

Elimination methods

Definition

Elimination methods are used to remove damaging endogenous and exogenous molecules from the body.

plasmapheresis

renal replacement therapy

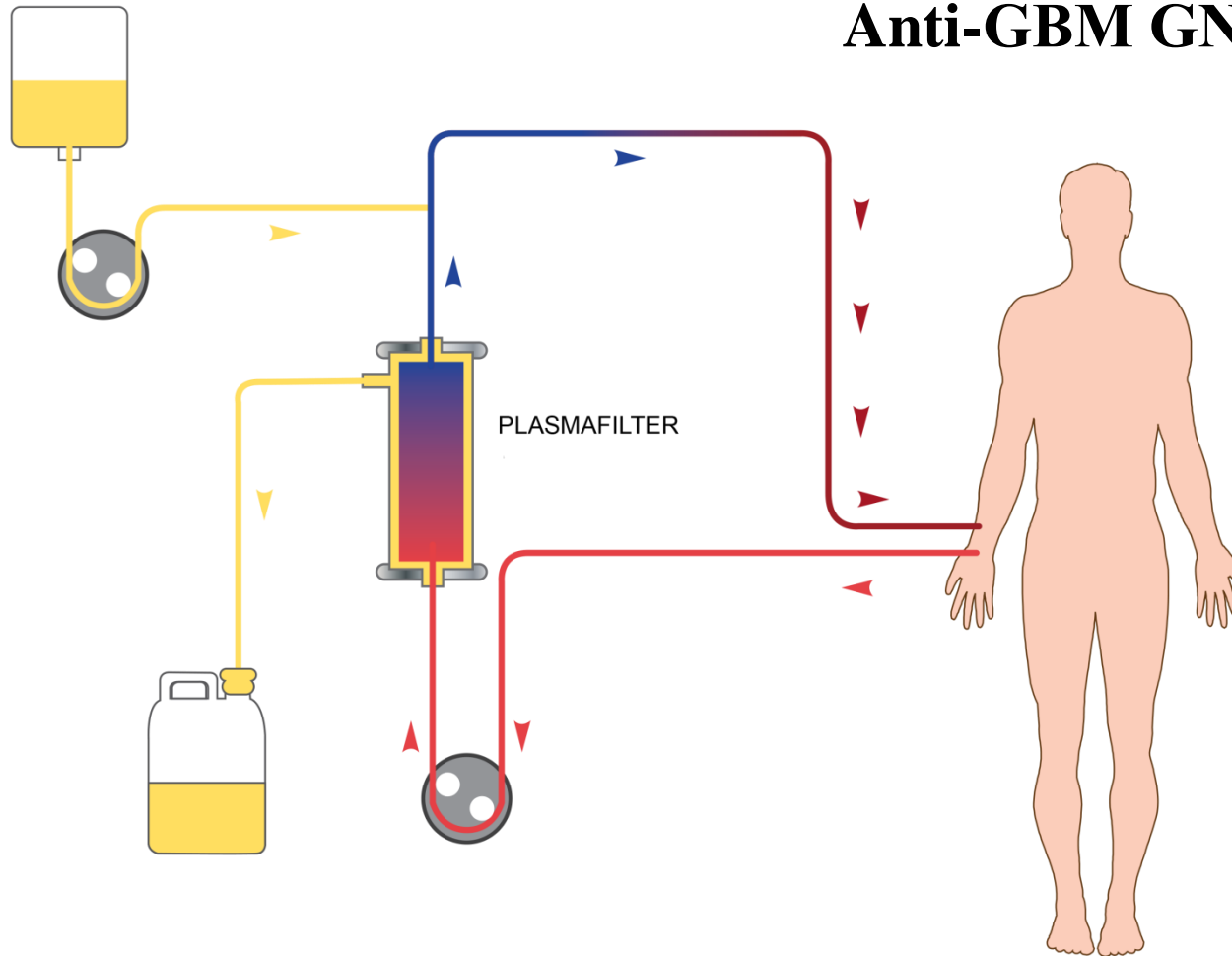
therapeutic apheresis

Endotoxin- adsorption

immunoabsorption

Plasmapheresis

Indication:
Polyradiculoneuropathy
Myasthenia gravis
Cryoglobulinemia
Anti-GBM GN,.....



Indication

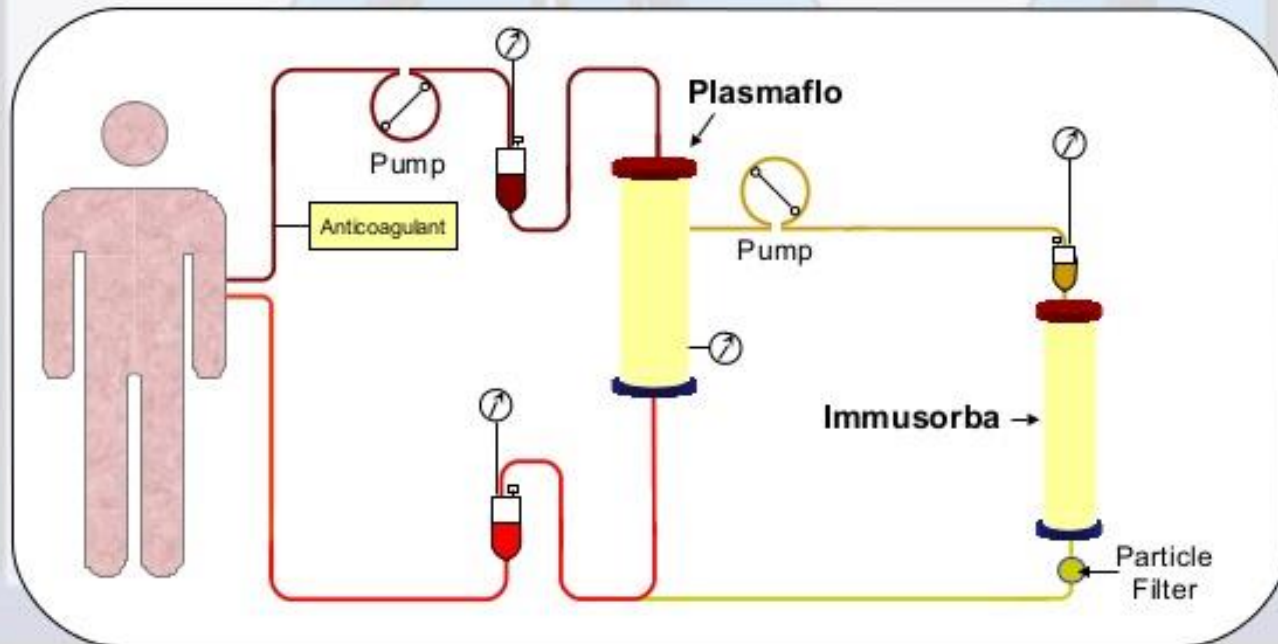
Preatreatment before ABO-incompatible kidney transplantation

Treatment of antibody-mediated allograft rejection

Treatment of highly sensitized kidney transplant recipient

Immunoadsorption

Circuit Diagram for Immunoadsorption

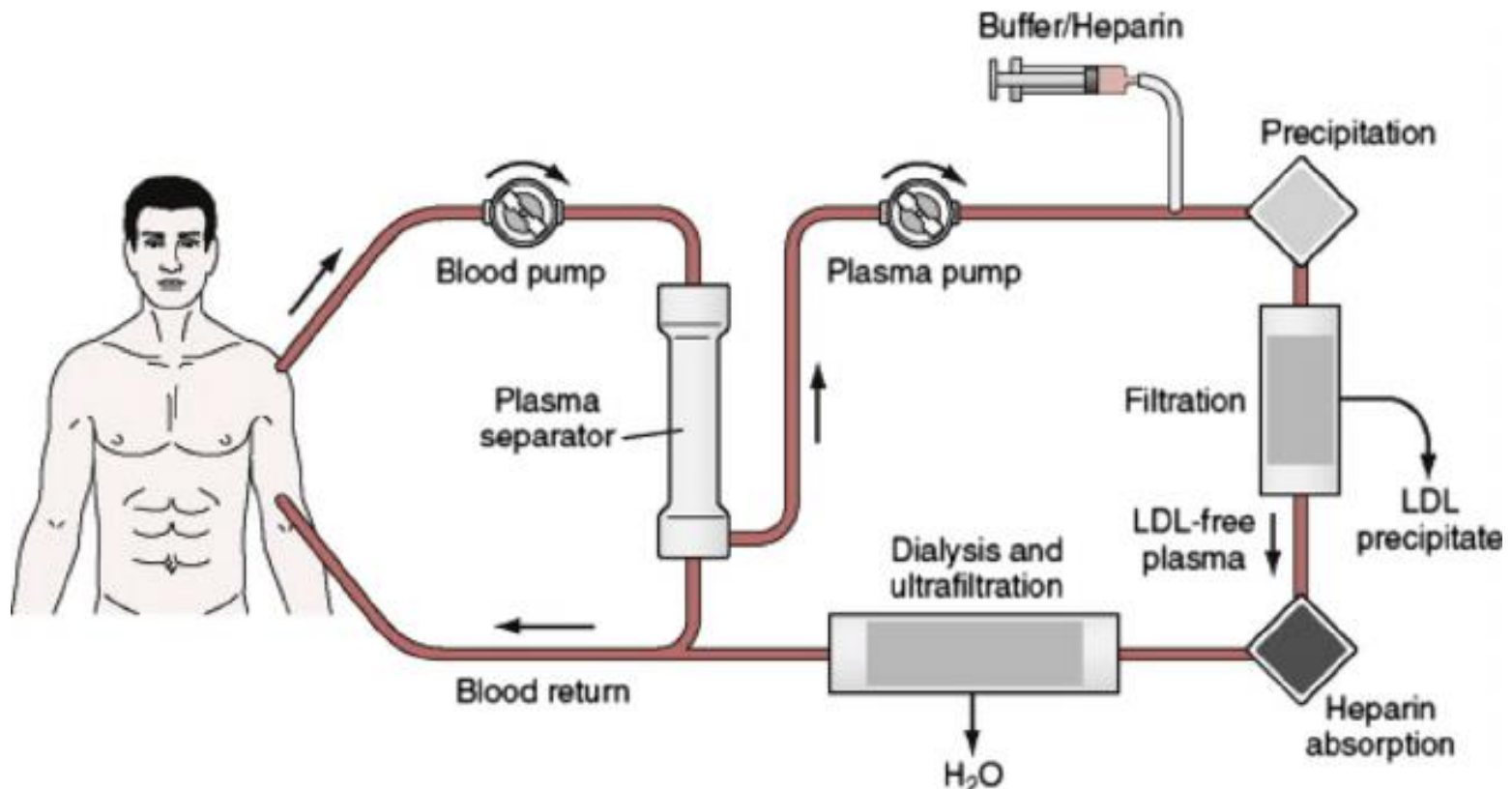


Therapeutic apheresis

lipid -apheresis,
rheopheresis

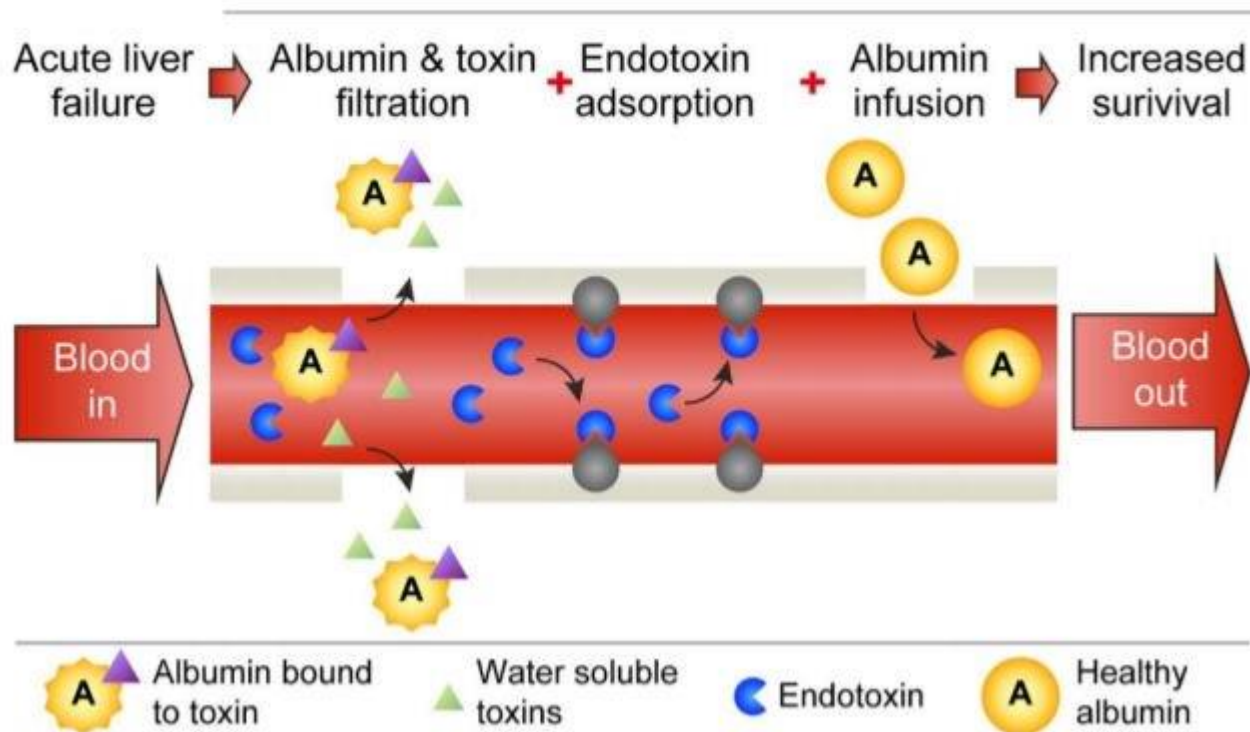
Indication

Familial hyperlipidemia



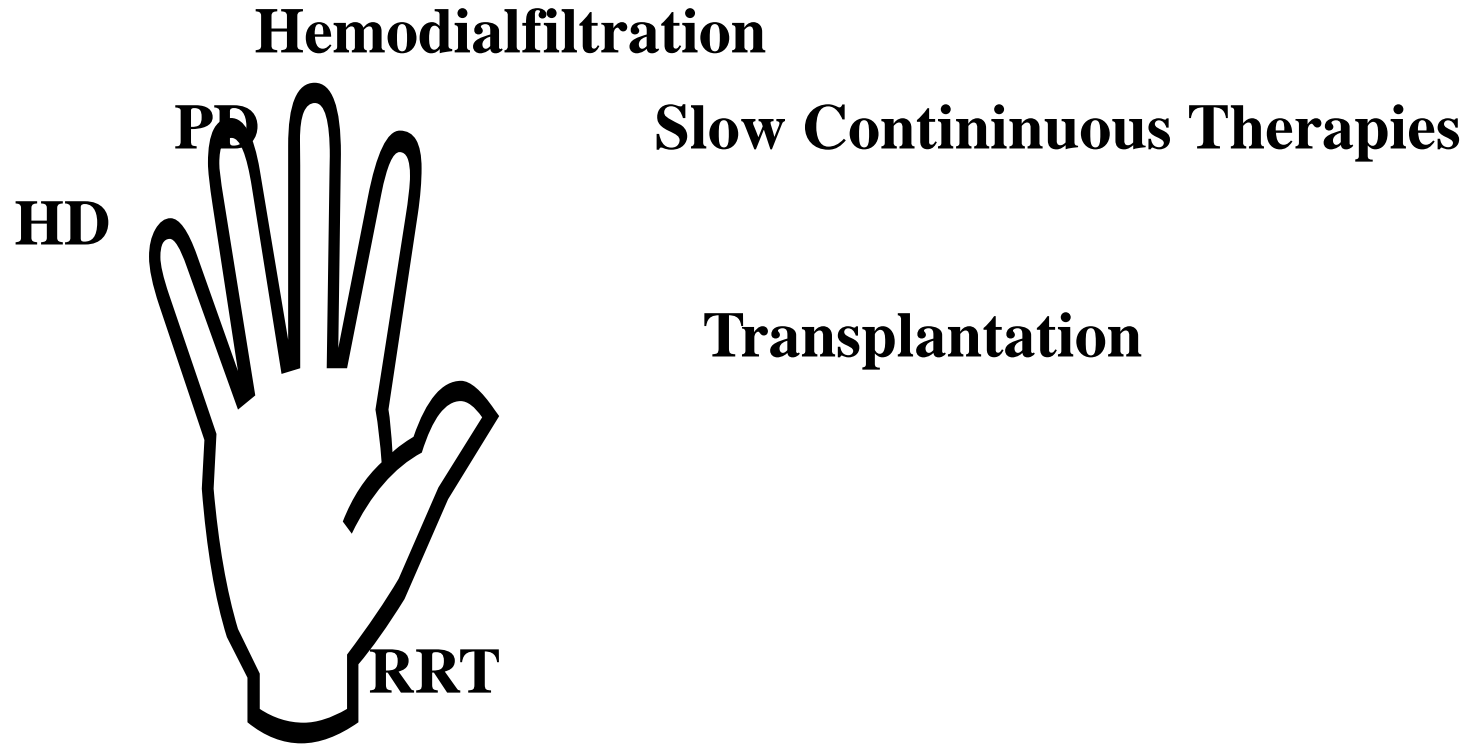
Endotoxin- adsorption

liver support system in which albumin-bound substances are directly removed from blood by special adsorber. In a simultaneous step, high-flux hemodialysis is performed



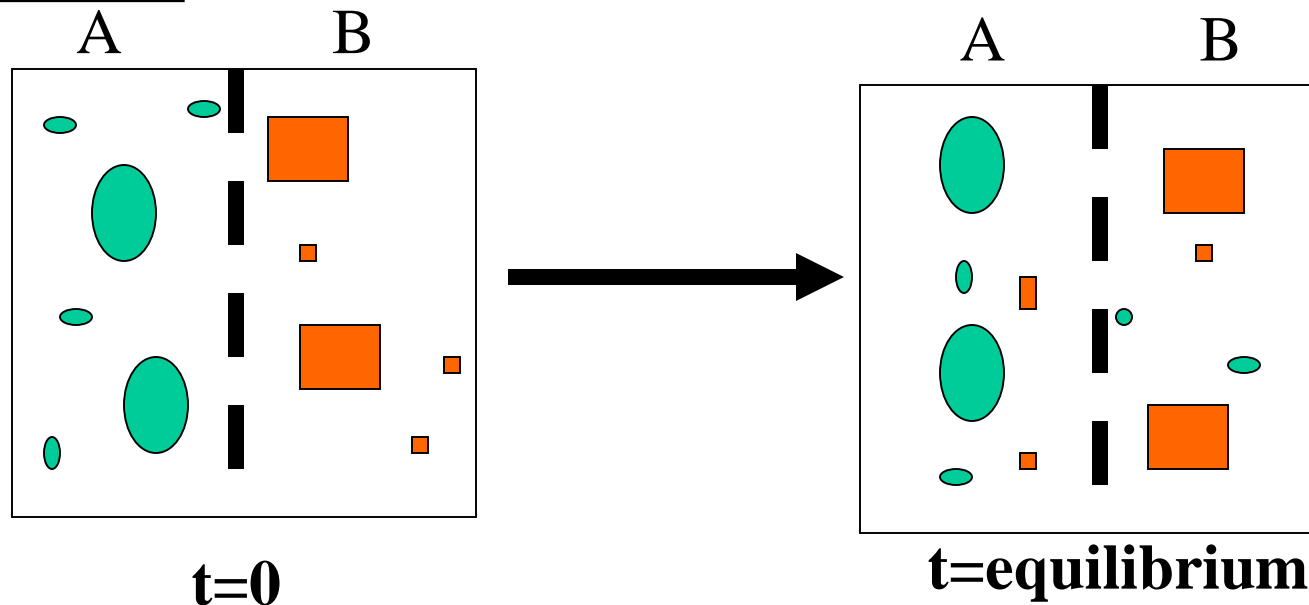
Renal replacement therapy

RRT (Renal Replacement Therapy)



Hemodialysis

Diffusion

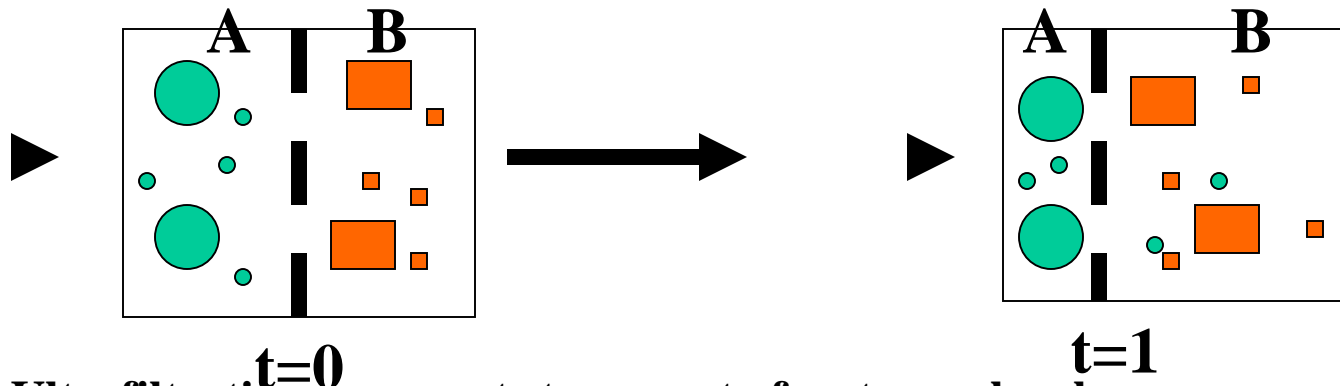


Factors affecting diffusion :

- 1) Concentration gradient
- 2) Molecular weight
- 3) Membrane resistance (membrane thickness, number of pores)

Hemodialysis

Ultrafiltration (convective transport)

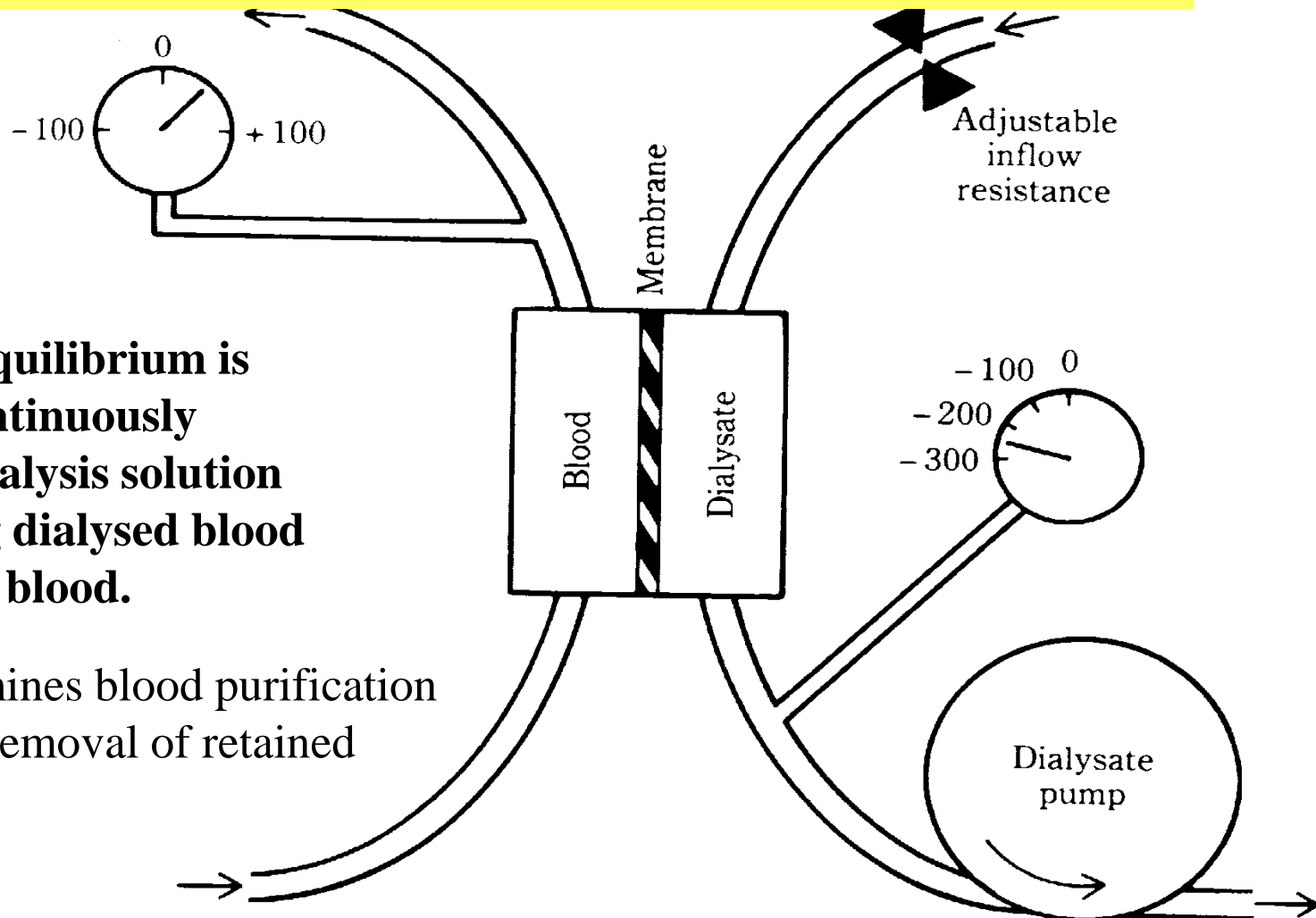


Ultrafiltration represents transport of water molecules across semipermeable membrane. Ultrafiltration occurs when water (accompanied by solvent molecules) is pushed through the membrane by hydrostatic force.

Factors affecting hydrostatic ultrafiltration:

- 1) Transmembrane pressure (hydrostatic pressure gradient)
- 2) Ultrafiltration coefficient - K_{Uf} (ml/hour/mmHg) – membrane thickness, pore size

Clinical application of diffusion and ultrafiltration (HD circuit)



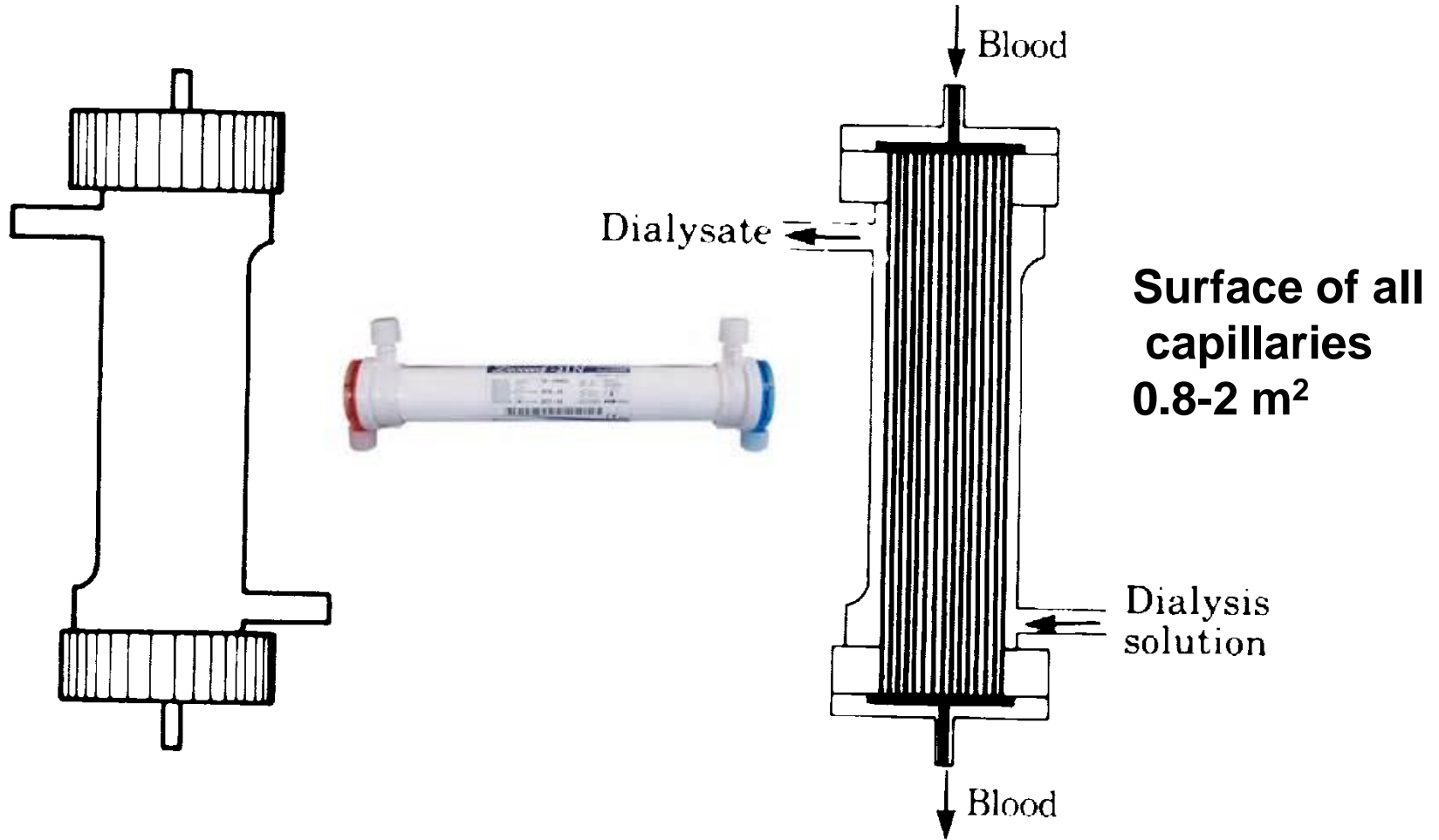
Concentration equilibrium is prevented by continuously refilling fresh dialysis solution and by replacing dialysed blood with undialysed blood.

Diffusion: determines blood purification

UF: determines removal of retained water and salt

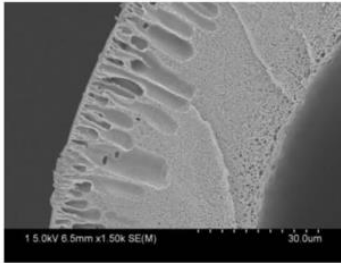
Countercurrent flow maximize concentration gradient of waste product between blood and dialysate

Capillary dialyser

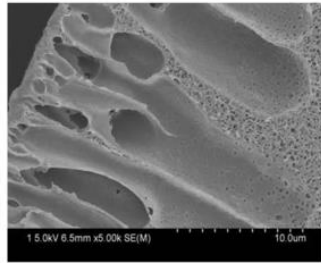


Hollow-fiber dialyzer

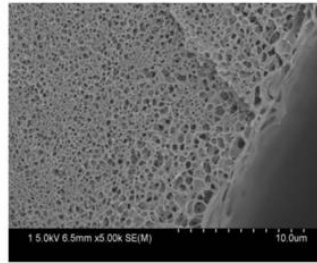
F24-a



Cross section (1500×)

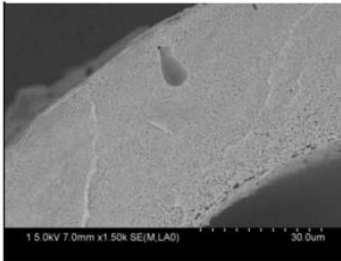


External cross section (5000×)

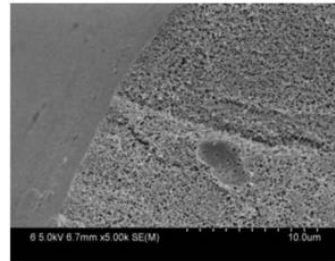


Internal cross section (5000×)

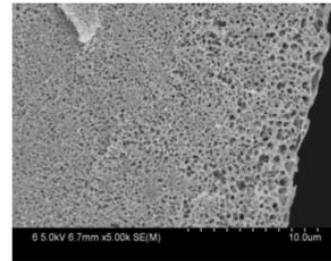
F24-b



Cross section (1500×)

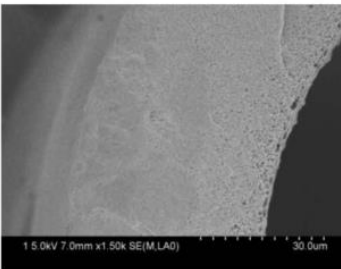


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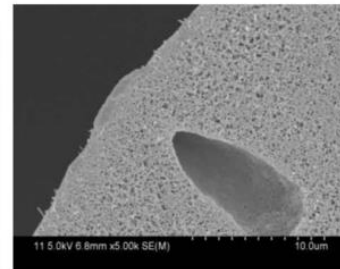


Internal cross section (5000×)

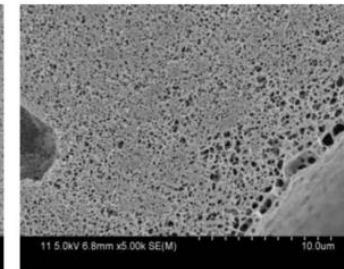
F24-c



Cross section (1500 ×)



External cross section (5000×)



Internal cross section (5000×)

Membrane material:

synthetic material:

polysulfon

polycarbonate

polyamid

Guarantee of

biocompatibility: much

lesser extent of

complement activation

Sterility

Sterilization by

gamma irradiation

(or steam)

Dialysis solution

Bicarbonat dialysis solution

Component	Mmol/L
Sodium	135-145
Potassium	0-4.0
Calcium	2.5-3.5
Magnesium	0.5-1.0
Chloride	100-124
Bicarbonate	30-38
Dextrose	11
PCO ₂ (mmHg)	40-100
pH	7.1-7.3

Water for dialysis

Dialysis concentrate

Dialysis machine mix the concentrate with purified water

Dialysis solution

Dialysis machine



Monitoring devices and

Settings of

Blood flow rate (250-300 mL/min)

Dialysis fluid flow rate (500 mL/min)

Ultrafiltration rate

Temperature of dialysis fluid

Conductivity (Na⁺ concentration)

HCO₃⁻ concentration

Blood pump

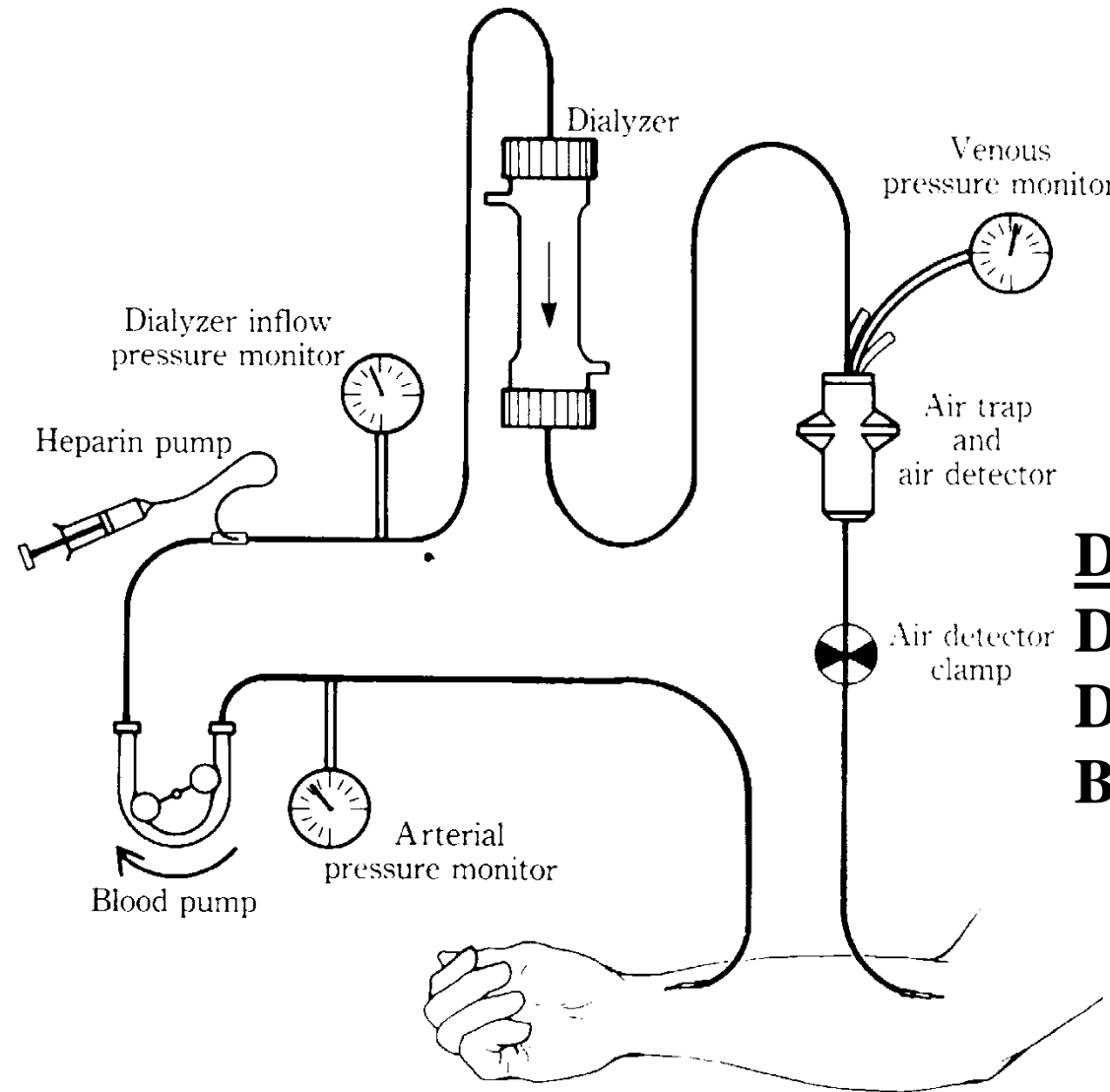
Mixing

Heating (34-39°C)

Degassing

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Monitoring devices



Blood circuit

Pressure monitors

Venous air detector

Dialysis solution circuit

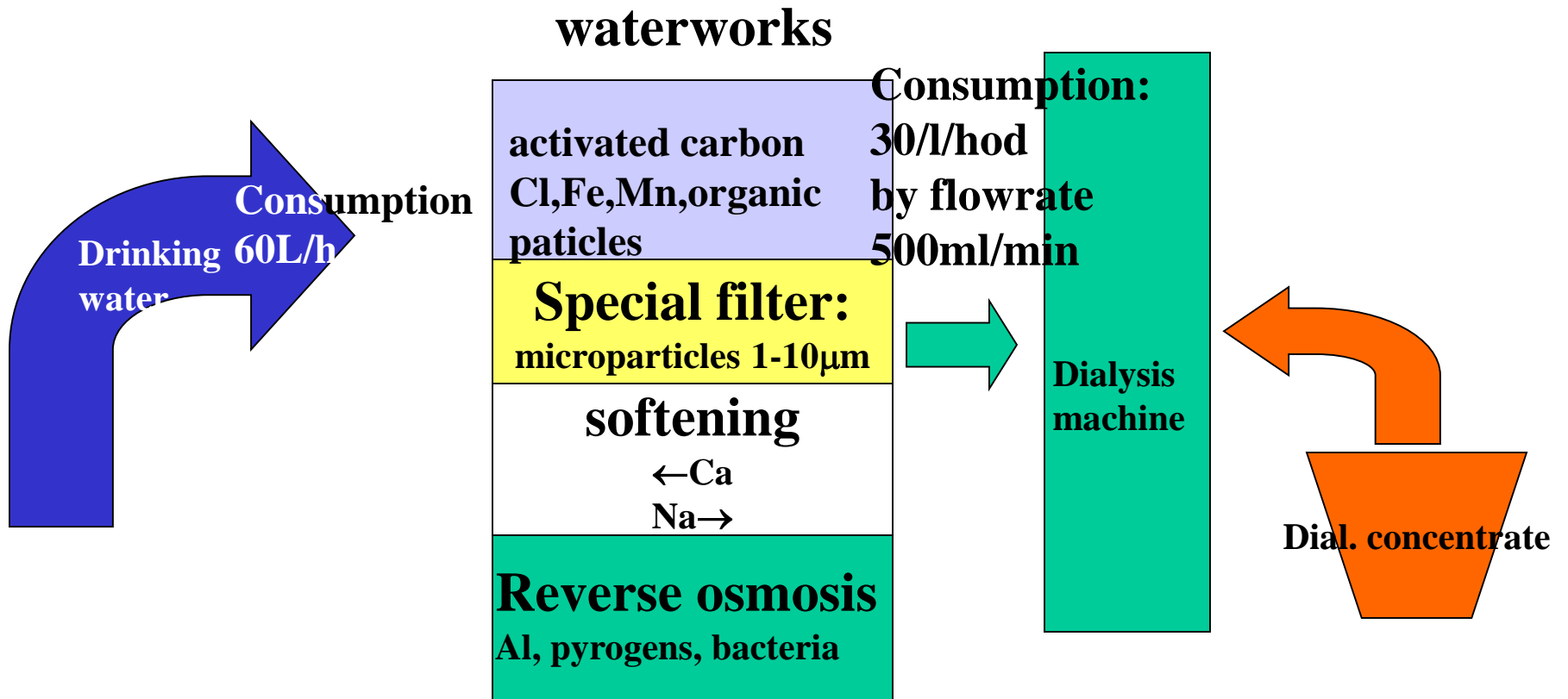
Dialysis solution conductivity

Dialysis solution temperature

Blood leak detector

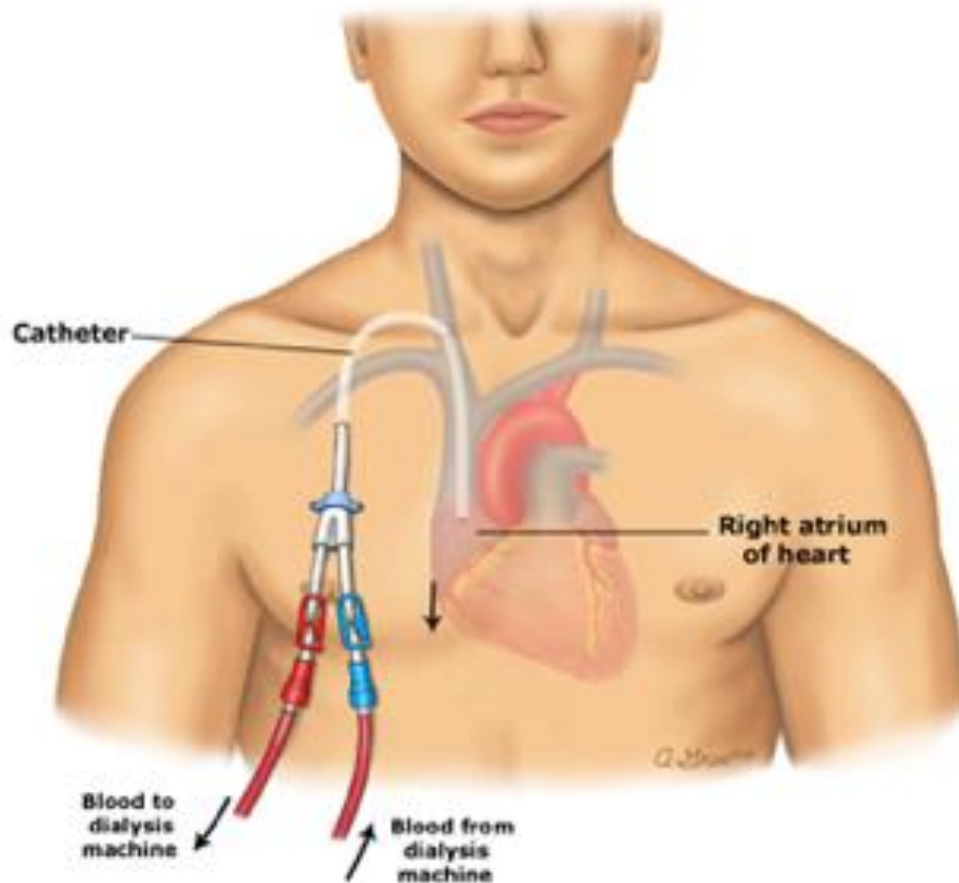
Water for dialysis treatment

Adjustment of water



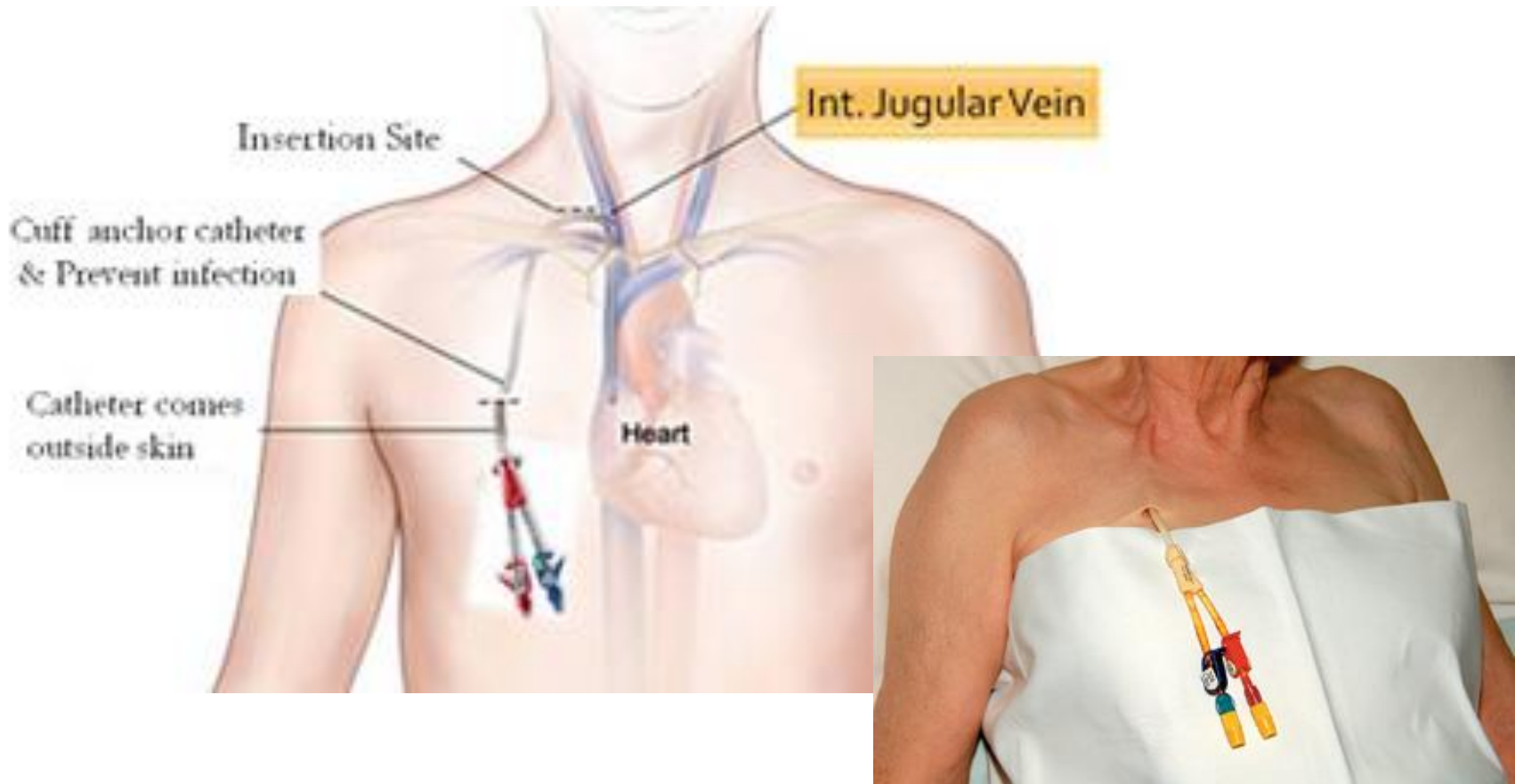
Vascular access for hemodialysis

- temporary percutaneous insertion into a large vein

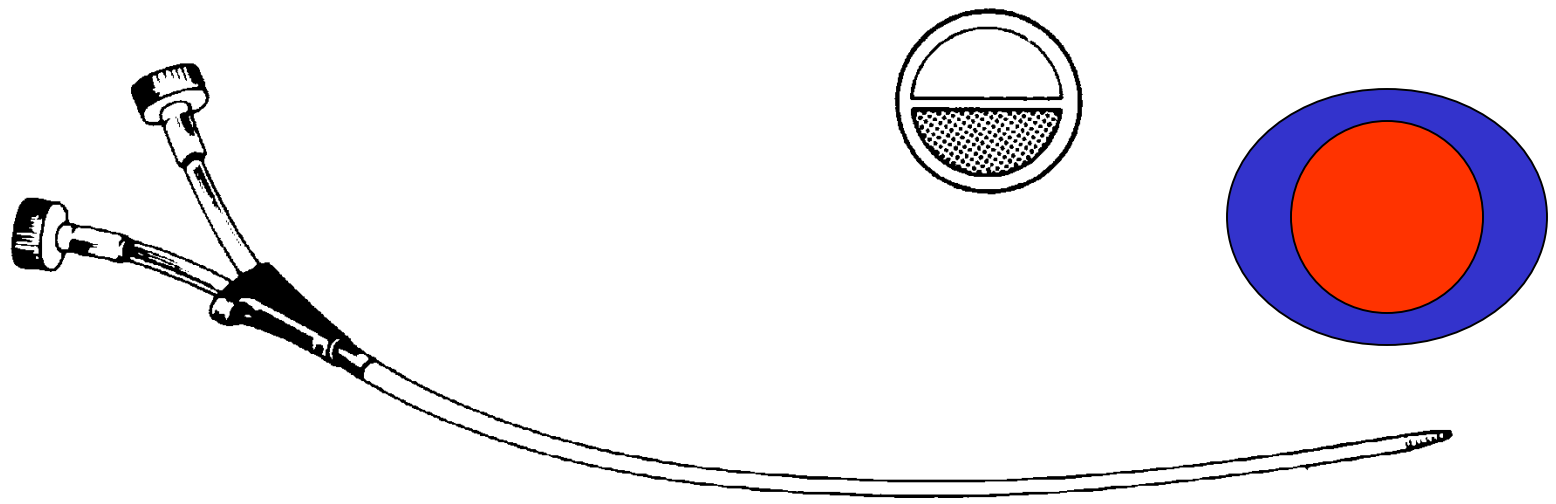
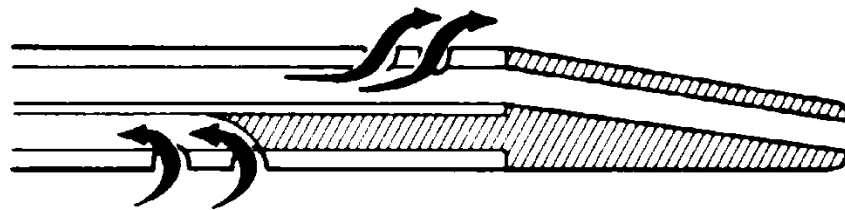


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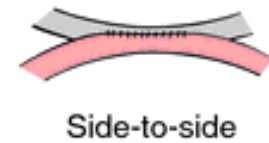
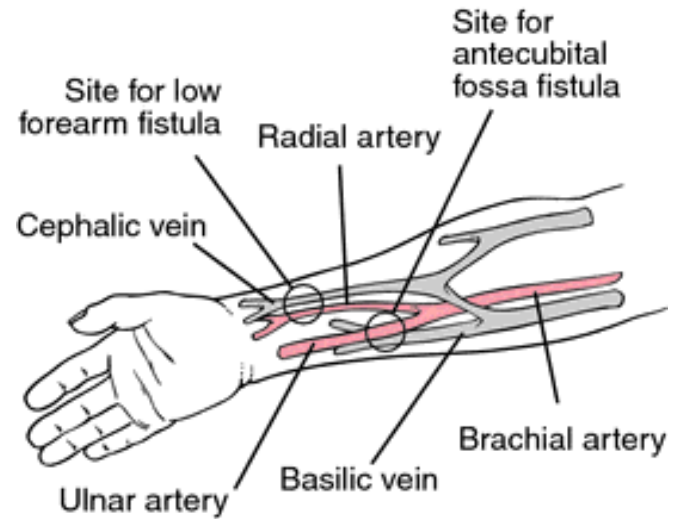
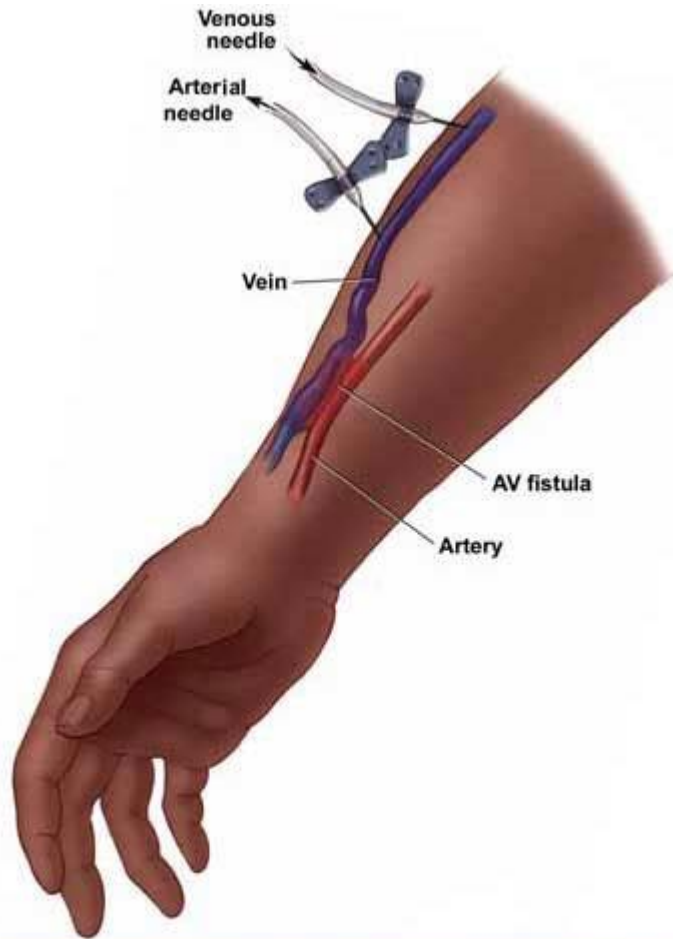
- Permanent percutaneous insertion into a large vein



Hemodialysis catheters

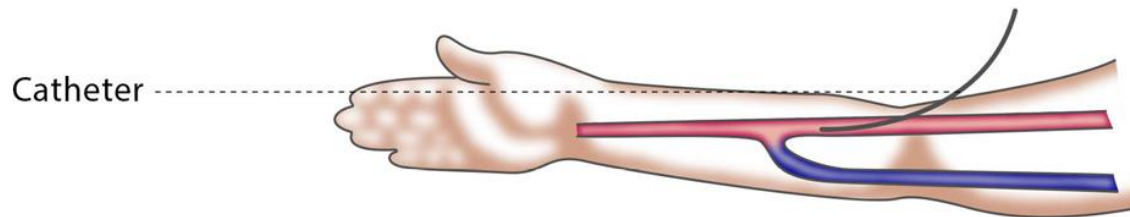


Arteriovenous fistula

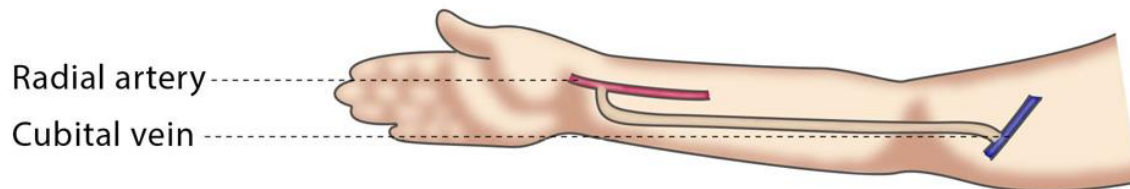


Arterovenous graft

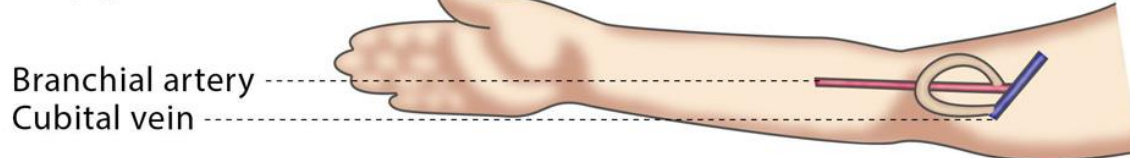
AV Fistula



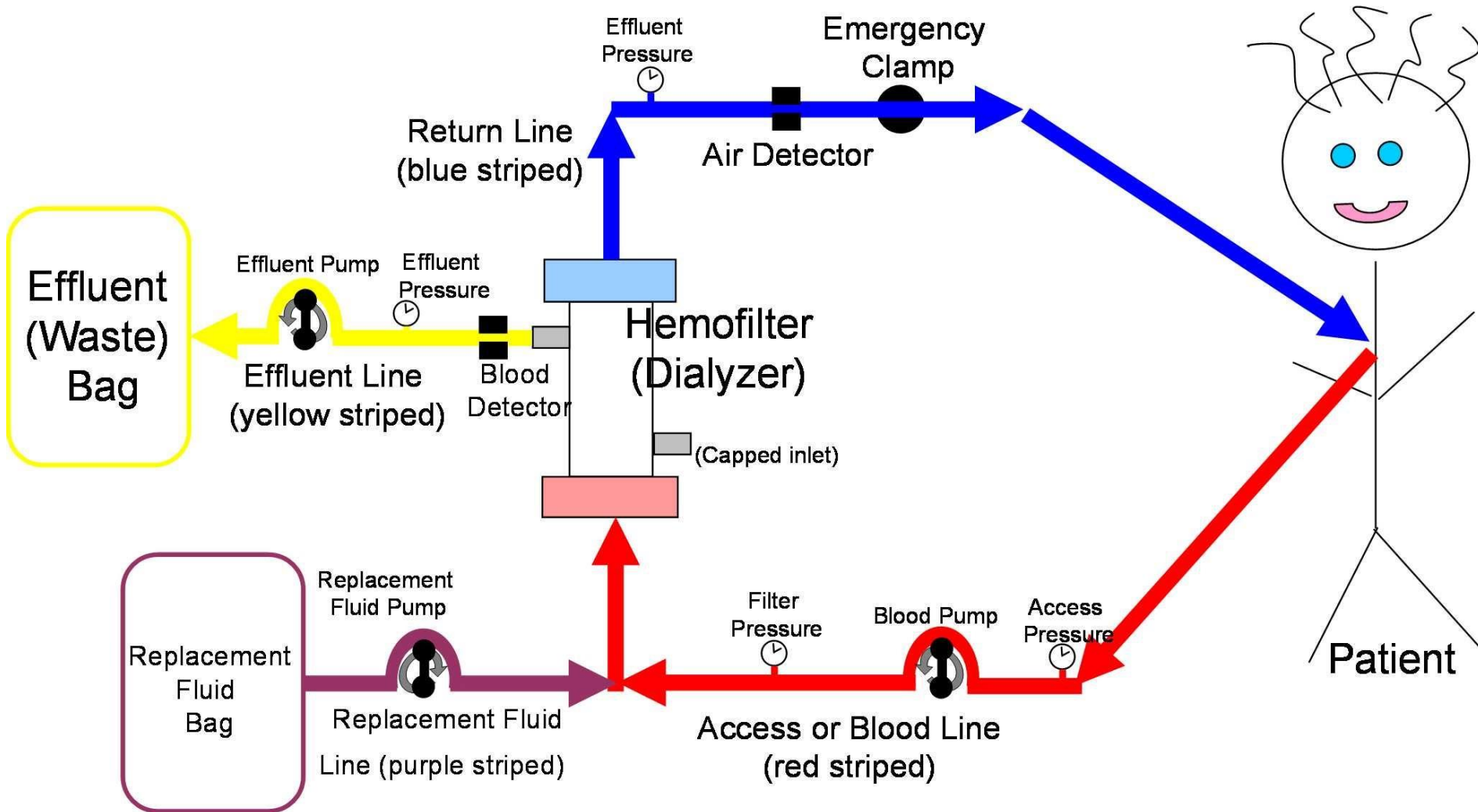
Straight graft



Loop graft



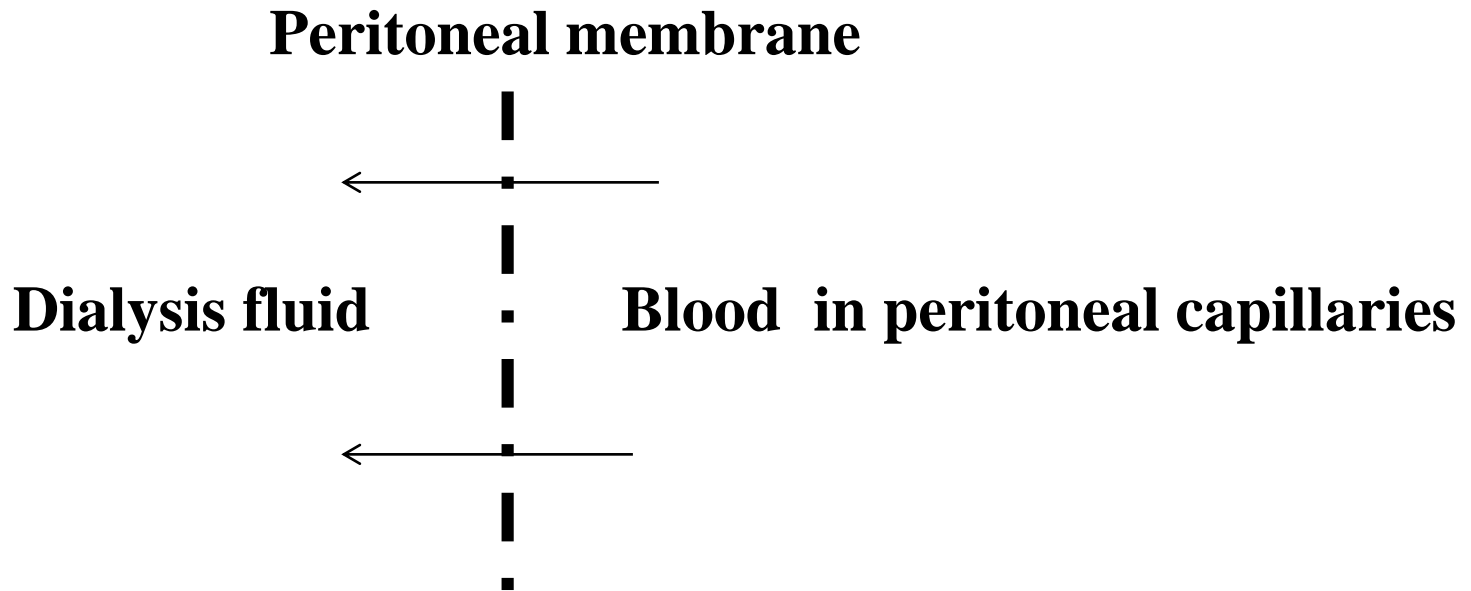
Continuous arteriovenous hemofiltration CVV-H



Peritoneal dialysis

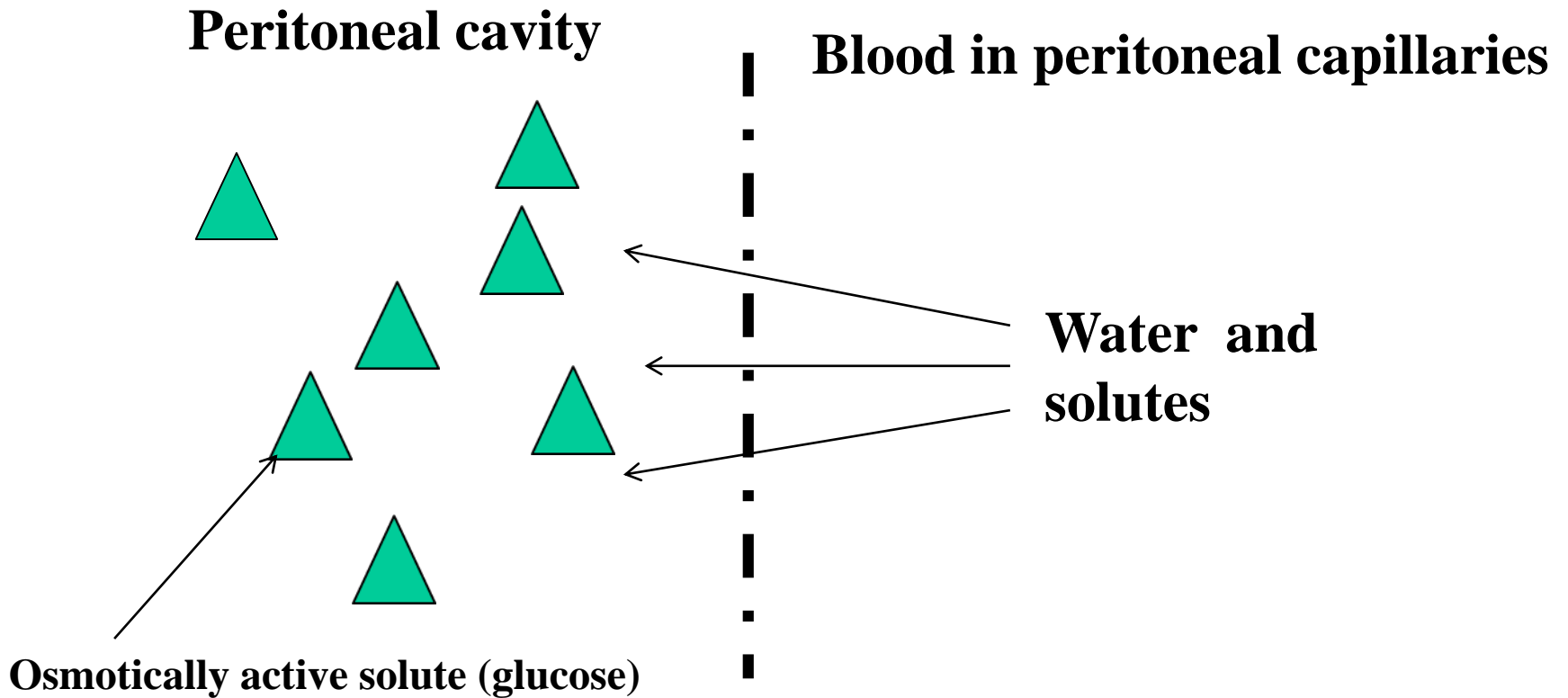
Peritoneal dialysis is performed by introducing 1-2 L of glucose containing salt solution into peritoneal cavity.

Diffusion: is the principal mechanism by which PD removes waste products

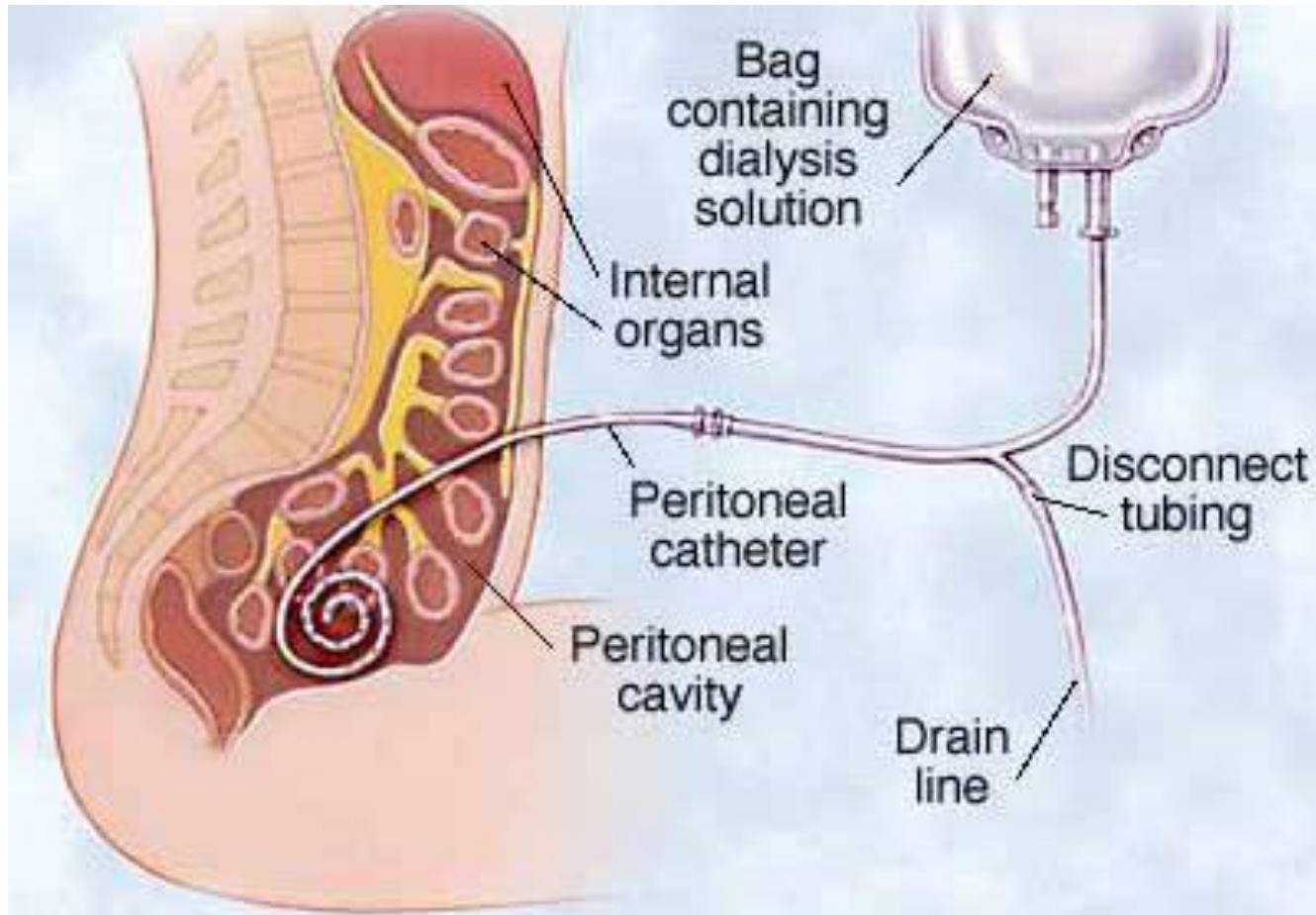


Peritoneal dialysis

Osmotic ultrafiltration:



Peritoneal dialysis

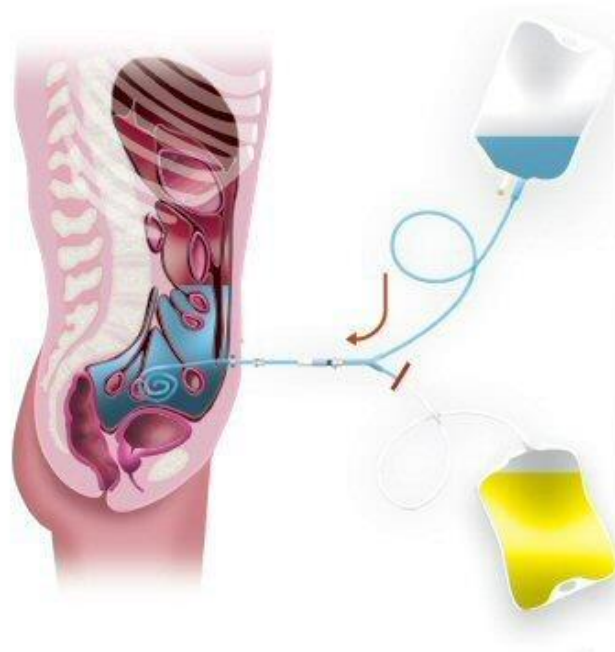


Dialysis fluid exchange

PD Exchange



DRAIN



FILL

Does not require
the use of blood
to leave your body



DWELL

Peritoneal dialysis

Peritoneal dialysis schedules

CAPD: continuous ambulatory peritoneal dialysis

Dialysate is always present in the abdomen and is exchanged (by draining and refilling) 4-5 times/day

CCPD: continuous cycler-assisted peritoneal dialysis

PD begins at bedtime when patient connects to the cycler machine that will periodically replace the dialysate in the patient's abdomen with fresh dialysate solution while the patients sleeps. The dialysate is exchanged 3-5 times during the night. In the morning the patients disconnects from the cycler , leaving the fresh exchange of dialysis fluid in the abdomen

NIPD: Nocturnal intermitent peritoneal dialysis

As in CCPD schedule. The number of exchanges during the night is 5-8 or more. In the morning the abdomen is drained and left „dry“ during the day



PD catheter



Insertion of PD catheter

