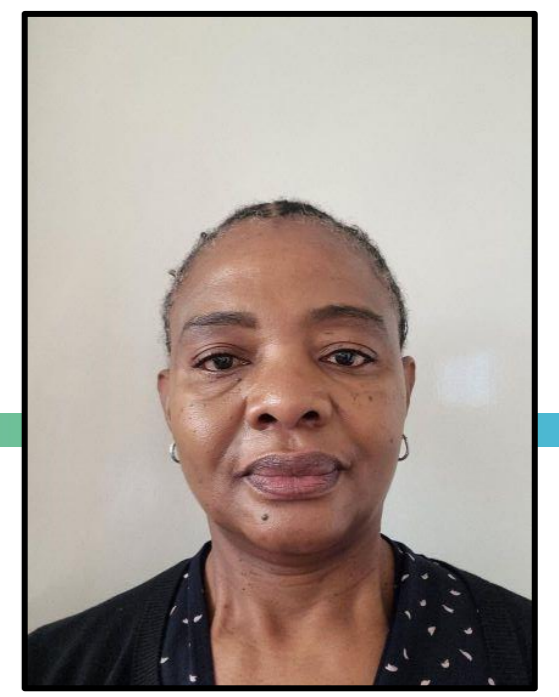


# Review of Patients With A Diagnosis Of Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD) Stage 3 In An Inner London GP Practice

The identification, coding and review of patients diagnosed with CKD 3



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## Aim

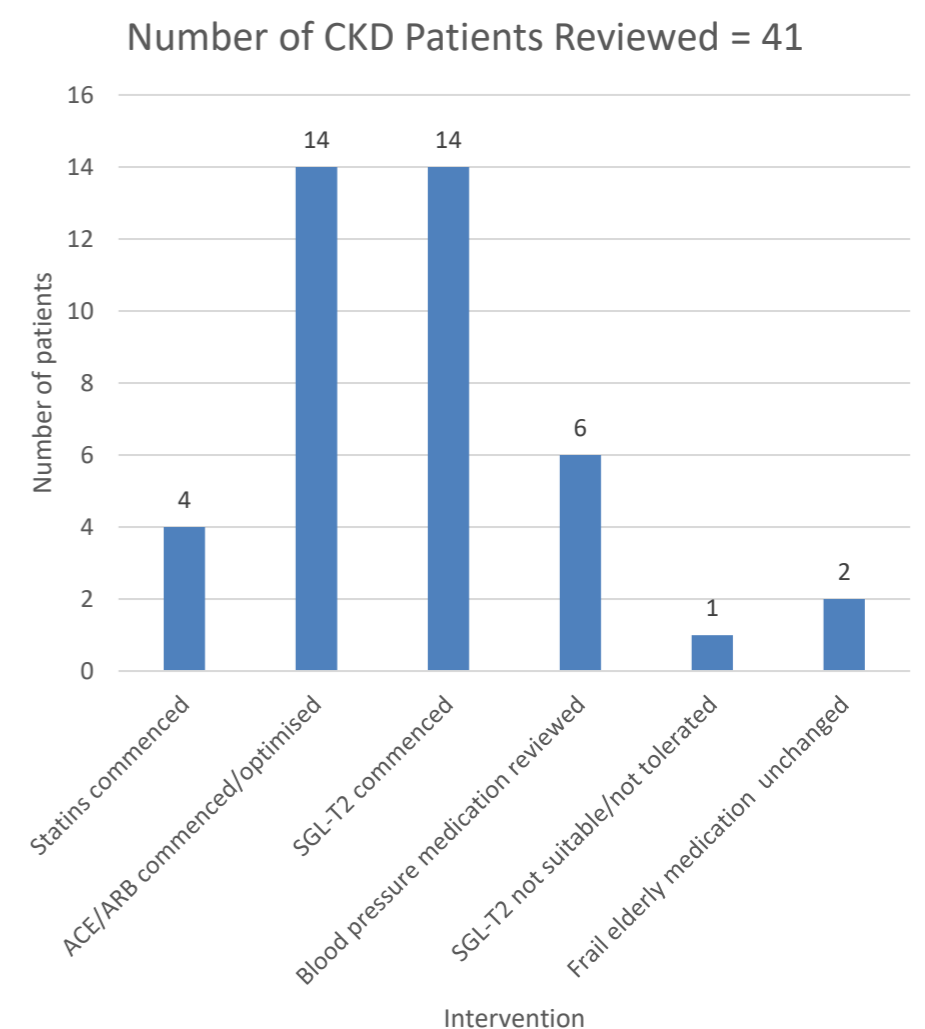
To identify patients with a diagnosis of Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD) eGFR 45-59 + Urine Albumin Creatinine Ratio (ACR) <3 who have not been coded correctly and review 40% of these patients by July 2024.

## Method

Ardens case finder search was run on EMIS to identify the required patient cohort. Patients were then reviewed and relevant blood tests completed. Information was updated on EMIS GP system. This project was discussed at the Patient Participation Group to allow patients to also shape the project plan.

## Summary of Results

100 patients were identified  
41 patients reviewed



## Sustaining the Change

- CKD diagnosis process was written up to create clear management process
- Continued staff education/case discussion in clinical meetings
- CKD clinical champion was identified who worked with Health Care Assistant (HCA) and was trained to regularly run CKD case finder search and book into clinic/request repeat blood test/urine ACR
- Specific Long-Term Condition (LTC) clinics were created

## Learnings

- Importance of involving the whole team when creating new processes
- Update the team on progress regularly
- Ensuring clear processes are in place and that all members of staff are aware including any temporary staff

### Staff feedback

'This has highlighted the importance of coding correctly and requesting urine ACR'

### Patient feedback

'Having a longer appointment once my CKD was diagnosed enable me to discuss my concerns'

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