

RDQoL

This questionnaire asks about your quality of life – in other words how good or bad you feel your life to be.

Please put an “X” in the box that best indicates your response for each item.

What we would like to know is how you feel about your life now.

I) In general, my present quality of life is:						
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
excellent	very good	good	neither good nor bad	bad	very bad	extremely bad

Now we would like to know how your quality of life is affected by your renal condition, its management and any complications you may have.

II) If I did <u>not</u> have a renal condition, my quality of life would be:				
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
very much better	much better	a little better	the same	worse

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Please respond to the more specific questions on the following pages. For each aspect of life described, you will find two parts:

For Part (a): put an "X" in one box to show how your renal condition affects this aspect of your life;

For Part (b): put an "X" in one box to show how important this aspect of your life is to your quality of life.

1	(a)	If I did <u>not</u> have a renal condition, I would enjoy my leisure activities: <input type="checkbox"/> very much more <input type="checkbox"/> much more <input type="checkbox"/> a little more <input type="checkbox"/> the same <input type="checkbox"/> less
	(b)	My leisure activities are: <input type="checkbox"/> very important <input type="checkbox"/> important <input type="checkbox"/> somewhat important <input type="checkbox"/> not at all important

2	Are you currently working, looking for work or would you like to work? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> If yes , complete (a) and (b). No <input type="checkbox"/> If no , go straight to 3a.
	(a) If I did <u>not</u> have a renal condition, my working life would be: <input type="checkbox"/> very much better <input type="checkbox"/> much better <input type="checkbox"/> a little better <input type="checkbox"/> the same <input type="checkbox"/> worse
	(b) For me, having a working life is: <input type="checkbox"/> very important <input type="checkbox"/> important <input type="checkbox"/> somewhat important <input type="checkbox"/> not at all important

3	(a)	If I did <u>not</u> have a renal condition, local or long distance journeys would be: <input type="checkbox"/> very much easier <input type="checkbox"/> much easier <input type="checkbox"/> a little easier <input type="checkbox"/> the same <input type="checkbox"/> more difficult
	(b)	For me, local or long distance journeys are: <input type="checkbox"/> very important <input type="checkbox"/> important <input type="checkbox"/> somewhat important <input type="checkbox"/> not at all important

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