Patient Engagement in Knowledge Translation (KT)
A collaborative model for moving kidney research into practice
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A Knowledge User/Knowledge Translation (KU/KT) Committee to support IKT within the Can-SOLVE CKD Network

"integrated" Stakeholder engagement from START ➔ FINISH (and beyond...)

"knowledge" Multiple sources of knowledge (e.g., lived experience, research, guidelines, traditions)

"translation" Applying knowledge to inform best practice (moving knowledge to ACTION)

Two patient partners involved in ALL aspects of IKT

Patients are uniquely positioned to understand real-world implications of research and provide practical insights

2016
Supporting Evidence Generation
Reviewing KT plans
In-person meetings
Consultation
Collaboration with stakeholders

2017
Supporting Dissemination and Implementation
Publications
KT Community of Practice (CoP)
Communication products
Collaboration with stakeholders
Patient Portal, Kidney Foundation Regional Patient Networks

2018

2019-2020

Lessons learned
Need to build KT capacity, literacy and opportunities for reciprocal learning within the Network through a CoP
Committee has unique KT expertise (patients, policymakers, service providers, health care professionals, researchers, KT broker, Indigenous and pediatric representatives)
KT strategy brings researchers into full participation with patients and stakeholders throughout the research process

*What strategies can be used to engage patient partners in KT?

* We invite you to leave comments, ideas, etc., using sticky notes

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