Nephrology

Nephrology is a medical specialty that deals with the functioning and diseases of the kidneys. Through consultative services with our associated board-certified nephrologists from Pioneer Valley Nephrology, we are able to offer comprehensive inpatient and outpatient diagnosis and treatment of acute and chronic kidney diseases locally at Day Kimball Hospital.

Conditions treated include
- acute glomerulonephritis (AGN)
- acute interstitial nephritis (AIN)
- acute renal failure (ARF)
- acute tubular necrosis
- anemia
- chronic renal failure
- diabetic nephropathy
- hematuria
- electrolyte imbalance
- kidney cancer
- kidney stones
- nephrotic syndrome
- polycystic kidney disease
- proteinuria and microalbuminuria
- urinary tract infection

A referral from your primary care practitioner (PCP) is required for an outpatient consultation.

Billing and Payment Information

Billing for physician consultation office visits will be submitted to your insurance directly by Pioneer Valley Nephrology. Billing for surgical procedures will be submitted to your insurance carrier by more than one party; the physician’s practice for surgical services, Day Kimball Hospital for facility services and Sheridan Health Corporation for anesthesiology services, when applicable.

Please check with your insurance carrier for details about your specific coverage, copays, deductibles, any prior authorization requirements and if the physician you are scheduled to see is in your plan’s network of providers.

If you have questions about your Day Kimball Hospital bill or need help paying for care, please contact our team of financial counselors at (860) 963-6337 (at the prompt, enter option 2). For more information visit daykimball.org/billing.

Outpatient consultations with our associated nephrologists from Pioneer Valley Nephrology are available by appointment on Mondays and Wednesdays at:

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