



GREEN NEPHROLOGY STRATEGIC PLAN 2021-2023

Our Strategic Priorities

- 1. Educate** We will educate the nephrology community about environmentally sustainable nephrology practice.
- 2. Support** We will support dialysis units to deliver care in environmentally sustainable ways.
- 3. Drive** We will drive research and innovation to enable change.
- 4. Lead** We will show the dialysis community how best environmental practice can look.
- 5. Inspire** We will inspire the dialysis community to achieve best environmental outcomes.
- 6. Fund** We will establish a funding base to support our activities.

STRATEGIC PRIORITY	OUR INITIATIVES	OUR ACTIVITIES
1	Develop Green Nephrology teaching segments for nephrology educational events.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Plan and deliver 'Green Nephrology' symposiums at the 2020 and 2021 ANZSN ASMs (GNAT with SPEC, 2021-22)Plan and deliver a 'Green Nephrology' workshop at the 2021 ASM (GNAT with RSA, 2021-22)
1, 2	Develop and launch the Green Nephrology website	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Advise Council on how the Green Nephrology website content will best be incorporated into ANZSN's new (or revised) website (GNAT through WDAP, 2021-22)Finalise content for the Green Nephrology website (GNAT, 2021-22)

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Launch Green Nephrology content of website (GNAT with ANZSN, 2022)
3	Stimulate environmental research and the profile of GNAT's environmental research prizes.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update and improve existing research priorities document (GNAT, 2021) • Develop a plan to increase engagement with the existing environmental research prizes (GNAT, 2021)
2,4	Develop best environmental practice guidelines focused on measures that dialysis units and home dialysis patients can implement locally (within dialysis units and at home, respectively).	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop a guideline on RO water recycling in dialysis units and patient homes (dedicated working group, 2022-23)* • Develop a guideline on optimal care related waste management in dialysis units and patient homes (dedicated working group, 2022-23)*
4	Develop a blueprint for a 'gold star' dialysis unit designed for minimum environmental impact & maximum performance.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore partnerships (2021, GNAT) • Engage an expert consultant (2021, ANZSN)* • Deliver blueprint (2022, GNAT with support of consultant)
5	Create a 'Green Star' accreditation program to incentivise, acknowledge and reward progress towards environmentally sustainable care within dialysis units.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Employ Project Officer (GNAT and ANZSN, 2022)* • Develop program (Project officer, 2022) • Promote and implement program (Project officer, 2022-23)*
6	Establish a funding base to support the achievement of our strategic initiatives.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore potential funding partnerships (2021-23, GNAT)

* Contingent on funding