



Northern Renal Program

Home & Independent Hemodialysis Unit Program
Updates



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Kidney Care Patients in British Columbia*

Health Authority (HA)	Registered Pre-dialysis (CKD)	Hemodialysis			Home HD					Facility-based Independent HD or NC	Peritoneal Dialysis					Health Authority Total
		Total	In-Centre	Community	Total	Training	Conventional	Short Daily	Nocturnal		Total	CAPO	APD	IPD	unknown	
IHA	1983	251	171	80	31	0	7	9	15	0	133	43	89	0	1	2398
FHA	2156	648	407	241	24	1	2	5	16	0	247	46	194	3	4	3075
VCH/PHC	3069	627	425	202	49	2	2	21	24	3	193	60	131	1	1	3941
VIHA	3520	317	133	184	19	0	0	0	19	0	83	6	77	0	0	3939
NHA	491	102	71	31	15	0	11	0	4	8	41	16	25	0	0	657
BC Total	11219	1945	1207	738	138	3	22	35	78	11	697	171	516	4	6	14010

* Data as of December 31 2010

* Data source: PROMIS database of BC Provincial Renal Agency

Legend: IHA=Interior, FHA=Fraser, VCH/PHC=Vancouver Coastal/Providence Health Care, VIHA=Vancouver Island, NHA=Northern



Renal Services By Region



Northern Health



Fraser Health



Interior Health



Vancouver Coastal &
Providence Healthcare



Provincial Health Services
BC Children's Renal Program





Home Hemodialysis Program

- Provincially managed Independent Hemodialysis Program
- Standardization of education materials & procedures supporting best practice
- Reality=Geography
- Home visits



Independent Hemodialysis Unit

- One of the first established independent facility based hemodialysis units in the province
- Alternative option for patient's who are unable to go home but want to be more involved in their care
- Adapted home hemodialysis machine into our program in 2009
- Used as the training facility for new home educators in the province



