

List of Abbreviations

1.	ESRD	-	End Stage Renal Disease
2.	QOL	-	Quality of Life
3.	HRQoL	-	Health-Related Quality of Life
4.	RF	-	Renal failure
5.	CRF	-	Chronic Renal Failure
6.	GFR	-	Glomerular Filtration Rate
7.	Kt/V	-	‘Representation of dialysis efficacy’
8.	spKt/V	-	single-pool Kt/V
9.	GDP	-	Gross Domestic Product
10.	SADTR	-	South African Dialysis and Transplant Registry
11.	AV	-	Arteriovenous
12.	SF-36	-	Short Form -36 Health Survey questionnaire
13.	HD	-	Haemodialysis
14.	6MWT	-	6-Minute Walk Test
15.	EWMA	-	European Wound Management Association
16.	TTO	-	The Time Trade-Off
17.	KPS	-	The Karnofsky Performance Scale
18.	SIP	-	The Sickness Impact Profile
19.	KDQOL	-	The Kidney Disease Quality of Life-Short Form
20.	VASS	-	Venous Anti-Stasis Slipper