

## Included studies on women with kidney disease and at risk of kidney disease

<i>Authors</i>	<i>Publication Date</i>	<i>Country</i>	<i>Study Design</i>	<i>Aim</i>	<i>Sample size</i>	<i>Age</i>
Megan Crowley-Matoka	2005	Mexico	Qualitative study using daily observations and informal interviews and 50 taped in-depth interviews	To explore patients' transplant trajectories as they move from learning to desire a transplant to actually receiving one and living with it over the long term	22 female and 28 male participants	17-62
Jasmijn Kerklaan, Elyssa Hannan, Camilla Hanson, Chandana Guha, Yeoungjee Cho, Martin Christian, Lorraine Hamiwka, Jessica Ryan, Aditi Sinha, Germaine Wong, Jonathan Craig, Jaap Groothoff, Allison Tong	2020	Australia, UK, Canada, India, The Netherlands, USA	Qualitative interview study	To describe the perspectives on life participation by young adults with childhood-onset chronic kidney disease (CKD)	20 female and 10 male participants	18-35
Heather Beanlands, Elizabeth McCay, Sheryll Pahati, and Michelle A. Hladunewich	2020	Canada	Qualitative study with focus group discussions guided by semi-structured interviews (qualitative content analysis)	To explore the experiences of young women living with CKD	11 female participants	18-40
K. Schipper*, W. E. van der Borg, J. de Jong-Camerik and T. A. Abma	2016	The Netherlands	Qualitative study with interviews (n=31) and focus groups (10 participants)	To gain insight into patients' everyday problems	19 female participants in interviews (31 female and male participants), 10 participants in focus groups (mixed, 5 female and 5 male participants)	18-65 (interview participants)
Jane M. Kurz	2018	USA	Mixed methods with audiotaped telephone interviews and a written survey measuring social support	To explore reproductive decision-making process with women organ transplant recipients	7 female participants/renal transplant recipients	21-42

Kate S Wiles, Kate Bramham, Alina Vais, Kate R Harding, Paramit Chowdhury, Cath J Taylor and Catherine Nelson-Piercy	2015	UK	Questionnaire study with analysis of descriptive data and free text data using thematic content analysis methods	To examine experiences of women with CKD attending pre-pregnancy counselling and evaluate their pregnancy outcomes	72 questionnaire female participants with free text evaluation	21-46
Allison Tong, Mark A. Brown, Wolfgang C. Winkelmayr, Jonathan C. Craig, and Shilpanjali Jesudason	2015	Australia	Qualitative interview study	To describe the beliefs, values, and experiences of pregnancy in women with CKD to inform pre-pregnancy counselling and pregnancy care	41 female participants	22 to 56
Roberta de Carvalho Pinto Nazario, Egberto Ribeiro Turato	2007	Brazil	Qualitative interview study using psychodynamic approaches for interpretation	To explore haemodialysis experiences in terms of meanings women attribute to pregnancy and motherhood	9 female participants on haemodialysis	Childbearing age
Angus Clarke, Srikant Sarangi, Kate Verrier-Jones	2011	UK	Qualitative study that uses rhetorical discourse analysis to analyse audio-recorded genetic consultations	To explore accounting practices of parents in genetic consultations, focusing on articulating responsibility with regard to testing at-risk children for PKD and the communication issues surrounding testing process and disclosing of test results	8 genetic consultations with mixed female and male participants/client families	unknown
Eiman Mohammad Saleh Fatani	2008	Saudi Arabia	PhD. Mixed method study with questionnaires and in-depth interviews	To explore gender-related issues that affect the various aspects of chronically ill and disabled Saudi Arabian women's life	50 female participants interviewed in in-depth interviews	24-59
Guy M. Hollingsworth	2006	USA	PhD. Qualitative study using a mixed classical and interpretative biographical approach	To understand living with a chronic illness and kidney transplant and efforts to	1 female participants who is wife and mother	45-50 (covering a 23-year experience)

				address associated challenges and to improve individual worth through ongoing lifelong learning process		
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### Women at risk of kidney disease

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Traci M. Kazmerski, Theresa Gmelin, Breonna Slocum, Sonya Borrero, Elizabeth Miller	2016	USA	Qualitative interview study	To explore attitudes and decision making regarding pregnancy among young women with CF	22 female participants recruited with Cystic Fibrosis	18-30
Cynthia H. Chuang, Diana L. Velott, Carol S. Weisman	2010	USA	Qualitative study with focus groups	To explore intention for future pregnancy, preconception health optimization, perceived risk of adverse pregnancy outcomes, and contraceptive beliefs	72 non-pregnant female participants stratified by chronic condition (16 women with diabetes, 16 women with hypertension, 40 women with obesity) and by previous live birth	18-45
Juliet M. Corbin	1987	USA	Exploratory longitudinal study with four in-depth interviews	To address how a group of chronically ill pregnant women managed the medical risk factors associated with their pregnancies through a process termed protective governing	11 female participants with Diabetes/Lupus/hypertension	22-38

A. Phuti, M. Schneider, K. Maken, M. Tikly and B. Hodkinson	2019	South Africa	Qualitative interview study exploring their physical concerns, emotional health, sexual well-being and fertility	To explore living experiences, perceptions and unmet needs of South African patients with systemic lupus erythematosus (SLE)	25 female participants with SLE	22-45
Charlotte von der Lippe & Jan C. Frich & Anna Harris & Kari Nyheim Solbrække	2016	Norway	Qualitative study with semi-structured interviews	To explore women's experiences of being heterozygous for Fabry disease	10 female participants heterozygous for Fabry disease	24-77
Hilary Thomas	2003	UK	Qualitative in-depth interview study	To explore a neglected area of women's reproductive experience, namely major illness during pregnancy	4 female participants with diabetes, 3 with gestational diabetes	Unknown: women with experiences of pregnancy
Marilyn Kathleen Evans	2003	Canada	PhD. Qualitative study with conversational interviews	To gain an in-depth understanding of GDM as pregnant women meaningfully experience it	12 female participants who had gestational diabetes during pregnancy	23-38

Key – blue highlight a PhD thesis.