Managing Access by Generating Improvements in Cannulation

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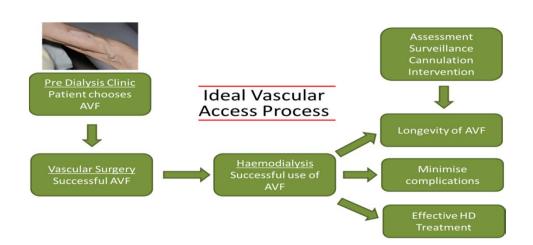
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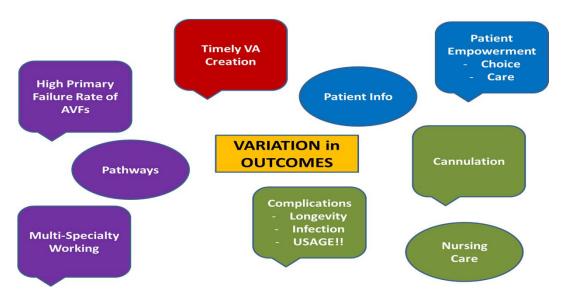
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AVF/G is gold standard for VA

- RA audit standards recommend 80% of prevalent dialysis patients dialyse via AVF, AVG or Tenckhoff
- Huge variation across the UK



There is more to AVF/G use than Vascular Surgery!!



Cannulation is the centre of AVF/G rates

- AVF/Gs are formed to be used
- Prevention is better than cure

Cannulation affects:

- Longevity of AVF/Gs
- Patient experience of HD

We can improve cannulation practice

The Problem with Cannulation

• 65.8% of cannulation was area puncture

(Parisotto, 2014)

- Initial PREM results indicates needling is a problem
- Variation in practice across the UK
 - Buttonhole v. Rope Ladder



MAGIC

- Core structure of a quality improvement programme
 - Allow adaption at regional and unit level
 - BRS / VASBI / KQuIP collaboration with regions

Aim: To improve prevalent AVF/G rates:

- Improve cannulation to preserve AVF/G function
- Make AVF/G more attractive through better patient experience
- Develop structures to support good VA care

Core Structure

Leadership MAGIC Regional Network

Measurement



Needling Champion Haemodialysis Nurse



Phased Approach

Baseline Measures	 AVF/G rates, AVF/G loss, infection, needling technique used, patient experience of needling, missed cannulation, appearance of AVF/G
Education from KQuIP	• Leadership, PDSA, Managing change, Run Charts
Phase 1	• Education Materials + PDSA 1 VA appraisal
Education from KQuIP	Peer Review, Maintaining Momentum, Creativity
Phase 2	Competency Document + PDSA 2 VA Appraisal
Phase 3	Awareness Materials + PDSA 3 VA Appraisal
Peer Review	Share learning across region
Education from KQuIP	Sustainability, Statistical process control charts and other measures, continuing infrastructure
Phase 4	• Region designed QI



Website - www.thinkkidneys.nhs.uk/kquip/magic/

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Scottish VA Appraisal - http://www.srr.scot.nhs.uk/Projects/PDF/2015/Scottish-Renal-Registry-vascular-scorecard-151117.pdf

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