

New Hemodiafiltration Treatment Modality in EQRS

On January 12, 2026, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) released **Hemodiafiltration** as a new treatment modality option in the treatment section in EQRS.

Hemodiafiltration is an advanced kidney replacement therapy that combines hemodialysis and hemofiltration. It allows the blood to be cleaned more thoroughly and effectively. The following provides all users with instructions on how to add hemodiafiltration as a treatment modality in patient records in EQRS.

ADDING HEMODIAFILTRATION AS A TREATMENT MODALITY

To add Hemodiafiltration as a new treatment modality in the treatments section in EQRS, do the following:

1. Click **Patients**.
2. Click **Search Patients**. The Search Patients screen displays.
3. Enter your search criteria, and then click **Submit**. The Search Patient Results screen displays a list of patients matching your search criteria.
4. Click the **EQRS Patient ID** for the desired patient. The View Patient Demographics screen displays.
5. Click **Treatments**. The View Patient Treatments screen displays.
6. Click the **Admit Date**. The screen refreshes and displays the **Treatment Start Date** in the Treatment Summary section.
7. Click **New Treatment**. The Add Treatment Information screen displays.
8. Enter data in the required fields for the patient's new treatment information; then click **Submit** (Figure 1). The **Sessions Per Week** and **Time Per Session** (minutes) are optional for hemodiafiltration.

Figure 1. Hemodiafiltration Treatment Type

Dialysis Treatment Information

Treatment Start Date *

Month: 12 Day: 19 Year: 2025

Primary Dialysis Setting *

Dialysis Facility/Center:

Expected Self-care Setting

Primary Type of Treatment *

Hemodiafiltration Hemodialysis CAPD CCPD Other

Sessions Per Week

Time Per Session (minutes)

Attending Practitioner *

Attending Practitioner UPIN

Attending Practitioner NPI

Type of Dialysis Training

Dialysis Training Start Date
Month: MM Day: DD Year: YYYY

Dialysis Training End Date
Month: MM Day: DD Year: YYYY

Submit

9. The [View Treatment Information](#) screen displays the new treatment record.

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS INFORMATION, PLEASE REACH OUT TO
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