support for acute and chronic renal dialysis patients

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National spread of chronic renal units and mobile renal units

Life Renal Dialysis
Making life better
Life Renal Dialysis is a specialised healthcare service providing acute and chronic renal dialysis. Life Renal Dialysis forms part of the Life Healthcare Group, which is a JSE-listed company operating 63 private healthcare facilities in Southern Africa.

There are currently eleven renal dialysis units in Gauteng, Free State, the Eastern and Western Cape, KwaZulu-Natal and Life Healthcare is set to expand its footprint in this niche market in order to widen access to, and meet the growing demand for, private acute and chronic renal dialysis. Life Healthcare will develop several additional facilities that will open in 2013 / 14.

These specialised services assist patients in renal failure who require out-patient based chronic renal dialysis or home based peritoneal dialysis; or acute renal dialysis in hospital.

services offered
Treatment services offered at these dedicated facilities include:
- chronic haemodialysis and haemodiafiltration;
- acute dialysis;
- continuous renal replacement therapy (CRRT); and
- slow continuous therapies.

specialists and healthcare professionals
These services are provided by hospital based specialists and depending on individual patient needs include:
- nephrologists;
- vascular surgeons;
- intensivists;
- cardiologists;
- endocrinologists;
- trained/experienced renal nurses and technologists; and/or
- clinical psychologists, dieticians and social workers.

our facilities
Patients can dialyse in the safety of knowing that they are on hospital premises in facilities which have:
- a dedicated dialysis area;
- comfortable and specialised dialysis chairs;
- the state of the art dialysis machines and equipment that can perform different modalities of dialysis including haemodialysis (HD), haemodiafiltration (HDF) and on line clearance monitoring (OCM) – allowing for close monitoring of the effectiveness of dialysis (kt/V values);
- easy access to: support services such as radiology and pathology laboratories; hospital based specialists such as vascular surgeons; intensivists; cardiologists and endocrinologists;
- access to 24 hour emergency medical services and doctors;
- porter assistance for patients in wheelchairs;
- individually controlled televisions; and
- light meals with every session.

access to services
Our services can be accessed through three different channels:
- referral from a referring specialist or general practitioner to the nephrologist;
- referral directly from the treating nephrologist; or
- direct contact with the unit manager at the renal dialysis unit.

information for new patients
Please note that you will need a separate authorisation number for dialysis treatment; a hospital authorisation number will not suffice.

Life Healthcare case managers will assist and guide you with the following process:
- Obtaining relevant medical aid forms.
- Ensuring completion of the forms by your treating specialist.
- Returning the forms and your latest blood test results to the medical aid.
- Obtaining an additional motivation by your nephrologist in the case of some specialised procedures such as CRRT.

For any queries please contact the units directly or the national office on the contact details provided on the back page of this brochure.