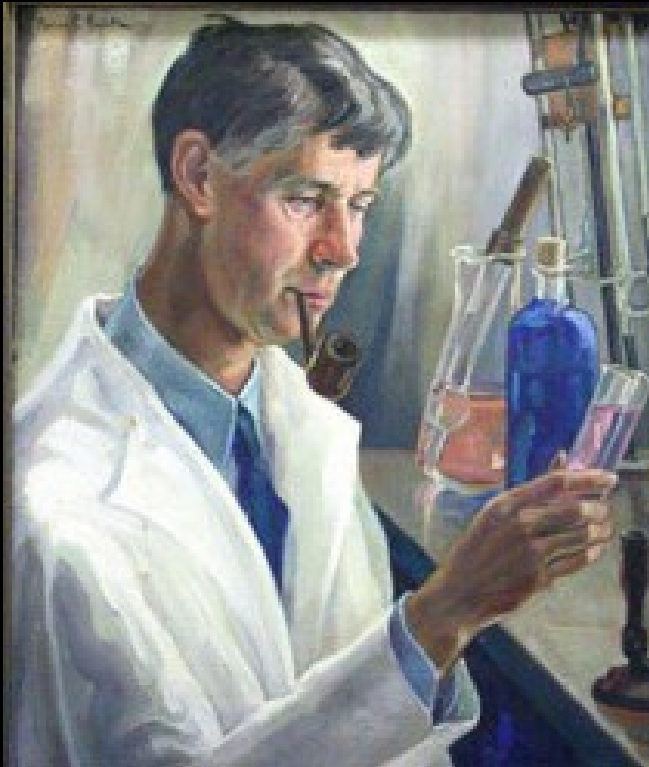
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History

„... All we know for certain about the Kidney is that it makes urine.“

Thomas Addis (1881 – 1949)

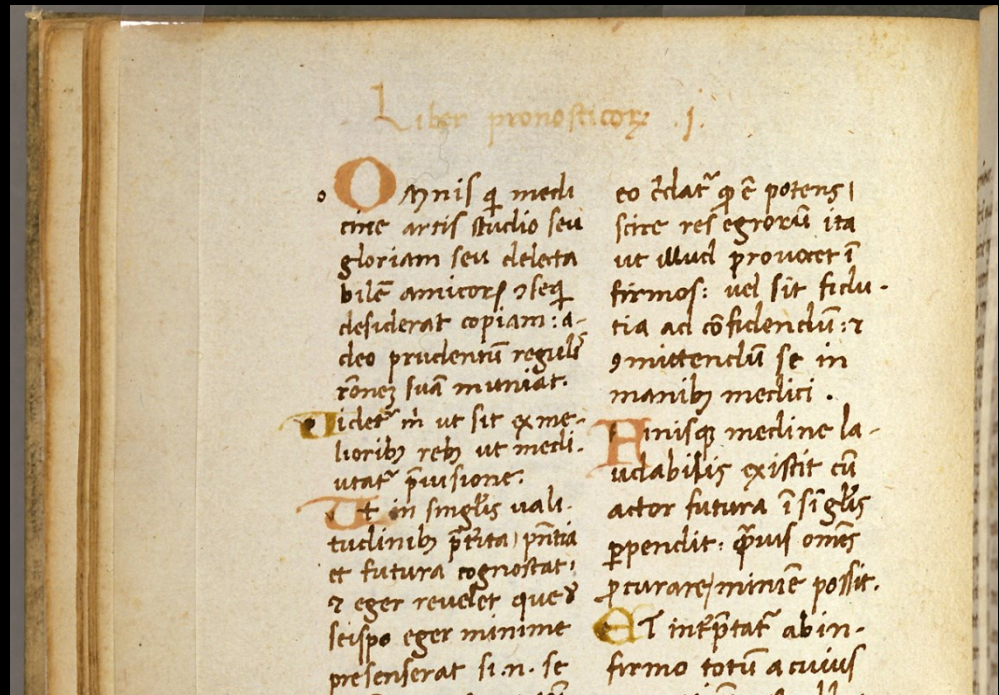
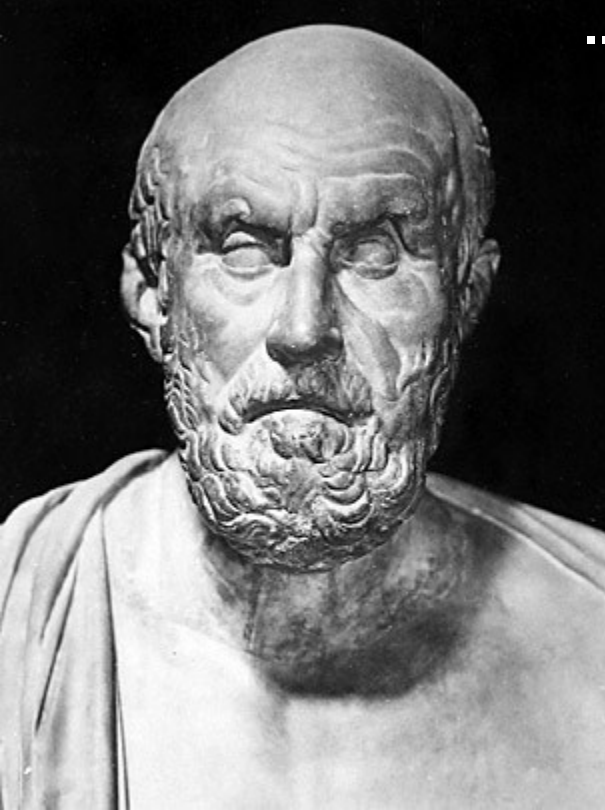


History

Hippocrates of Kos (460 – 370 B.C.)

„Bubbles appearing on the surface of the urine indicate disease of the kidneys and a prolonged illness.“

... The first description of a chronic renal disease



History



1st Century A.D.

Rufus of Ephesus:

**Disease of the kidneys and bladder
which is not painful
„Sclerosis of the kidneys“**

**For treatment he recommended
rest, clysters, cupping of the loins,
baths and sedative medicaments**

„...Diseases of the kidneys are difficult to cure in old age“

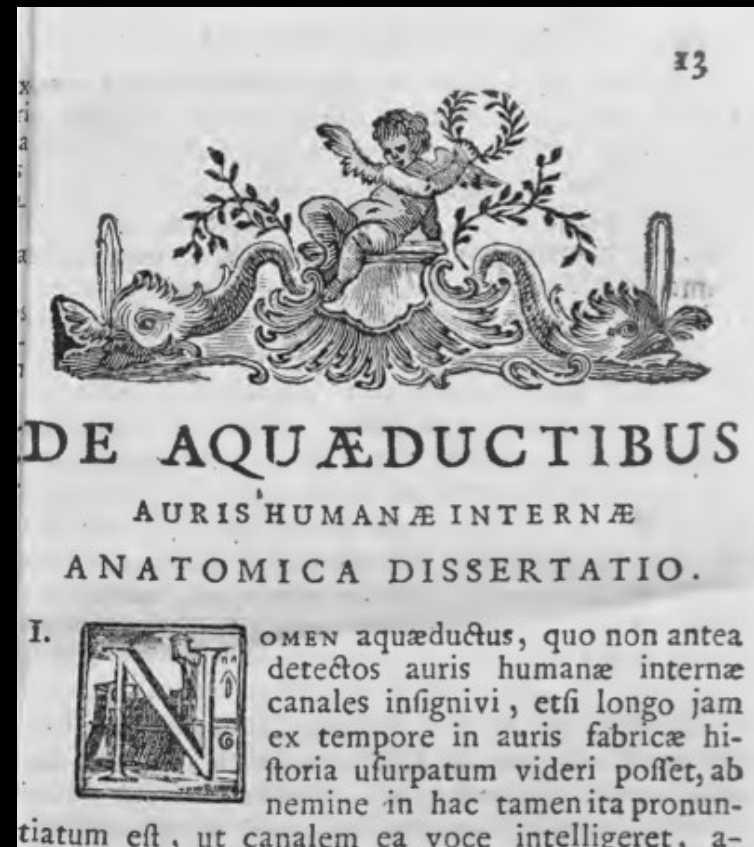
History



1765

Domenico Cotugno:
„Protein-losing disease“

Soldier of 28, suffering from oedema. Cotugno boiled 2 pints of patient's urine over the fire. After evaporation, there was „...a white mass coagulated like egg albumin“.



History



1811 William Charles Wells

„Serum“ in the urine in patients after
scarlatina

1813 John Blackall

Described association between edemas,
coagulable urine and kidneys

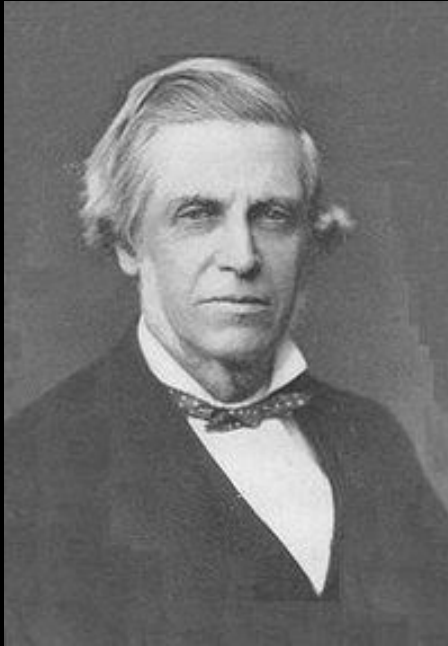


1827 Richard Bright

Clinical-pathological studies of
nephrology. An accurate description of
nephrotic syndrome



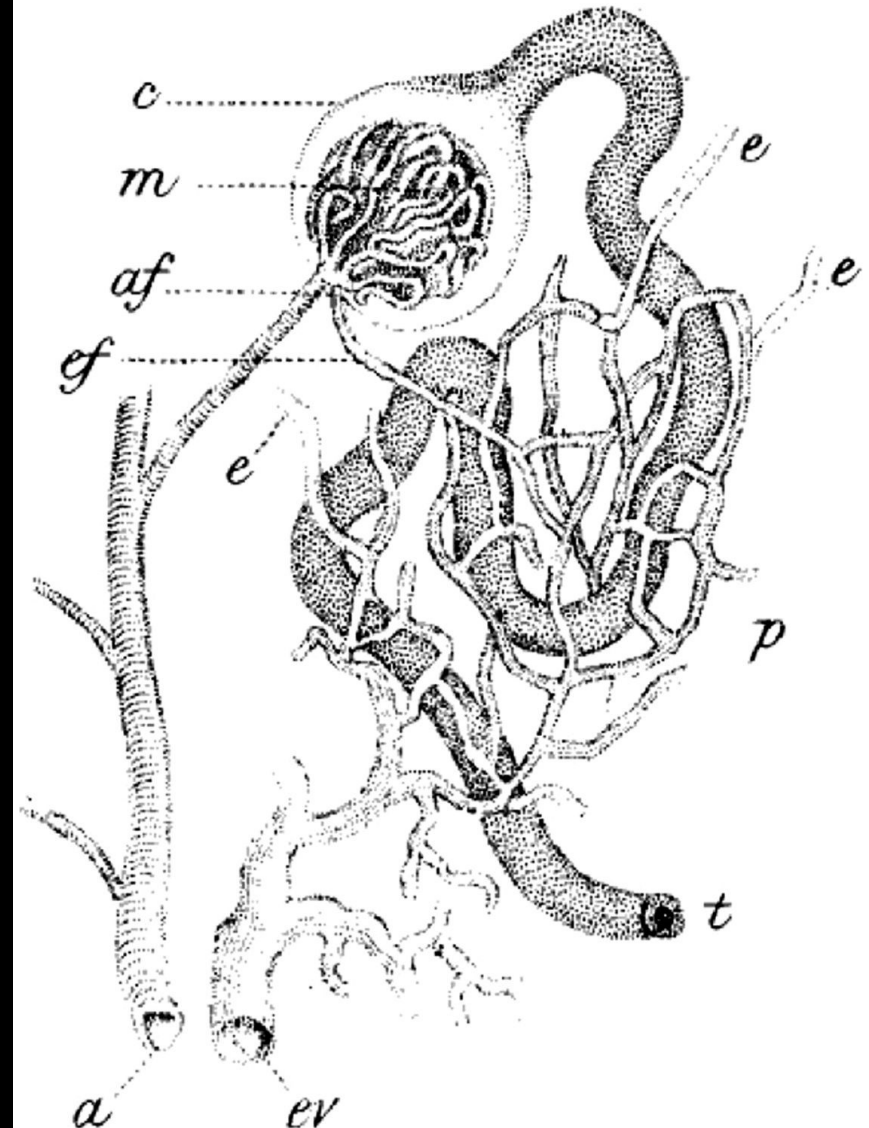
History



1842 **William Bowman**

Anatomy of glomerulus and its function as a secretory structure

*16 Plan - Proportions
as in Man.*



History

R. A. McCance, H. L. Marriott, E. B. Verney
Renal clearance functions

$$\begin{aligned} R.C. &= \frac{\text{Amt Ex (mg/min)}}{\text{Plas Con (mg/ml)}} \\ &= \frac{(50 \text{ mg/10ml}) \cdot (80 \text{ ml/20mins})}{400 \text{ mg/100 ml}} \\ &= 5 \text{ ml/min} \end{aligned}$$



E. B. Verney (1894 – 1967)

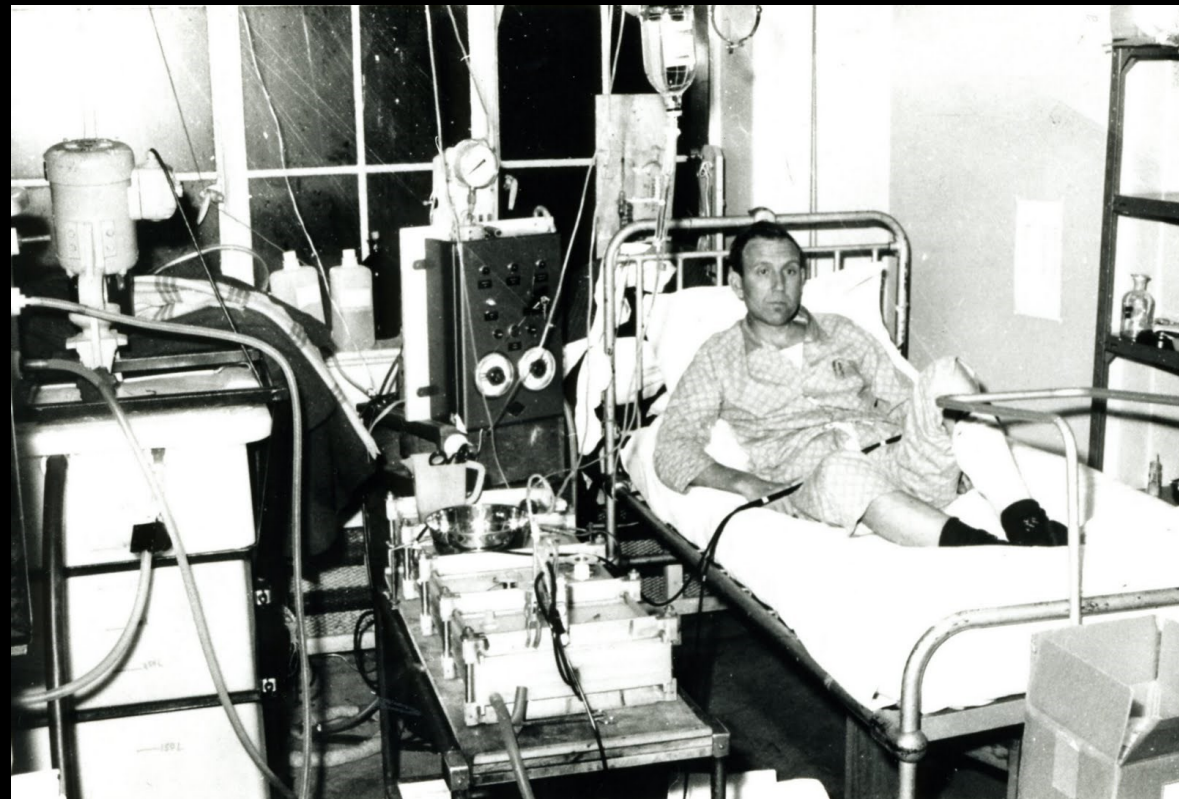
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1943 - **Hemodialysis**

Willem Johan Kolff, Netherlands



W. J. Kolff (1911 – 2009)



History



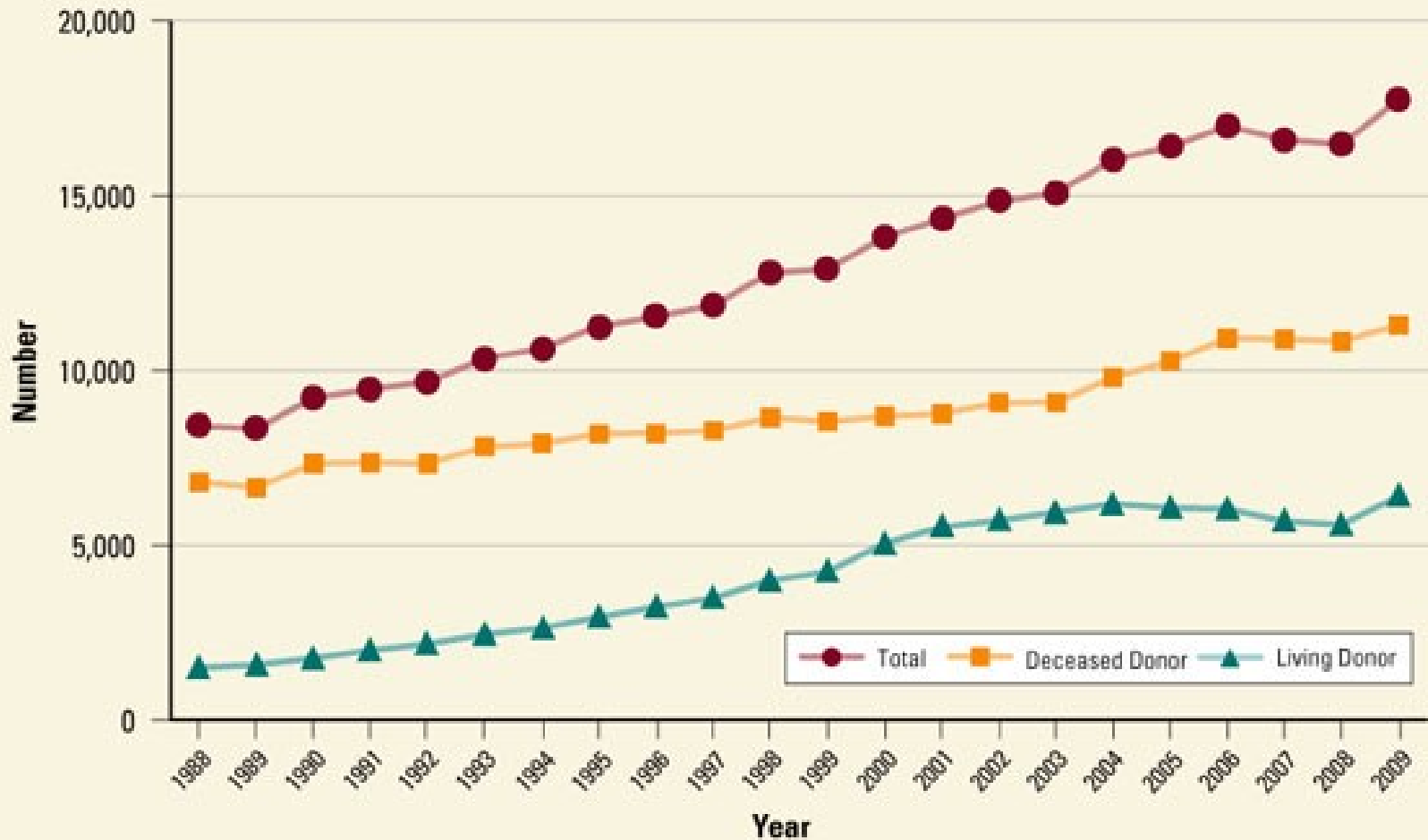
1950 - first successful kidney transplantation
Mary Hospital, Illinois

44-year-old woman with polycystic kidney disease

The donated kidney was rejected 10 months later because no immunosuppressive therapy was available

History

Annual Number of Kidney Transplants



Diuresis - basic terms

Dysuria

Incontinence

Strangury

Polyuria

Polakisuria

Oliguria

Ischuria

Anuria

Nocturia

Isostenuria

Diuresis - basic terms

Dysuria = difficult, painful urination (infection, stones, tumors, prostate...)

Strangury = symptom of painful, frequent urination

Polakisuria = frequent urination of small volumes, expelled slowly only by straining, usually with the residual feeling of incomplete emptying

Ischuria = (pathological) urinary retention, lack of ability to urinate

Paradoxical ischuria = incontinence from overflow of urinary bladder

Diuresis - basic terms

Nocturia

(no exact definition)

= annoying night urinate, more than 1x at night

= night urinate for than 35% of daily diuresis

Nocturia

Causes

1) Defects of the “3rd space”

- a) congestive heart failure
- b) venous insufficiency
- c) excessive salt intake
- d) nephrotic syndrome

2) Polydipsia

- a) resulting from polyuria – DM, diabetes insipidus
- b) excessive liquid intake in evening hours

3) Misbalance between daily and night urine production

- a) lack of circadian rhythm in ADH secretion
- b) excess of ANP in sleep apnoe syndrome resulting to osmotic diuresis

4) Other

- a) diuretic therapy
- b) subvesical obstruction
- c) anxiety
- d) alcohol, caffeine
- e) neurogenic urinary bladder
- f) status post ictus, spinal lesion

Diuresis - basic terms

Urinary incontinence

= Involuntary excretion of urine

Heterogeneous group of disorders,
different etiology and pathophysiology

Diuresis - basic terms

Urinary incontinence

1. Stress incontinence	49 %
2. Urge incontinence – motoric and sensoric form	22 %
3. Combined incontinence	29 %
4. Paradoxical ischuria (= overflow incontinence)	rare
5. Extraanatomic ickontinence (fistula, congenital abn.)	rare
6. Reflective incontinence	

Stress type ... Higher intraabdominal pressure without current detrusor contraction (we can objectively verify it)

Urge type: ... With compulsive, intensive impulse to urination

Neurogenous (reflective) type: ... Abnormal reflective activity of spinal centre

Extraanatomic type: ... Variable causes (congenital or acquired)

Diuresis - basic terms

Paradoxical ischuria

= Spontaneous outflow of urine from overflowing urinary bladder

(subvesical obstruction – prosthetic hyperplasia, stricture of urethra, tumor, lying patient)



Diuresis - basic terms

Polyuria = frequent large urination (> 2500 ml / 24 h)

Oliguria = diuresis < 500 ml / 24 h (20 ml / h)

Anuria = diuresis < 100 ml / 24 h (4 ml / h)

Isosthenuria = U-concentration is equal to P-concentration

(**Concentrated urine** ... U-concentration $>$ P-concentration)

Diuresis - basic terms

Polyuria

= diuresis $>$ 2500 ml / 24 h

Polydipsia

= excessive thirst



Diuresis - basic terms

Polyuria

Water diuresis (polyuria)

- diabetes insipidus centralis
- diabetes insipidus renalis
- psychogen. polydipsia

Osmotic diuresis (polyuria)

- glykosuria (decomp. DM)
- calciurie (hyper-PTH, bone metastases, sarcoidosis)
- natriuria (osmotic diuretics, Addison dis.)

Principal concepts

Renal insufficiency:

The condition in which the kidneys fail to function properly. The kidneys still allows a normal homeostasis during auspicious situation, but not in stress circumstances (infection, surgery, water or electrolyte overload).

Renal failure:

The kidneys are incapable of keeping homeostasis in basal conditions.

Uremia

Syndrome resulting from the renal failure, most often chronic.

Functions of kidneys and urinary tract

1. Selective excretion / elimination

- water
- electrolytes
- catabolites (small compounds, middle-size compounds 500 - 3000 D)

2. Selective retention of filtrated molecules

- aminoacids
- proteins
- vitamins
- ...

3. Endocrine activity

- Epo
- 1,25-OH-D3 vitamin

Factors of uremia evolvement

1. Retention

- water
- electrolytes (K)
- small molecules
- middle size molecules (500 - 3000 D)

2. Raised loss

- water, electrolytes (Na, Ca, Mg)
- aminoacids, proteins, vitamins

3. Low production

- Epo
- 1,25-OH-D3 vitamin

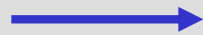
4. Compensation (Trade off hypothesis)

= changes resulting from systemic compensatory activity
Renal osteopathy

Acute renal failure

Causes

1. Prerenal



hemodynamic changes
shock circulation

Hypovolemia

Large bleeding, water and solute loss, 3rd space

↓ Cardiac output

Ischem. heart dis., myocarditis, valvular dis.

...
Syst. vasodilation

Anaphylaxis, sepsis, drugs, hepatic failure

↓ Ren. autoregulation

Drugs (ACEI, NSAID, ...)

Acute renal failure

Causes

2. Renal (parenchymal) - mainly damage of tubular cells

- **TIN (infectious /non-infectious), allergic reaction**
- **glomerulonephritis (poststreptococcus, SLE, Goodpast. sy)**
- **nephrotoxins (CCl₄, ethylene glycol, propylene glycol, Hg, Au,Bi, amanita phal...)**
- **nephrotoxic drugs (SFA, gentamycine, cefaloridine)**
- **hemolysis (incompatible TRF)**
- **crush syndrome**
- **burns (dehydration, sepsis, toxemia)**
- **„malignant“ hypertension**
- **acute pancreatitis**
- **ischemia (occlusion of renal artery, thrombosis of renal vena)**

Acute renal failure

Causes

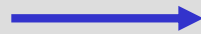
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- nephrotoxic drugs (SFA, gentamycine, cefaloridine)
- hemolytic uremic syndrome (HUS, TRF) (**Glomerular dis.** **Interstitial dis.**)
- crush syndrome
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Acute renal failure

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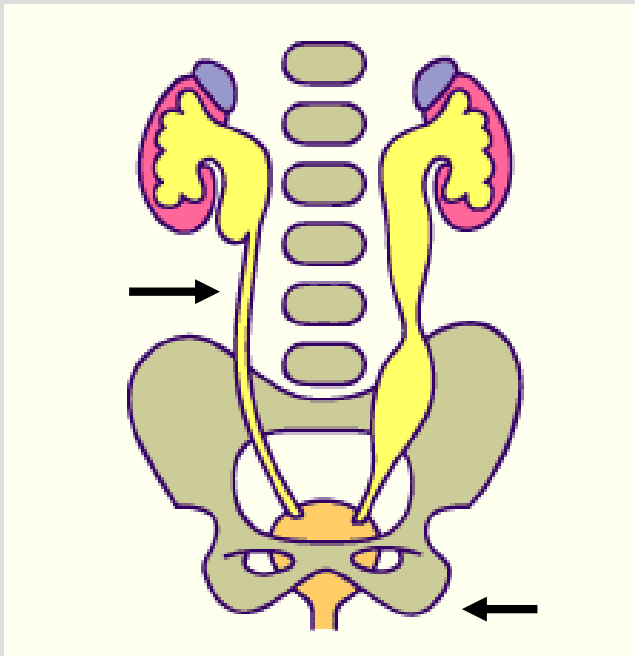
3. Postrenal



obstructions

urolithiasis, blood coagula
tumors
prosthetic hyperplasia
retroperitoneal fibrosis
ligature of ureter
atonia of urinary bladder

suprapubic pain or renal colic,
palpation of distend urinary bladder
USG, CT



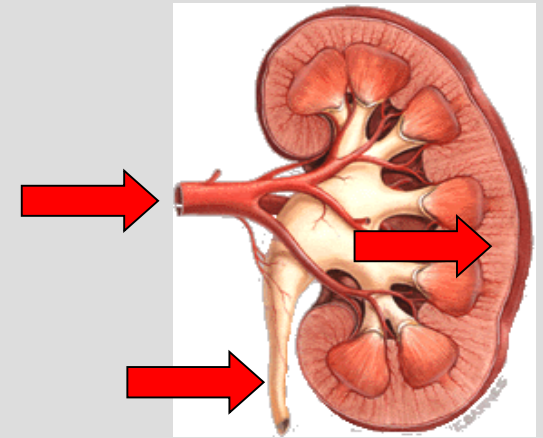


IVU: Distal obstruction of urether

IVU: Distension of bladder due to obstruction of urethra



Acute renal failure



Causes

1. Prerenal

Physiological response to renal hypoperfusion in case of normal kidney function

2. Renal

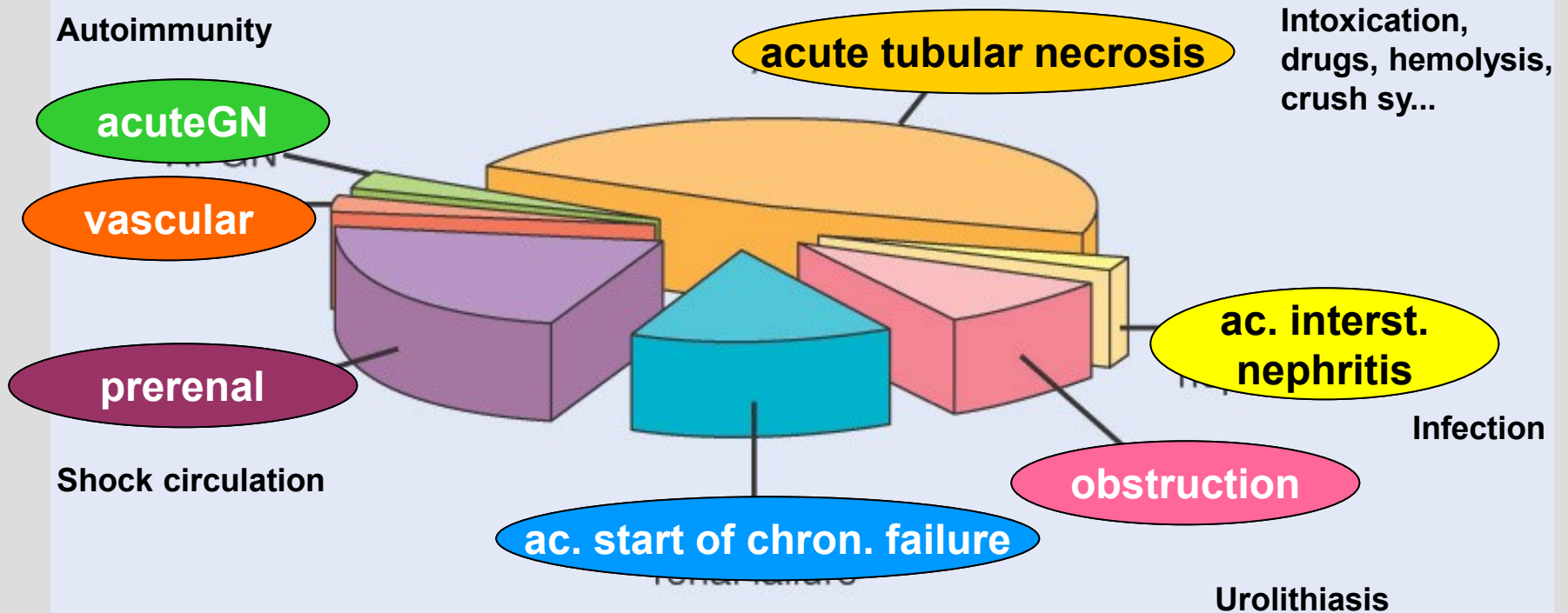
Functional insufficiency of renal parenchyma

3. Postrenal

Acute obstruction

Acute renal failure

Common reasons



Acute renal failure

Most considerable nephrotoxins

Heme pigments

- Myoglobin – rhabdomyolysis
 - Crush syndrome, ethanol, peripheral ischemia, drugs (statins)
 - dg.: ↑CK, myoglobin in plasma
- Hemoglobin – hemolysis
 - Incompatible transfusion, hemolytic anemia, malaria, G6PDH deficiency, PNH

Nephrotoxic drugs

- NSAID, ACEI
- Aminoglykosids, Amfotericine B, Pentamidin, Acyclovirum
- Cyclosporine
- Cisplatin, Ifosfamide

Ethylene glycol

Heavy metals

Vegetable and fungal poisons

Drugs, poisons and nephrotoxicity

**Prerenal azotemia
(diuretics)**

9. Renal vein

**Papillary necrosis → postren. obstruction
(NSAID)**

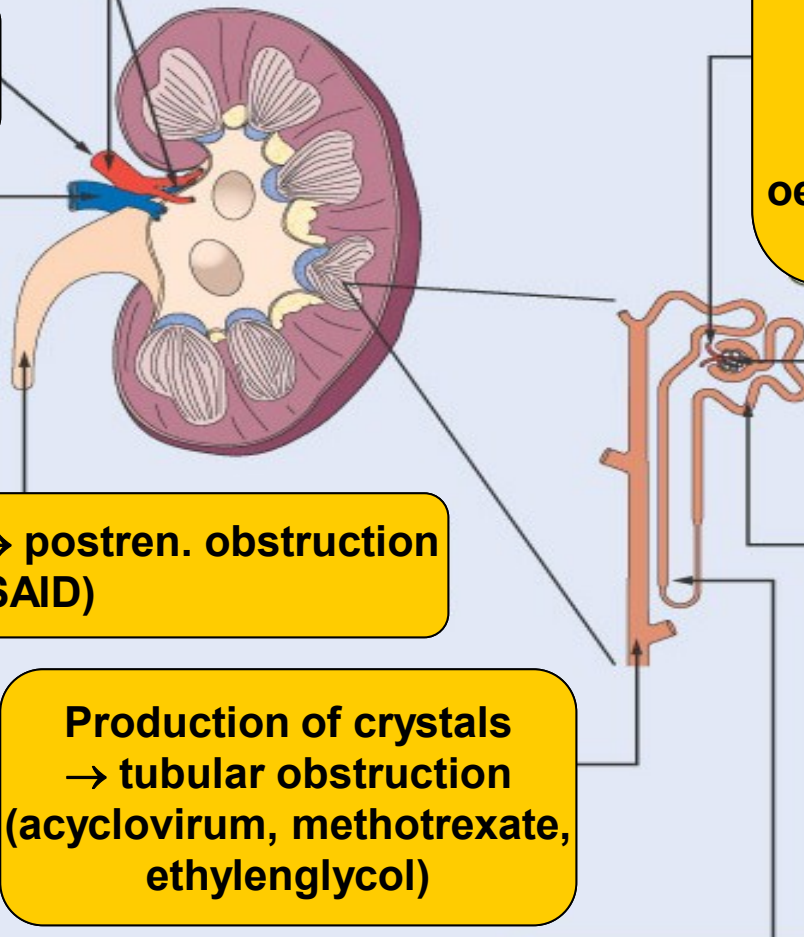
**Production of crystals
→ tubular obstruction
(acyclovirum, methotrexate,
ethylenglycol)**

**Ac. interst. nephritis
(PNC, cephalosporins,
NSAID, allopurinol,
omeprazol, phenytoin)**

**Mikroangiopaty
(thrombotic or
vasoconstrictory)
(ACEI, NSAID,
cyklosporin, cocaine,
oestrogen contraception)**

**Rapidly progressive GN
(penicilamin, hydralazin)**

**Acute tubular
necrosis
(amfotericin, cisplatina,
heavy metals,
vegetable poisons)**



Acute renal failure

Parameter **Prerenal** **Renal**

natriurie	< 20	> 40 mM
U-osmol.	> 500	< 350 mosm / kg
konc. index kreat.	> 40	< 20 (U-kr / P – kr)
konc. index urey	> 8	< 3 (U-urea / P-urea)
frakční exkrece Na	< 1	> 2

Is valid before diuretic or infusion treatment only.

Acute renal failure

- 1 Initial
- 2 Anuria / oliguria
- 3 Diuretic phase
- 4 Recovery

Commonly reversible process with recovery ad integrum

Acute renal failure

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1 - 2 days
↑ urea, ↑ creatinine
↓ diuresis

Acute renal failure

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Duration from 2 days to 6 weeks

Loss of nephrons

Azotemia

Electrolyte split

Oliguria < 500 ml / 24 h

Anuria < 100 ml / 24 h

Acute renal failure

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**Tubuli proliferate,
their enzymatic activity is
insufficient**

Acute renal failure

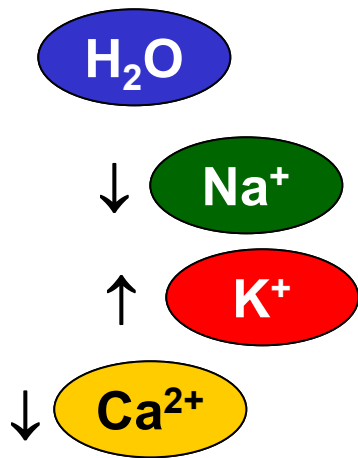
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Restitution of renal function may take till 1 year

Acute renal failure

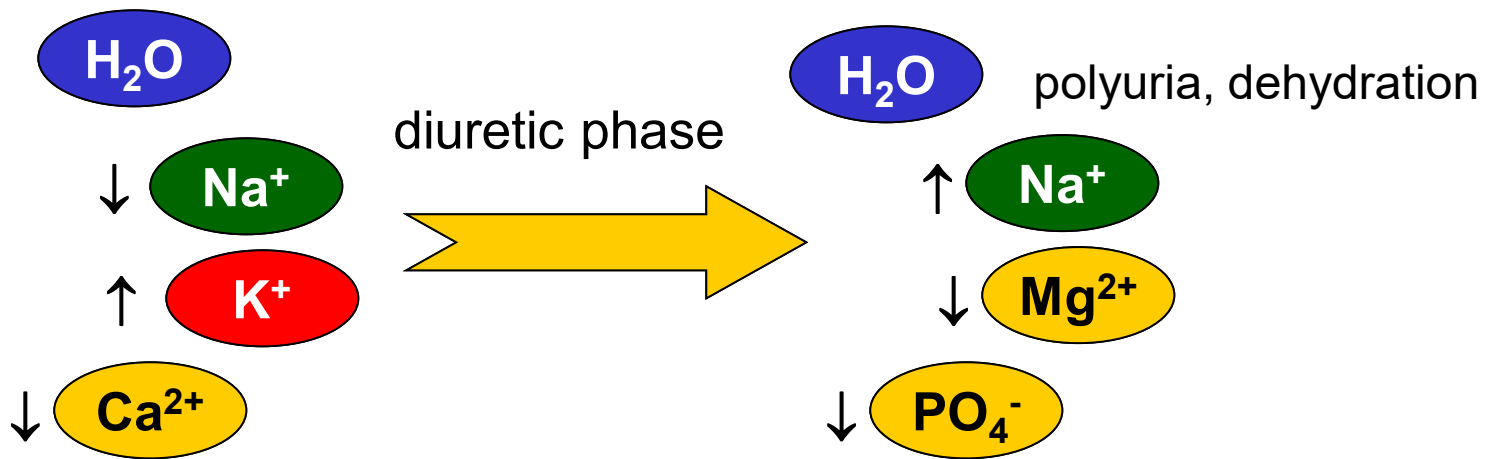
water + mineral
disorganisation

metab. acidosis

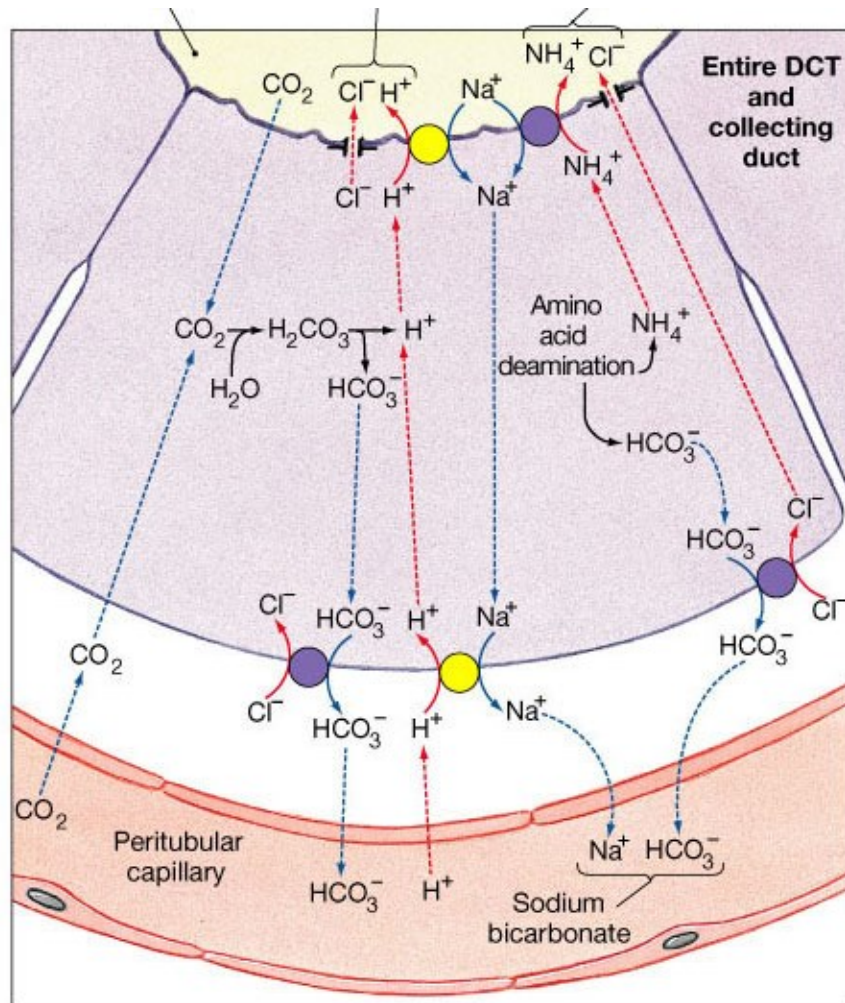


Acute renal failure

water + mineral
disorganisation



Acute renal failure



metab. acidosis

HCO_3^-

NH_4^+

PO_4^-

Case report (1)

45-year-old female patient presented to a hospital with complaints of

- muscle pain, weakness, fatigue,
- decreased urine outflow, and a dark brown urine color

...for the previous 3 weeks.

Case report (1)

Past history:

Type 2 diabetes, 12 yrs.

Hypertriglyceridemia for about 2 years

Hypertension 2 yrs.

Drugs: glimepiride (3 mg daily) and metformin (2 x 1 g daily).

About 3 weeks before presentation, she was prescribed **fenofibrate** (Lipanthyl M267 mg) daily for hypertriglyceridemia, and she had used it regularly.

Case report (1)

No **family history** of liver, muscle, or kidney disease,
had **not traveled** recently,
no history of **abuse** - alcohol, tobacco, or drug.

Case report (1)

Clinical examination:

- decreased urine output
- generalized weakness (3/5 of muscle strength)
- muscular tenderness

Case report (1)

Laboratory:

CK (serum creatine kinase)	56 ukat / L
AST	19 ukat / L
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creatinine	467 umol / L
urea	37 mmol / L
LDH	97 ukat / L
glucose	14 mmol / L
HbA1C	7.85 %
triglyceride	4,6 mmol / L
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Case report (1)

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Her liver and renal functions tests were normal before the fenofibrate therapy.

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Rhabdomyolysis

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Renal failure

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Decompens. DM

Case report (1)

Rhabdomyolysis

+

Renal failure

She had no

- **recent viral illness,**
- **history of trauma,**
- **epilepsy,**
- **hypothyroidism,**
- **or over-the-counter medication use and had not taken any other medication known to induce rhabdomyolysis.**

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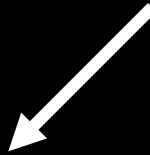
The fenofibrate was discontinued, and intravenous fluid replacement with bicarbonate therapy was started. The myalgia resolved, urine output was normalized, and serum urea and creatinine decreased to normal values on the second day of treatment.

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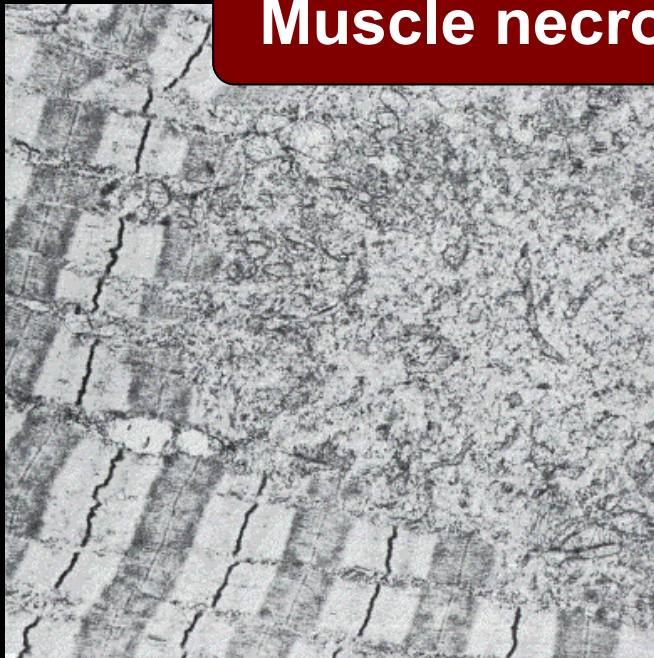
Serum	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3
Urea (mmol/l)	37.5	8.3	8.2
Creatinine (umol/l)	467	136	112
ALT (ukat/l)	24.3	18.3	12.0
AST (ukat/l)	19.6	16.1	8.2
CK (ukat/l)	56.1	28.7	19.9
LDH (ukat/l)	96.9	23.1	17.1
Na (mmol/l)	128.5	122.5	119.5
Ca (mmol/l)	2.01	2.07	2.19
K (mmol/l)	3.9	3.6	3.8
P (mmol/l)	1.34	1.26	1.21

Case report (1)

Fenofibrate



Muscle necrosis



Release of myoglobin into circulation



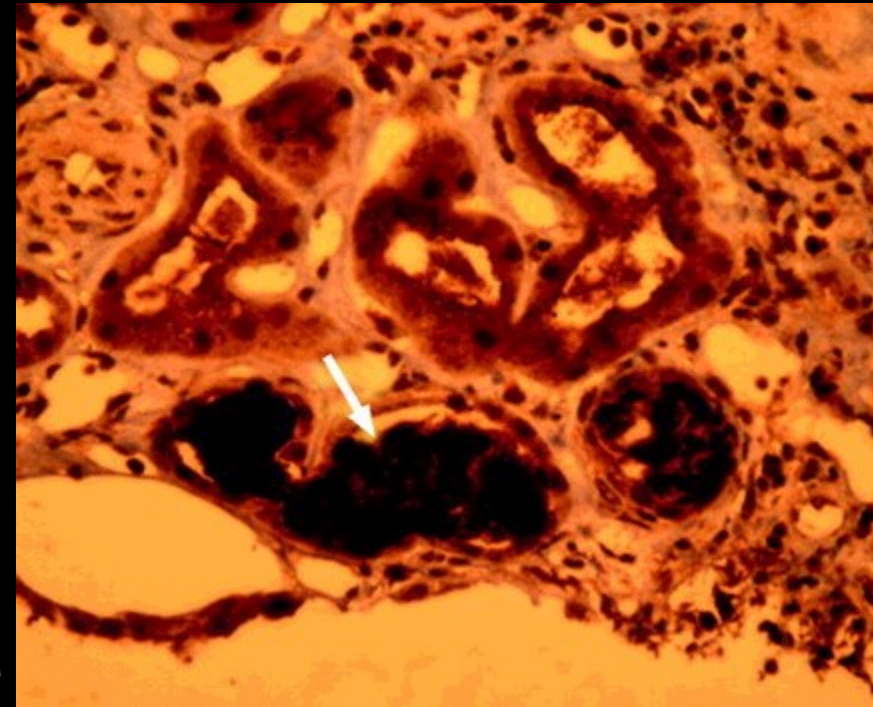
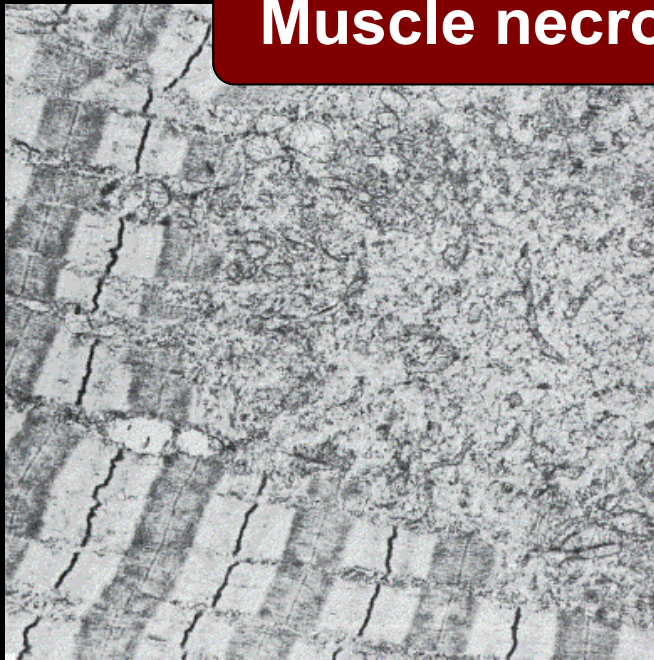
Renal failure



Case report (1)

Fenofibrate

Muscle necrosis



Renal failure

Chronic renal insufficiency

Terminal phase of various chronic renal disorders

44 %	glomerulonephritis, glomerulopathies
25 %	TIN
10 %	renal polycystosis

Phases

- I. Full compensation (creat. < 300)
- II. Compensated retention (creat. = 300-700)
- III. Decompensated retention (creat. > 700) ... dialysis
- IV. Uremia

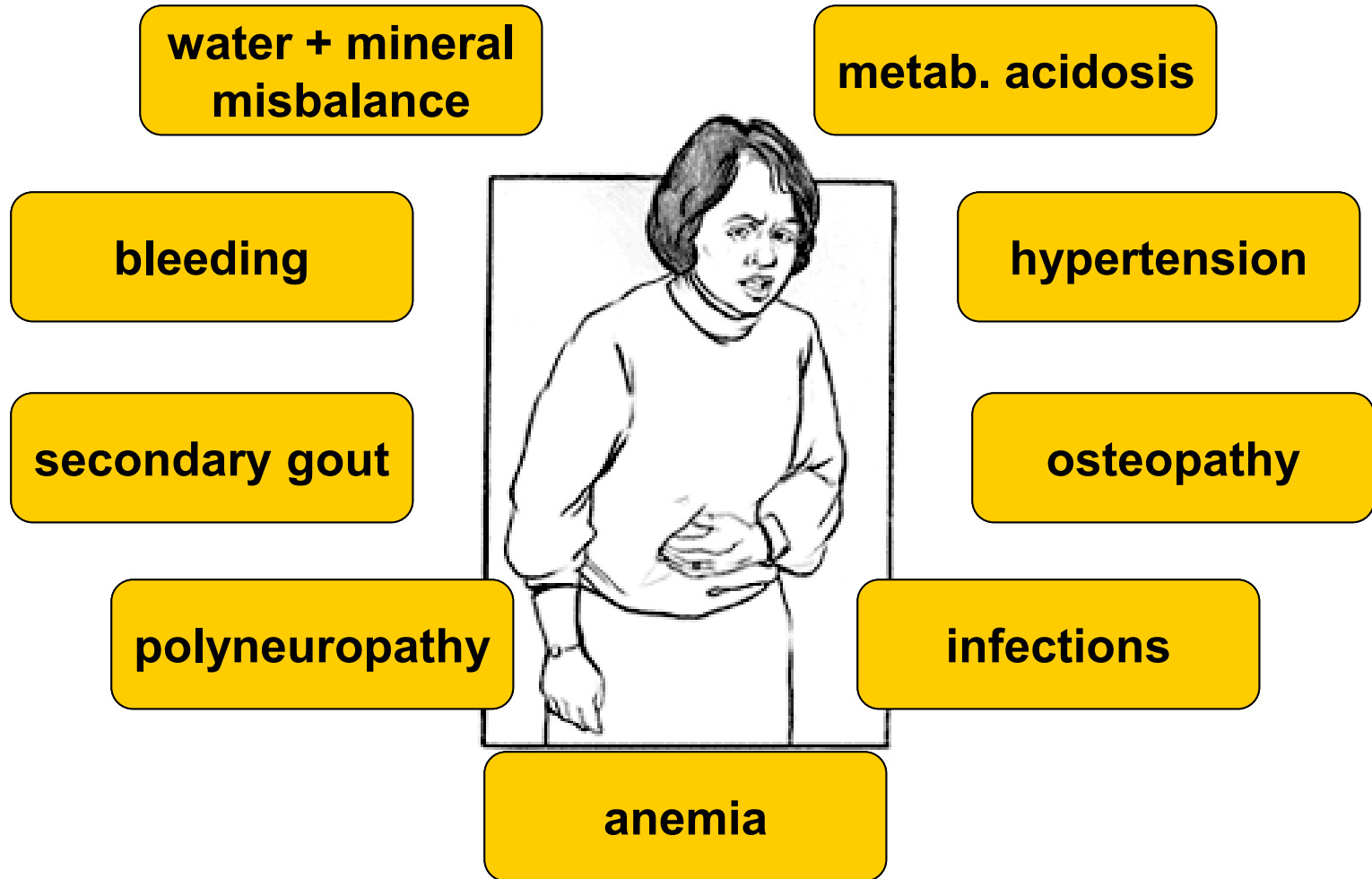
Uremia

= systemic manifestation of renal failure (mainly chronic failure)

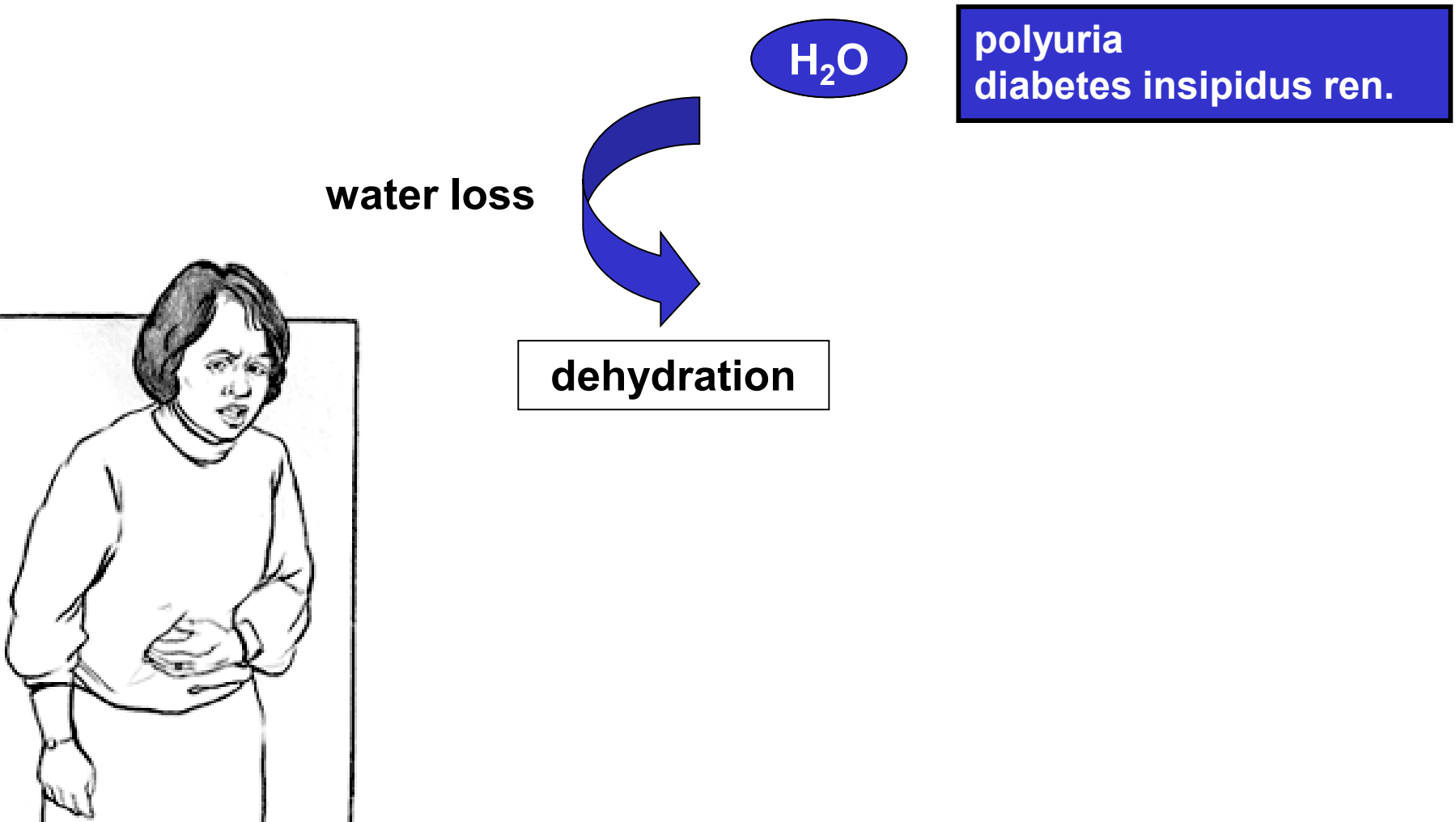
Syndrome.

Considerably changed after dialysis for imposed into standard therapy.

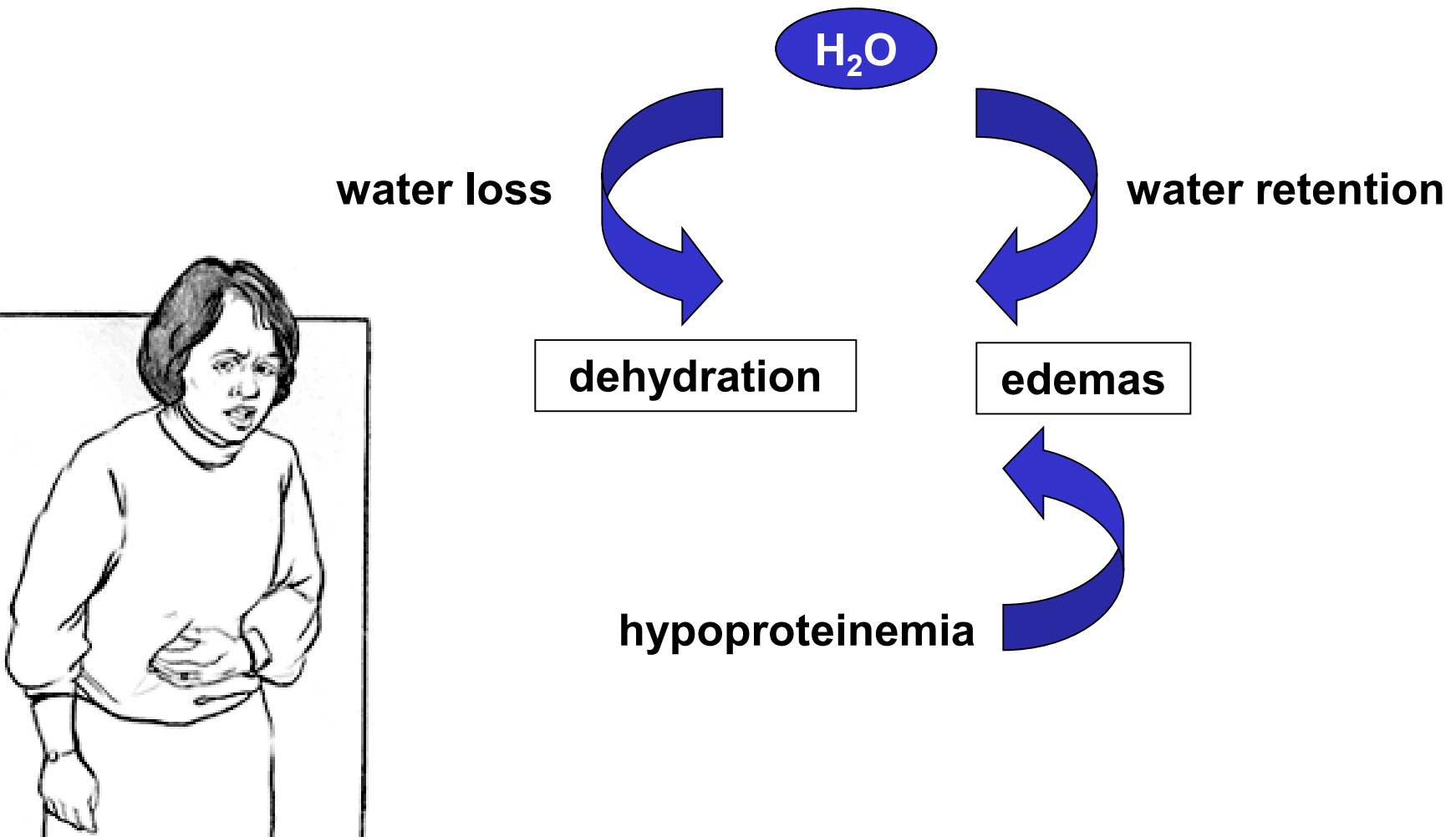
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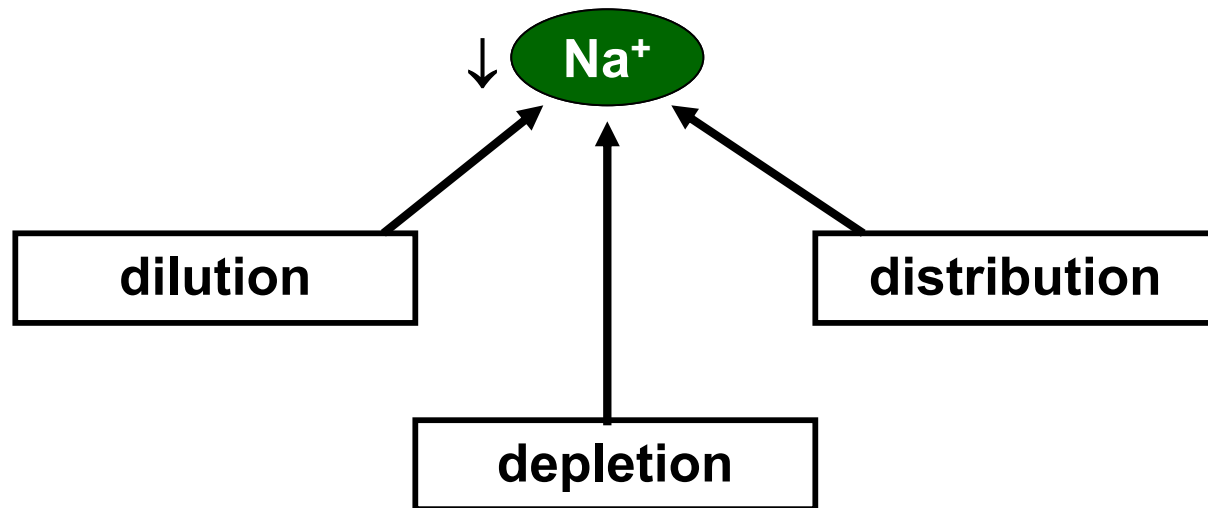
Water and mineral changes



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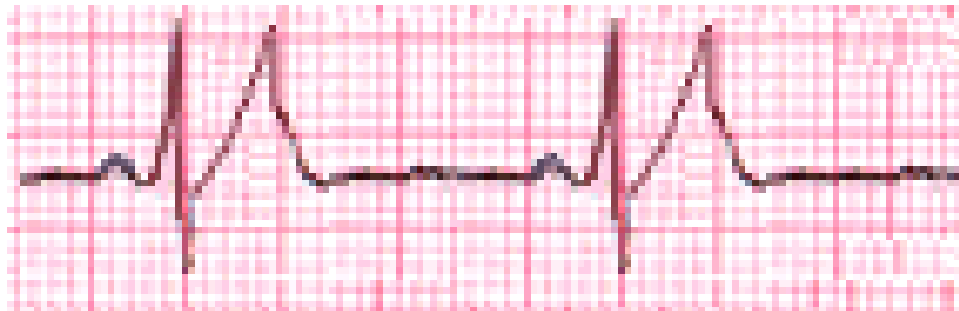
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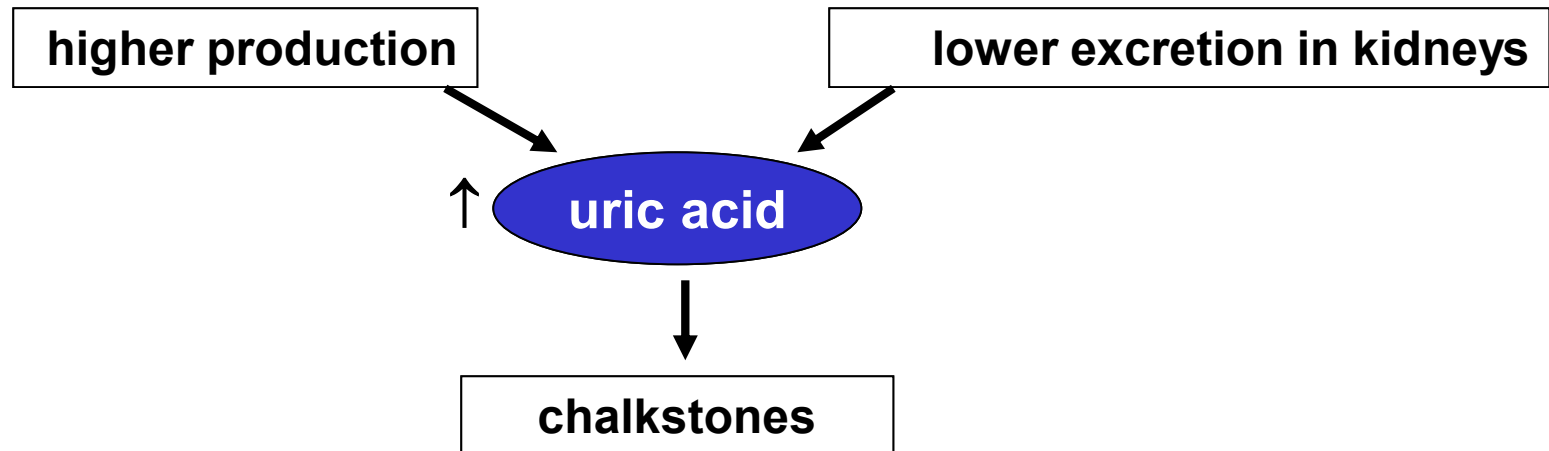


weakness, fatigue
dyspepsia (anorexia, morning
nausea, vomiting, diarrhea)
arrhythmia, pericarditis



Secondary goat

= Goat based on extraneous causes



Renal (renoparenchymal) hypertension



Factors:

- pressoric (renal hypoperfusion → renin)
- depressoric (kallikrein / kinins, PG E)
- Na, H₂O excretion

X

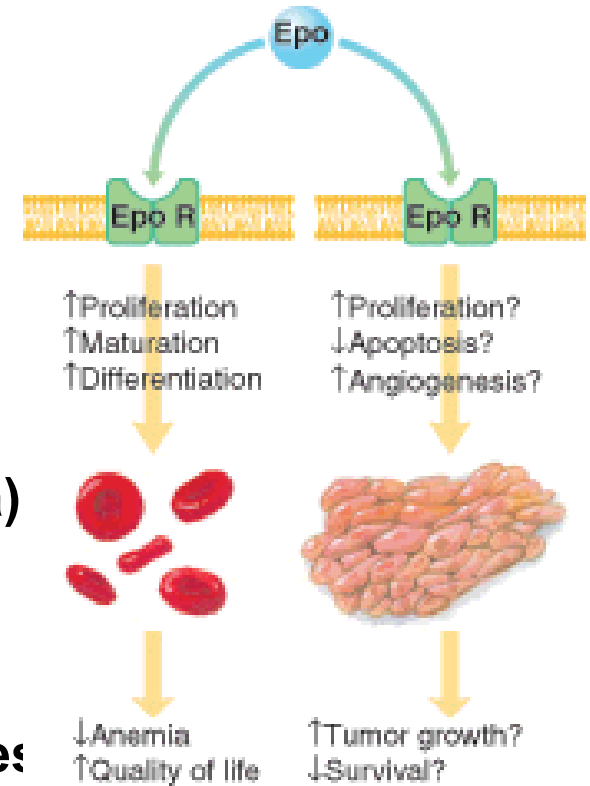
Renovascular hypertension

Reaction of renal pressoric mechanisms (renin) to hypoperfusion in case of renal artery stenosis

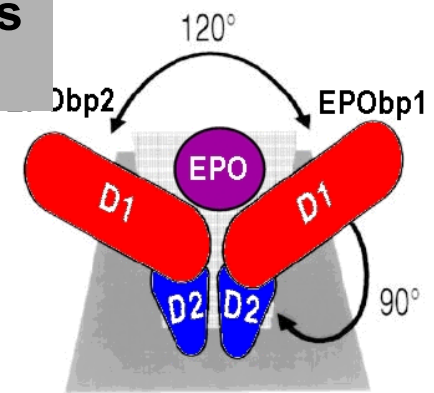
Anemia

Factors:

- Epo
- loss of vitamins, proteins (proteinuria)
- blood loss (hematuria)
- lack of iron (inflammation, ↓ Trf)
- toxic inhibition of bone marrow
- inflammatory inhibition of erythropoiesis



Chronic normocytic normochromic anemia,
Patients adapted well even when Hb concentrations
are very low



Uremic thrombocytopenia

↑ urea

↑ arginine succinate

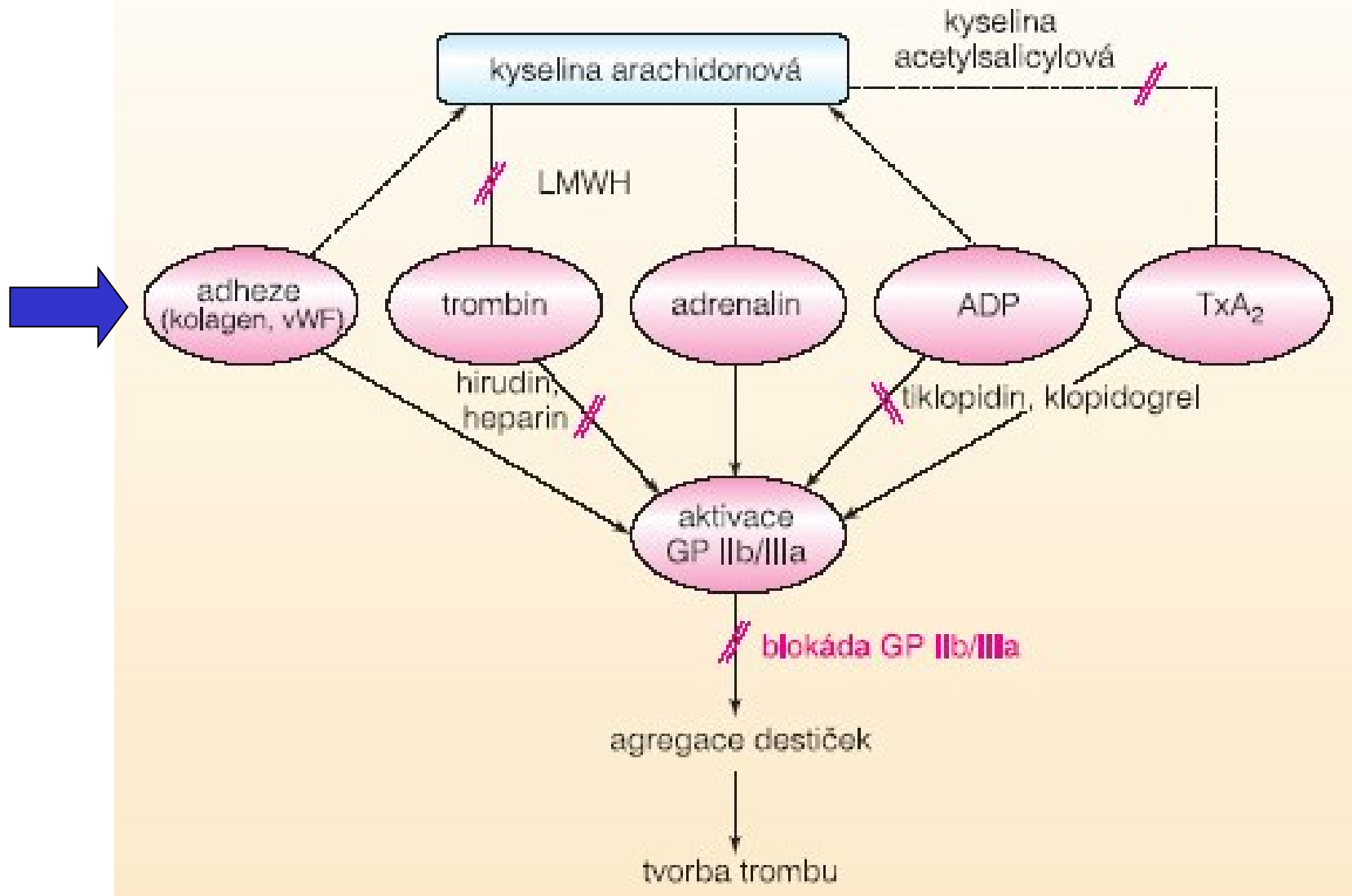
↓ highly
molecul.
vWf

thrombocytopenia



purpura

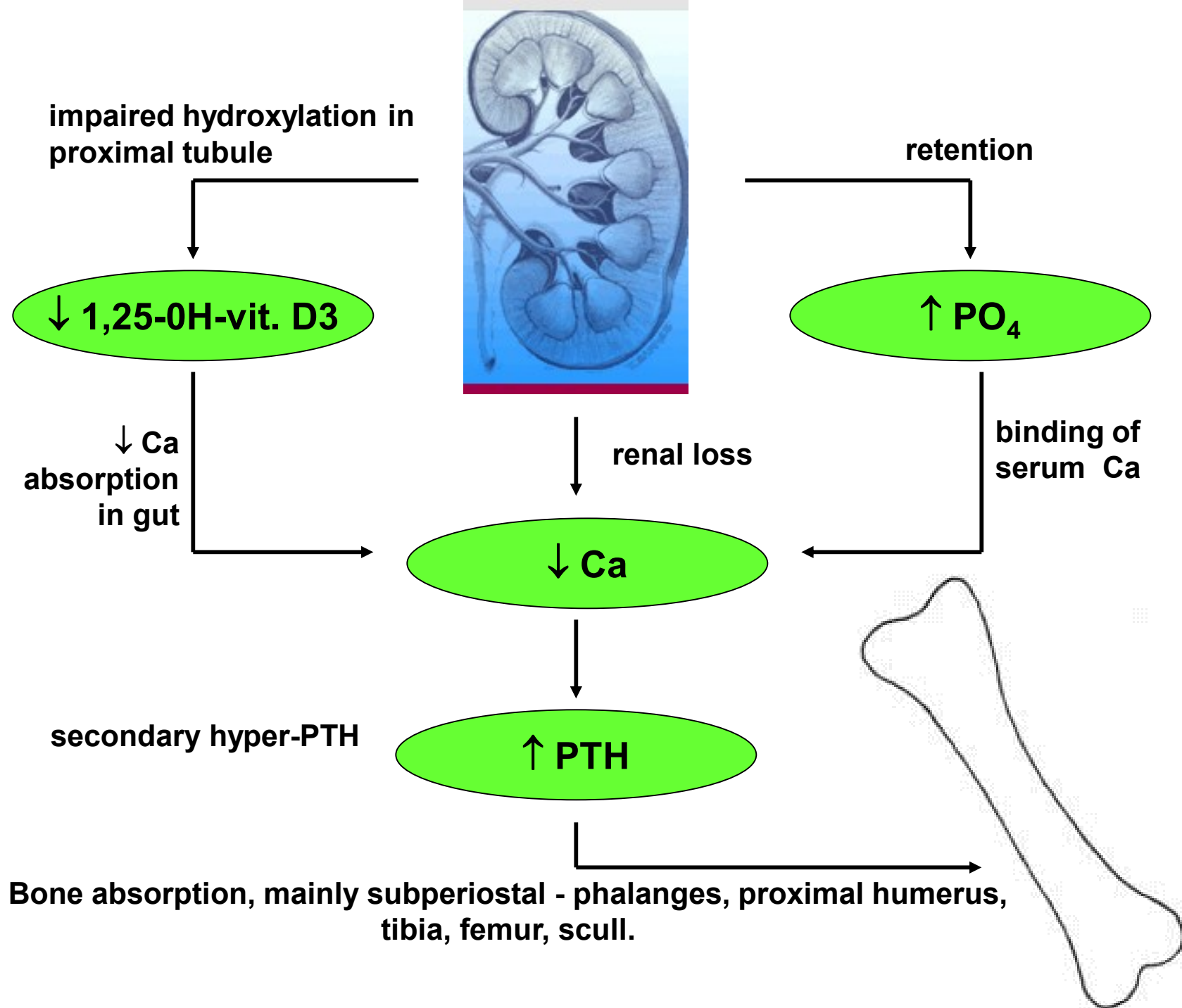
Uremic thrombocytopathy



Renal osteodystrophy

Factors:

- \uparrow PO_4
- \downarrow 1,25-0H-vit. D3 ... low production
- \downarrow Ca ... renal loss, \downarrow absorption in gut
- secondary \uparrow PTH ... bone absorption



Renal osteodystrophy



Skull „salt and pepper“



Hyper-PTH resulting to characteristic subperiosteal absorption

Renal osteodystrophy



**Bone changes are partially reversible:
The same finger before treatment and 6 months
after.**

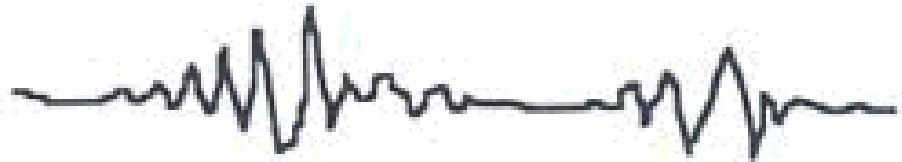
Infectious complications

Bronchitis, bronchopneumonia

Hepatitis

Sepsis

**Cheyne - Stokes
breathing**

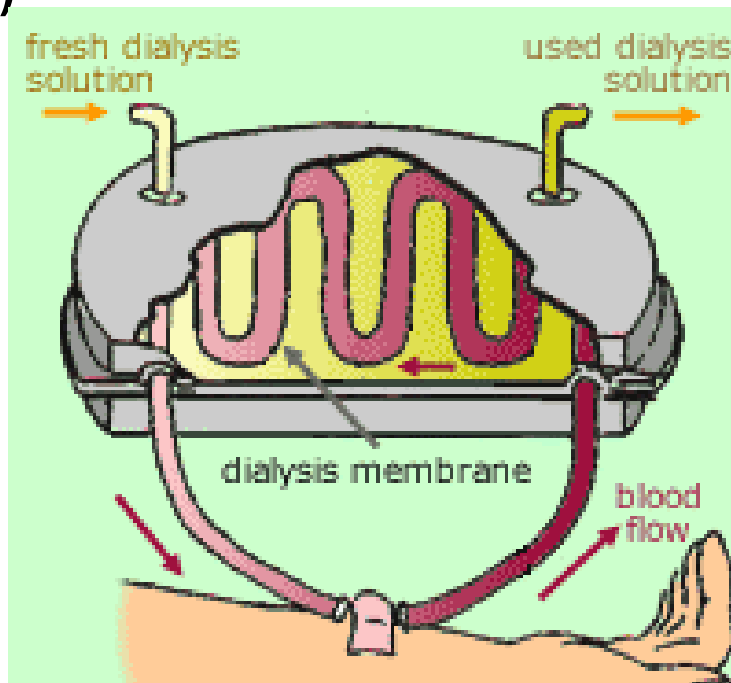


Acute dialysis

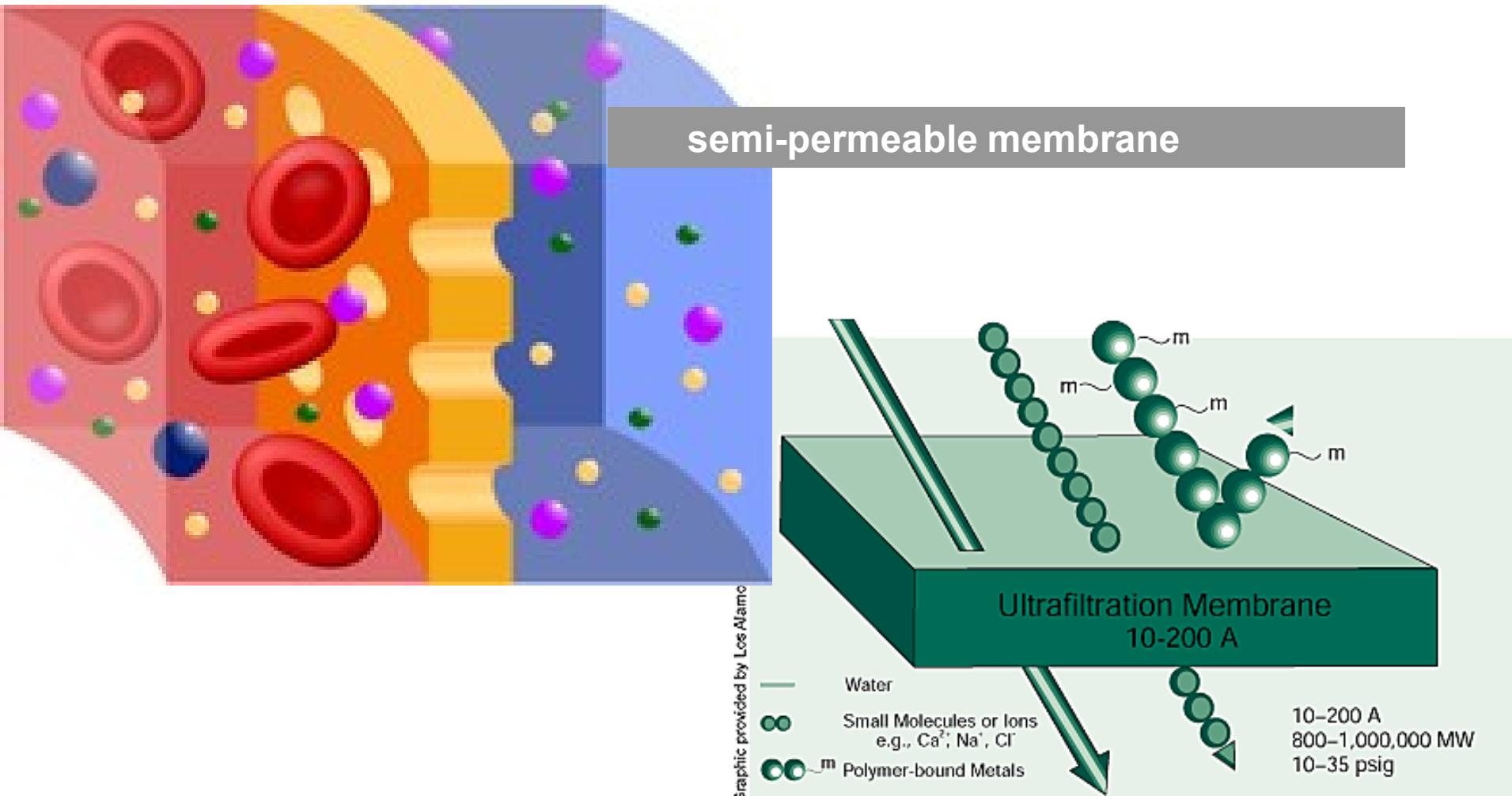
Artificial replacement for lost kidney function

Dialysis works on the principles of the diffusion of solutes and ultrafiltration of fluid across a semi-permeable membrane.

Elimination of low molecular solutes (which are not protein-bound)



Acute dialysis



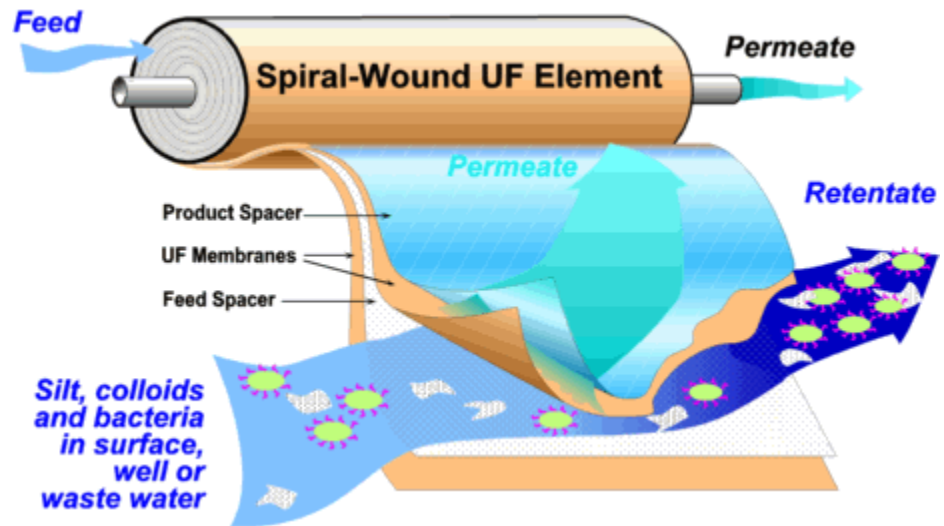
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Polymer Filtration is a membrane-based technology for metal-ion recovery. This separations technology uses specially designed, water soluble polymers that selectively bind metal ions to prevent metals from entering waste water streams and to prevent sludge formation.

Acute dialysis

Possible combination with
ultrafiltration

(hyperhydration,
pulmonary edema)



Ultrafiltration

Variety of membrane filtration. Hydrostatic pressure forces a liquid against a semi-permeable membrane.

Acute dialysis

Indications

1. Renal failure

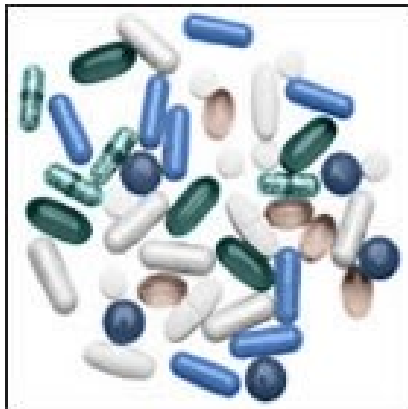
- uremia
- anuria / oliguria > 3 days
- creatinine > 700 $\mu\text{mol} / \text{L}$
- urea > 30 mmol / L
- \uparrow urea > 10 $\text{mmol} / \text{L} / \text{den}$
- $\text{K} > 6,5 \text{ mmol} / \text{L}$
- acidosis
- hyperhydration

Acute dialysis

Indications

1. Renal failure
2. Intoxication ... poisons non-bound on proteins

psychiatric drugs



Acute dialysis

Indications

1. Renal failure
2. Intoxication
3. ↑ Ca
4. ↑ uricemia ... e.g., after cytostatic therapy of leukemia
5. Hypotermia
6. Alkalosis ... rarely, not in CZ

Acute dialysis

Contraindications

Terminal phase of malignancy only

x Age, diagnosis

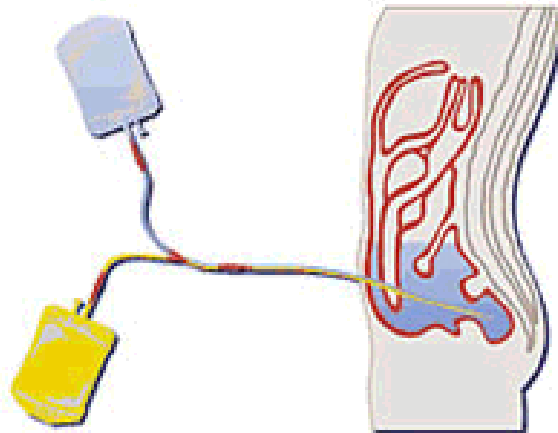
Creatinin > 300 nmol / L ... Following of patient in nephrology dept.

Peritoneal dialysis

Principle

A sterile solution containing minerals and glucose is run through a tube **into the peritoneal cavity**, where the peritoneal membrane acts as a **semi-permeable membrane**. The dialysate is left there for a period of time to absorb waste products, and then it is drained out through the tube and discarded. This cycle is repeated 4-5 times during the day,

CAPD = Continual peritoneal dialysis

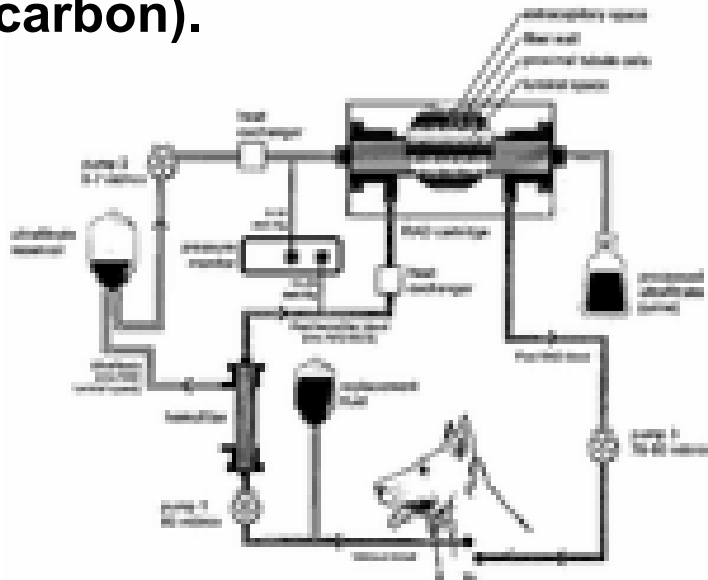


Hemoperfusion

Principle

Extracorporeal treatment. Elimination methods of toxins bound on plasma proteins.

Technique involves passing large volumes of blood over an adsorbent substance (most commonly resins and activated carbon).



hemoperfuzní kapsle