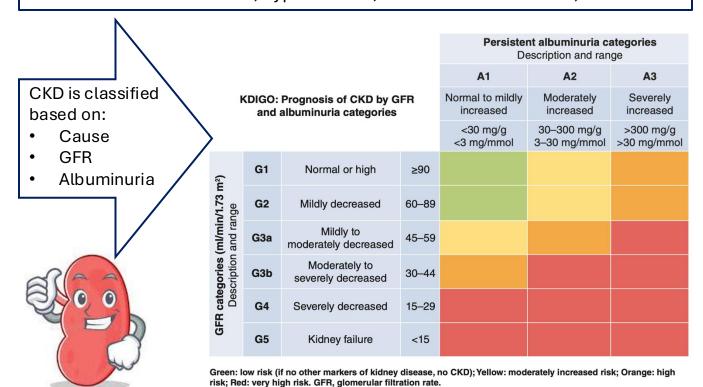
CKD FACTSHEET

CKD: Abnormalities of kidney function or structure (or both) present for a minimum of 3 months, with implications for health.

Common causes: diabetes, hypertension, cardiovascular disease, AKI



Steps to take with declining eGFR or urine ACR>3

- 1. If the patient has one of the above, check they have the other test! If these are initial deranged renal function tests, then organise repeat tests.
- 2. Code CKD based on the above staging table EMIS enables updated coding for example CKD G2A2.
- 3. Once coded consider likely causes and review medications.
- 4. Check blood pressure, HbA1C and ensure these two tests alongside eGFR and uACR are checked annually.
- 5. Refer to nephrology if required based on the NICE CKD guidelines.

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