

# RECORD

*The Registry of persons with kidney disease  
Considering participation in Research Database*

# Background & Objective

- *Nephrology lags behind other specialties in the generation of knowledge from research trials. Several potential barriers may contribute to this including:*
  - *lack of engagement of the community of patients with kidney disease by nephrology researchers*
  - *lack of appropriate information on the availability and interest of patients*
- *Patients are interested in participating in clinical research but are often unaware of opportunities*
- *A registry that actively informs patients of the reasons for research and potential research opportunities they could participate in may help foster a culture of participation for both patients and researchers*



# Study Design

- *A prospective registry that will collect and record basic demographic and clinical information on patients being treated for kidney disease in Canada who are interested in participating in future clinical research*

# Eligibility Criteria

- *Adults  $\geq 18$  years old*
- *Receive treatment for kidney disease at a facility located in Canada*
- *Express interest in possibly participating in clinical research*
- *Provide informed consent*

# Visit Schedule

## RECORD Flowchart

