2015 Long Term Catheter Reduction Collaborative
Fresenius Medical Care of Fishers
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Team

- Dr. John Lucia, Medical Director
- Staci Price, Director of Operations
- Jeffrey Hatchett, Clinic Manager
- Donna Carrico, Vascular Access Manager
- Joy Feeney, Modality Educator
- Patient Representative?
- Amanda McClure, Social Worker
- Audrey Broaddus, Vascular Access Coordinator
Data January 2015

- AVF rate: 60.5%
- Longterm CVC Rate: 18.4%
- Goals for September 2015
  - 64% AVF Rate
  - 13.4% Longterm CVC Rate
How do we get there?

- CKD Patient Education
- Dialysis Staff Education
- In-Center Patient Education
- Collaboration with Vascular Surgeons
- Utilization of useful tools
- Accurate data collection and reporting
CKD Patient Education

- MD refers patients to Renal Care Coordinator for education during CKD
  - Sheila York, RCC for INIM
  - Stacey Wainscott, RCC for NIM
- TOPS Education available for patients during CKD
  - Joy Feeney, TOPS Specialist
Staff Education

- One Minute Check
  - VAM presented One Minute Check during staff meeting in February to engage Direct Patient Care Staff in assessing permanent accesses
- Goal to maintain existing accesses
- Videos from Fistula First
  - Look, Listen, Feel
Patient Education – In center

- Educate *all* new patients regarding treatment options
  - Direct Patient Care staff can refer to TOPS
- Patients with interest in Home Therapies can be referred for further education
  - Shelley Williamson, PD/HHD Staff RN
Patient Education – In center

- Home Therapy Lobby Days
  - “There’s No Place Like Home” Theme
  - Home Therapy Staff will visit all In-Center Clinics on each shift and hand out education materials on Home Modalities
  - Interested patients will be referred for further one-on-one education
  - All clinics will be completed by May 2015
Patient Education – In center

- Kidney Disease Support Group for Hamilton County
  - Group open to anyone with CKD regardless of treatment modality
  - Friends and Family Welcome
  - First Meeting March 17, 2015
  - First Meeting @ Noblesville FMC
Surgeons/Vascular Access Centers

- Monthly surgeon meeting with St. Vincent
  - Vascular Access Coordinator holds meetings
  - Review individual patient needs and determine best course of action for each patient
  - Fishers staff can send VAC info that they would like to be covered in meeting
  - To discuss procedures/office at St. Vincent Fishers
Surgeons/Vascular Access Centers

- Surgeon meeting with Community Heart and Vascular
  - Vascular Access Coordinator holding meeting for CH&V and INIM East Physicians
  - March 10, 2015
  - Review and streamline process for referral and when to refer back for non-maturation of AVF
  - VAC will share information with clinic staff
Barriers

- Switched VAM Twice from Feb to Aug
- Some new staff
- Difficulty finding Patient Representative
- Busy Home Therapies clinic due to relocation of Irvington Home clinic
- 13 different MDs round at Fishers Clinic
  - INIM
  - NIM
  - Have to get everyone on same page
Innovative Ideas

- Start new PD patients on In-Center for cath to heal for 2 weeks before transitioning into Home Therapies
- 6 patients started this way
- 1 patient started incenter and then transitioned to NxStage
- Medical Director primary driver of this practice
August 2015 Data

- AVF Rate
  - 71.1%
  - Exceeded goal by 7%

- Longterm CVC Rate
  - CVC only >90 Days = 6%