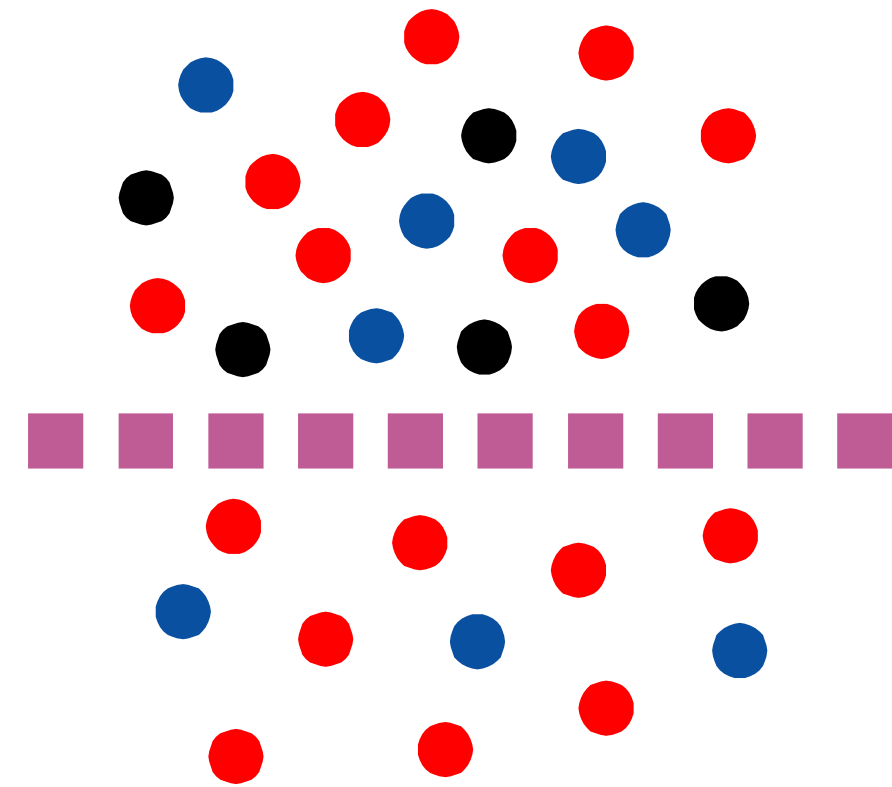




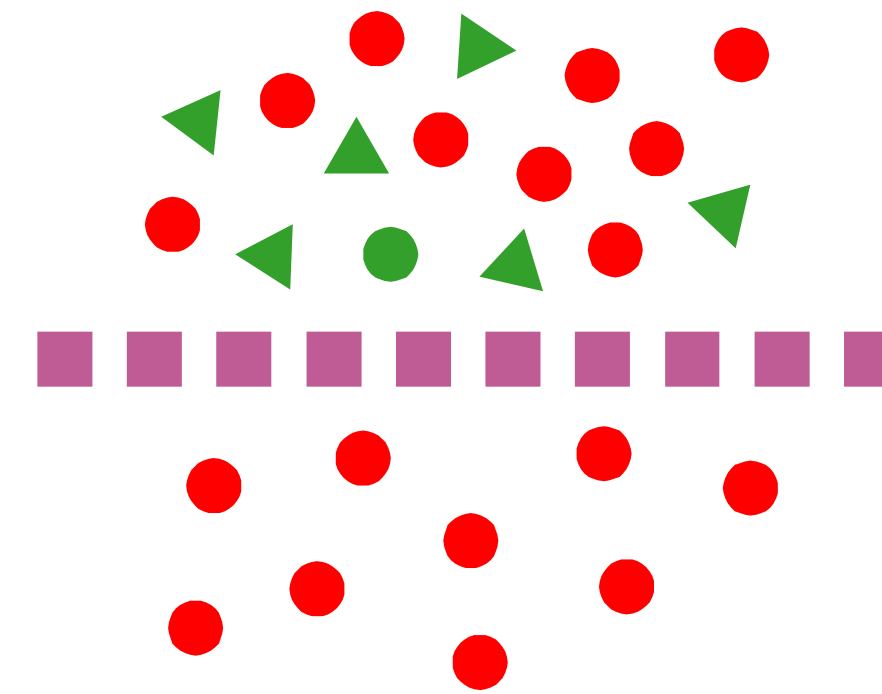
Dialysis Options

What do the kidneys do?

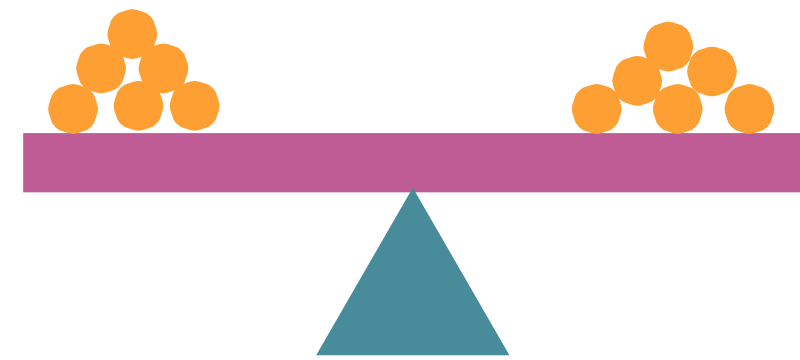
**Clean the blood
and remove
extra fluid**



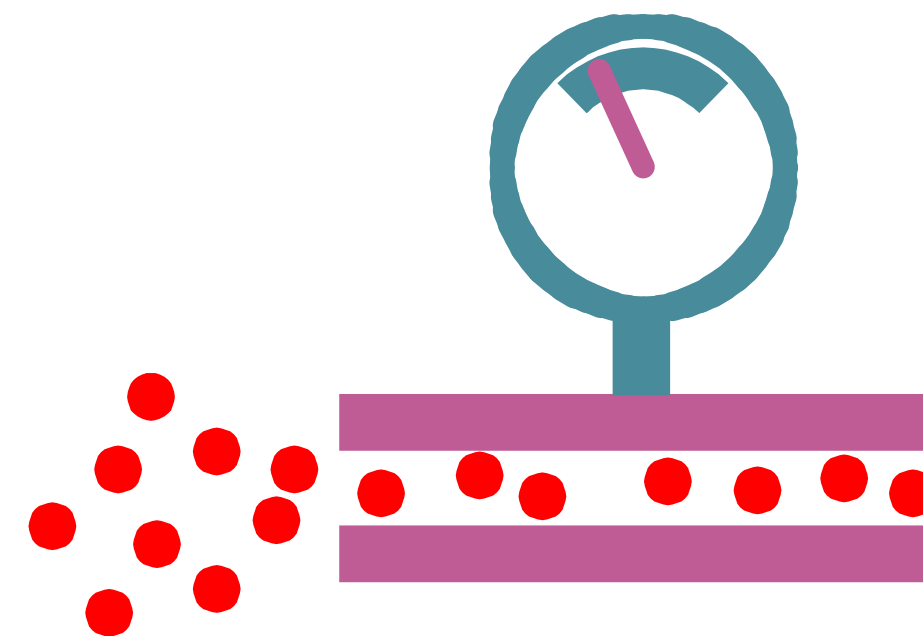
**Filter out waste
products**



**Keep your body
chemicals in
balance**



**Control blood
pressure help
the body make
red blood cells**



What happens when they stop working?

**Fluid builds up
in the body**



**Waste products
are not filtered**

**Body chemicals
get out of
balance**



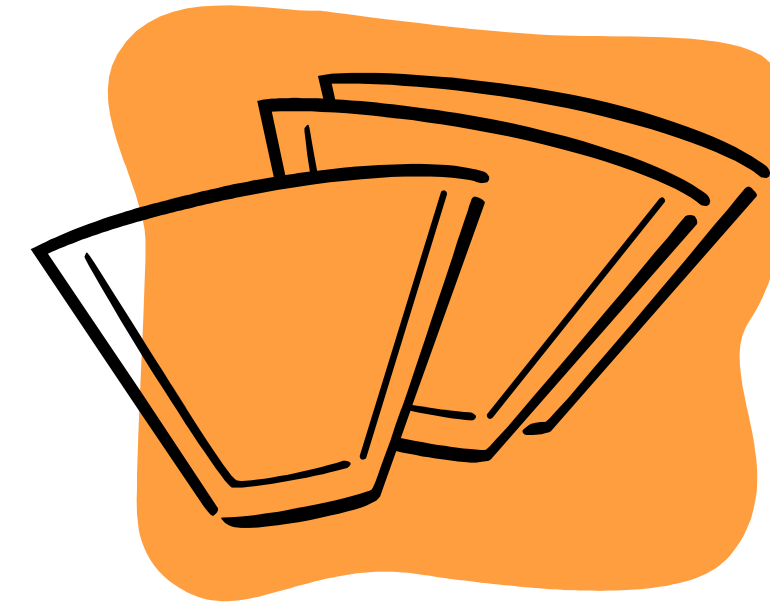
**Blood pressure
and anemia can
be difficult to
control**

Dialysis Supports Your Kidneys When They Are In Trouble

**Removes
Extra Fluid**



**Filters Waste
Products**



**Balances
Body
Chemicals**



**Helps Control
Blood Pressure
and Anemia**



Taking Charge of Your Dialysis Care

- Learn about your options
- Choose the dialysis type that works for you:
 - Peritoneal Dialysis
 - Flexible, At Home, Convenient, Easy
 - Home Hemodialysis
 - Flexible, At Home, More Liberal Diet, Requires a Care Partner, Improved Energy
 - In-Center Dialysis
 - 3x/week, Managed by the Nursing Staff

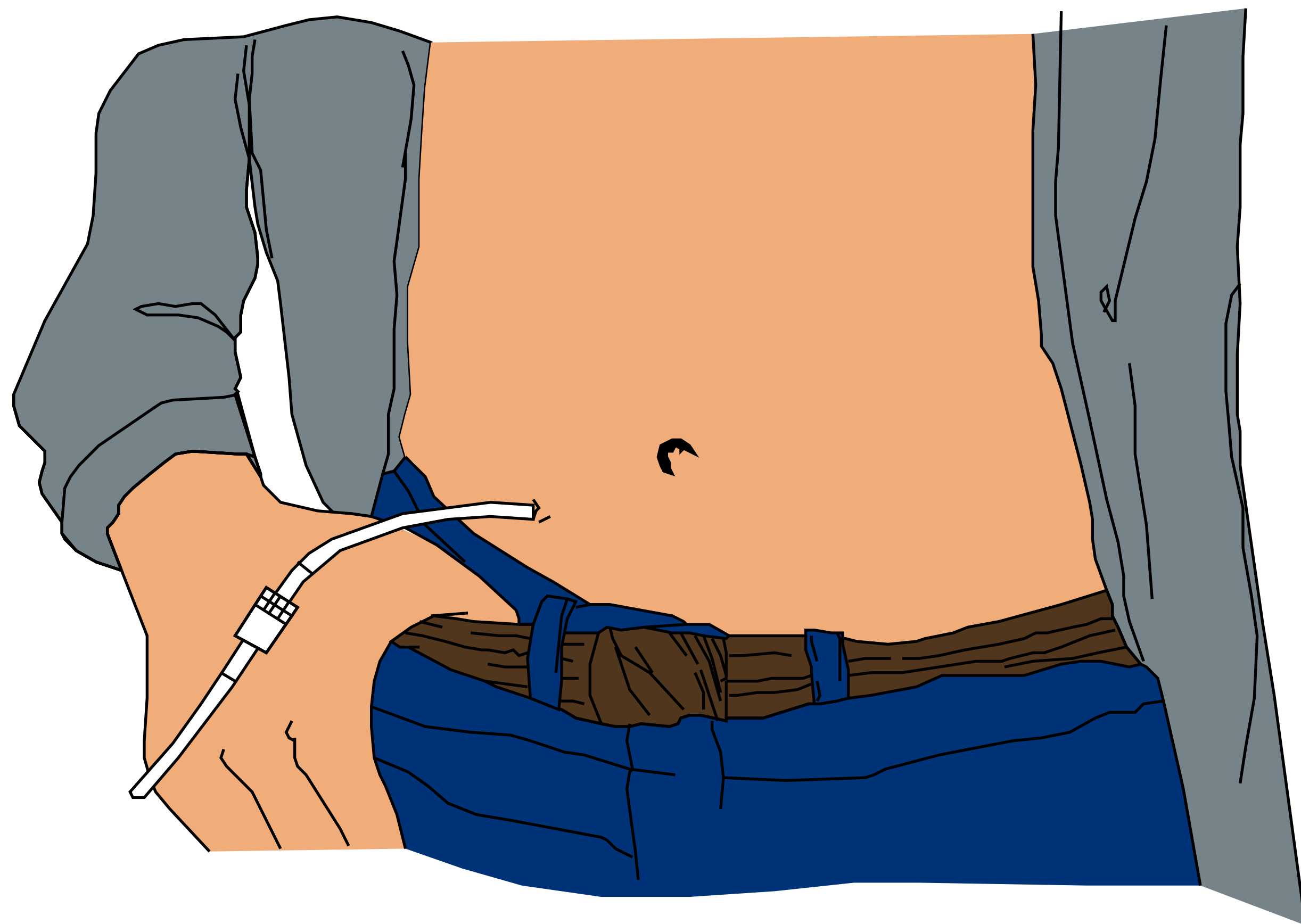


If I don't need dialysis now, Why does my doctor keep talking about it?

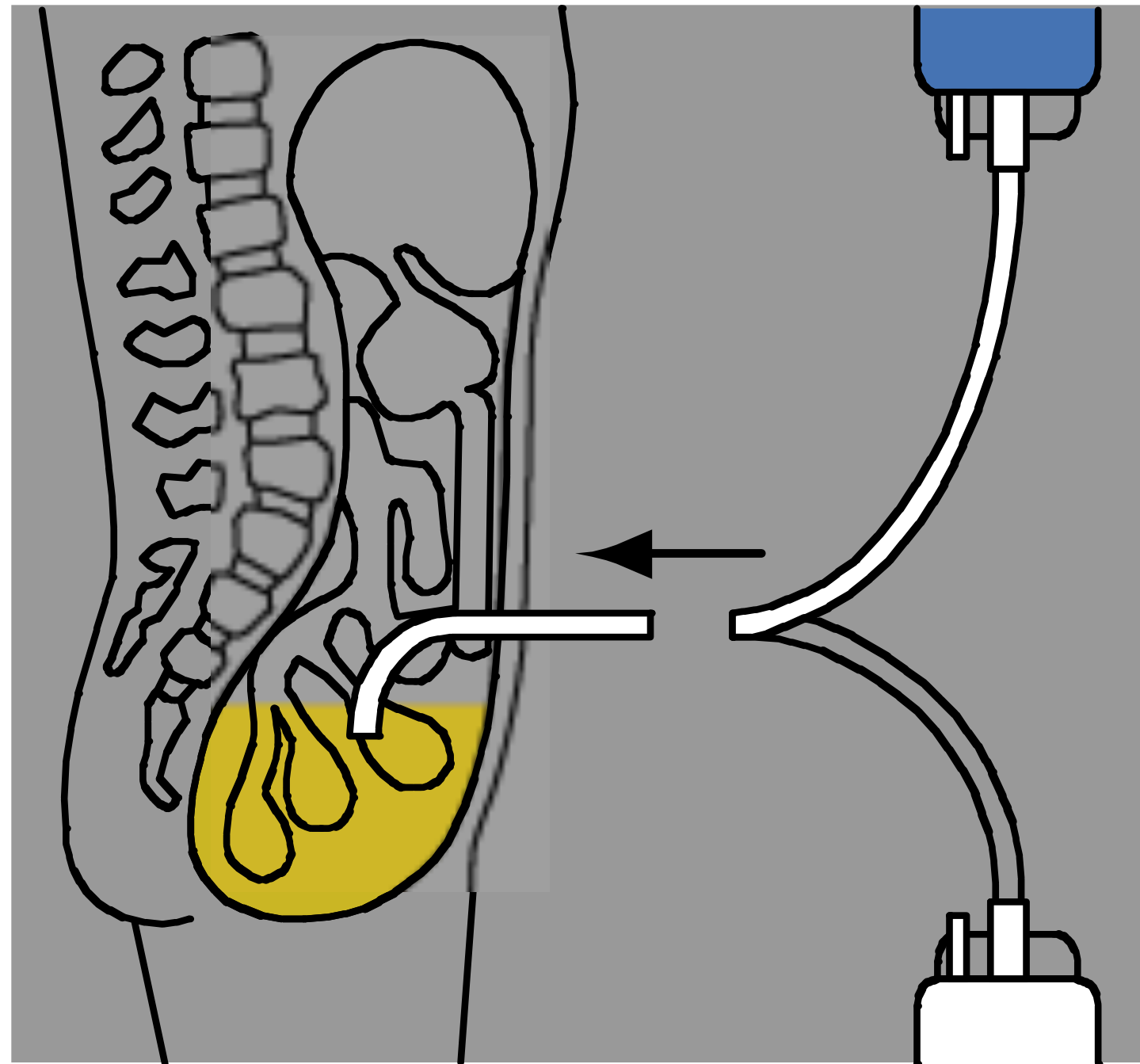


Peritoneal Dialysis

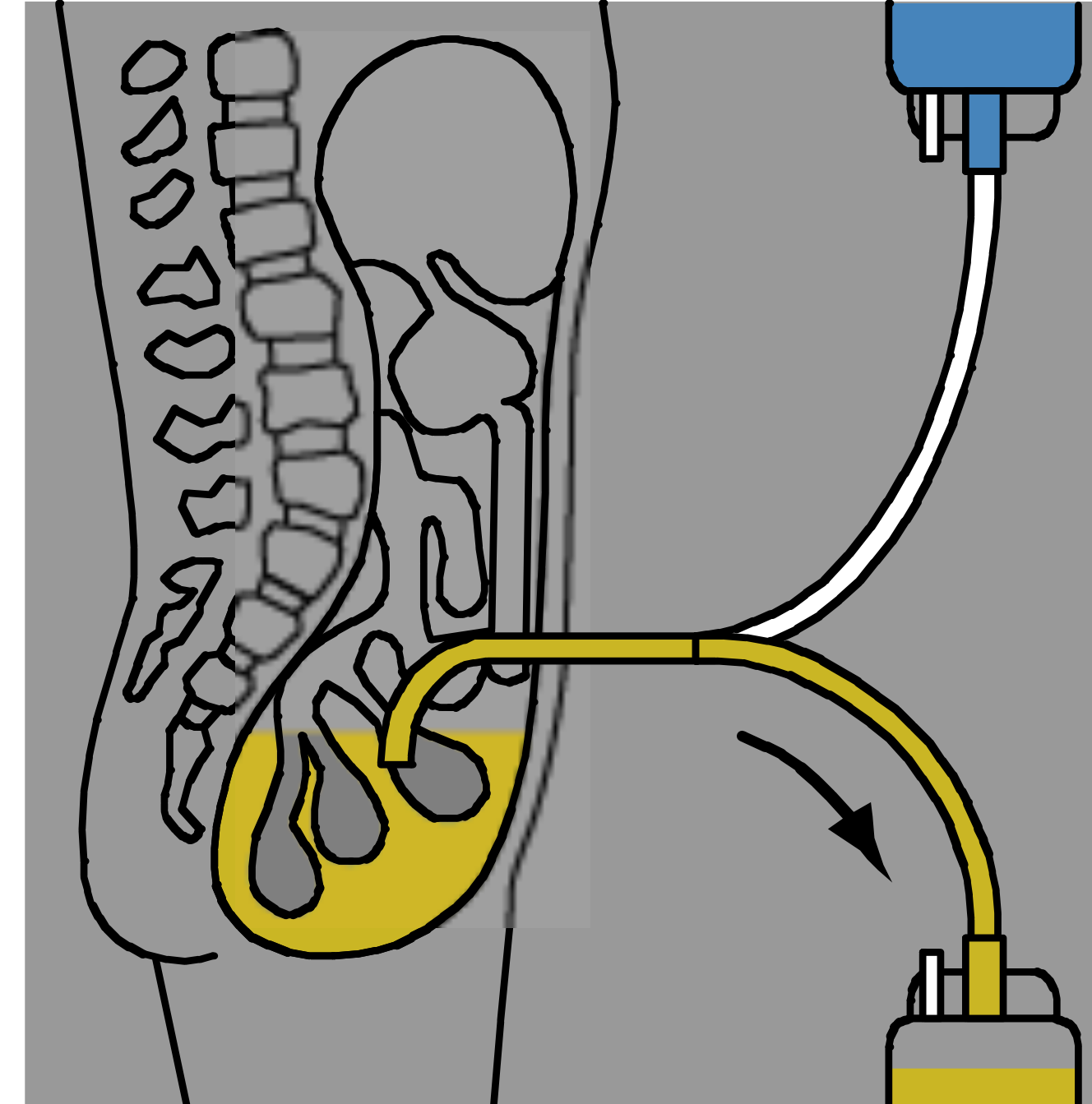
- At Home
- Convenient
- Can be done while you sleep
- Doctor visit once/month
- Easy travel
- No blood involved



How do I perform a CAPD treatment

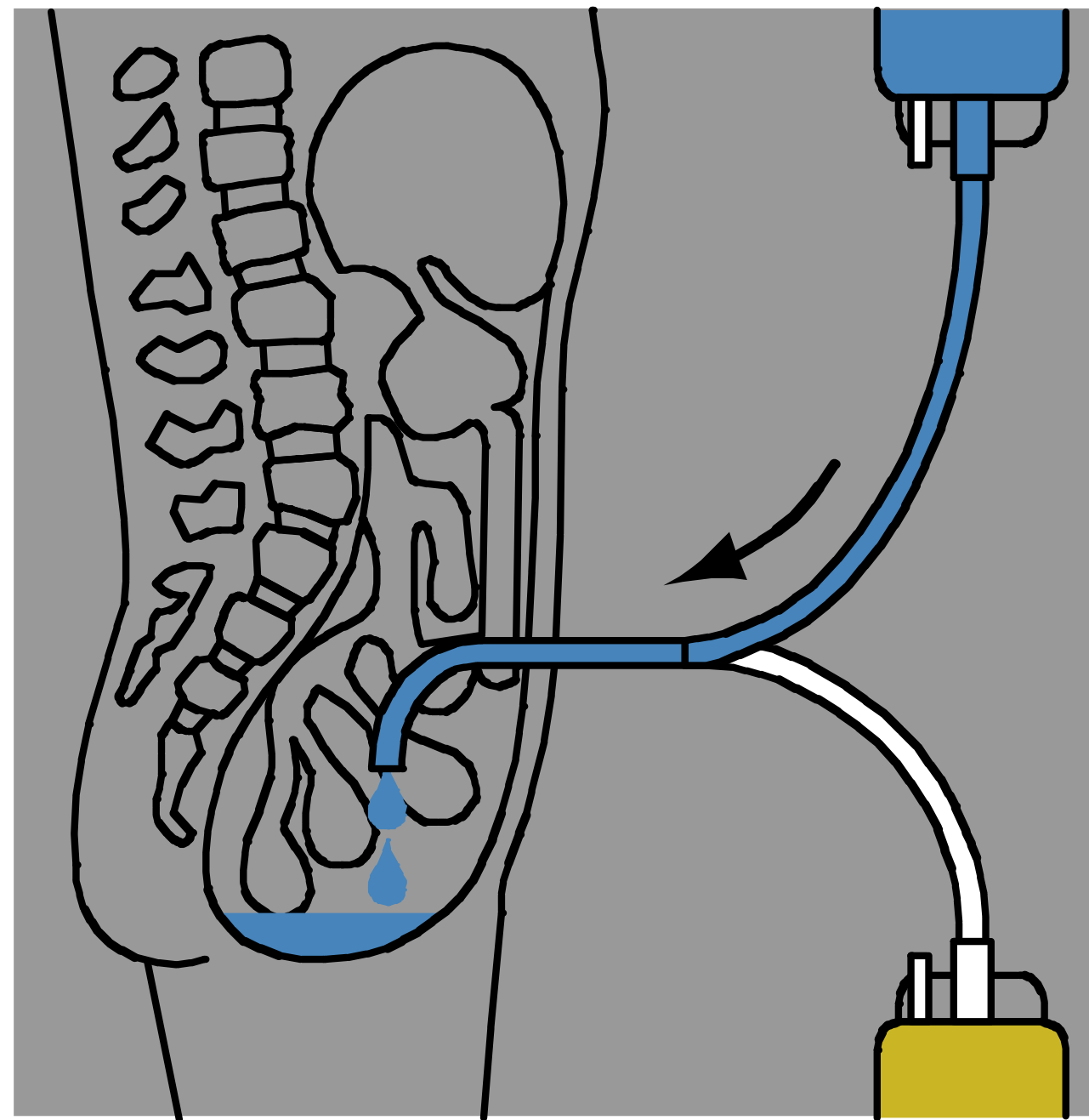


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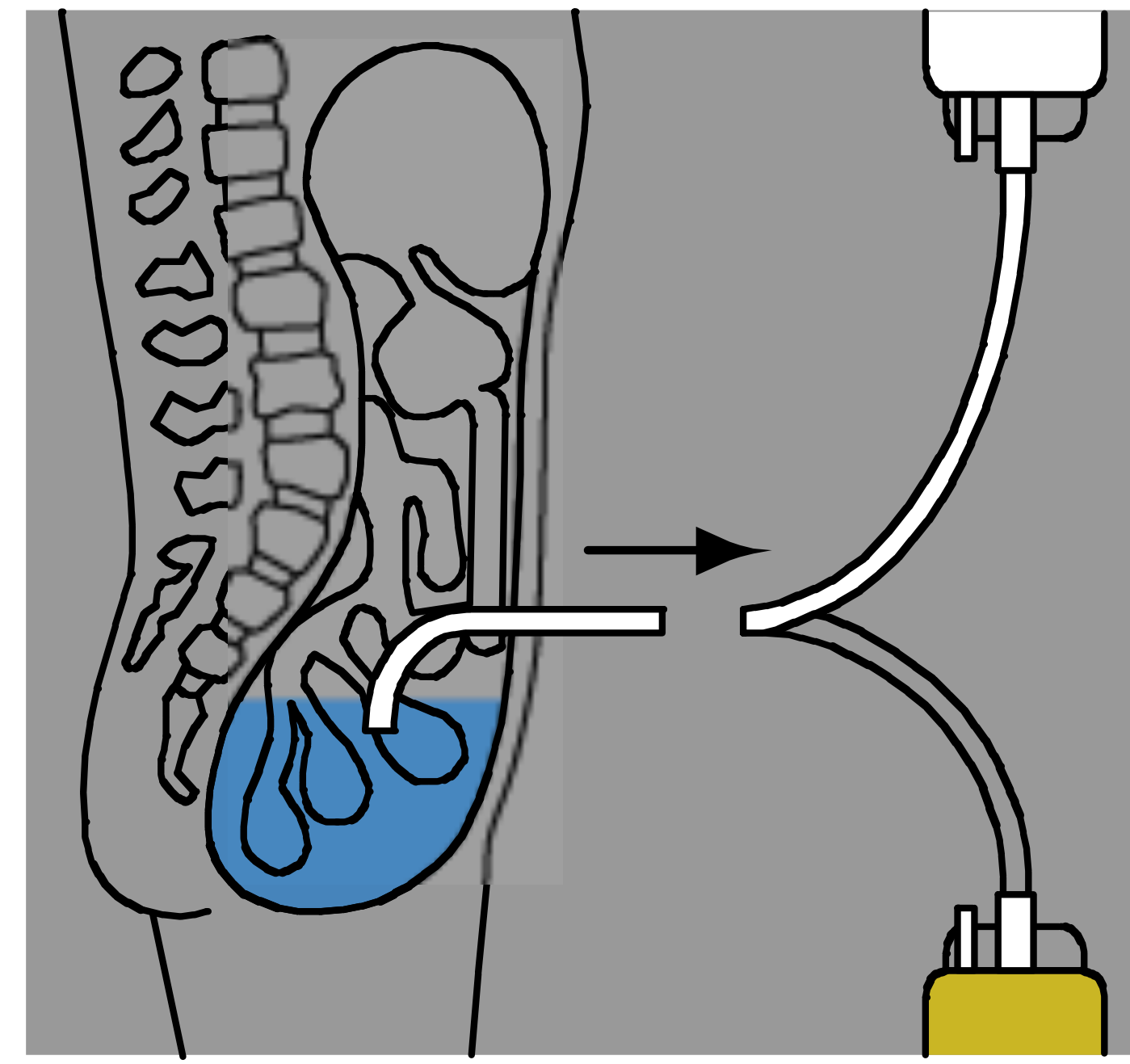


Drain

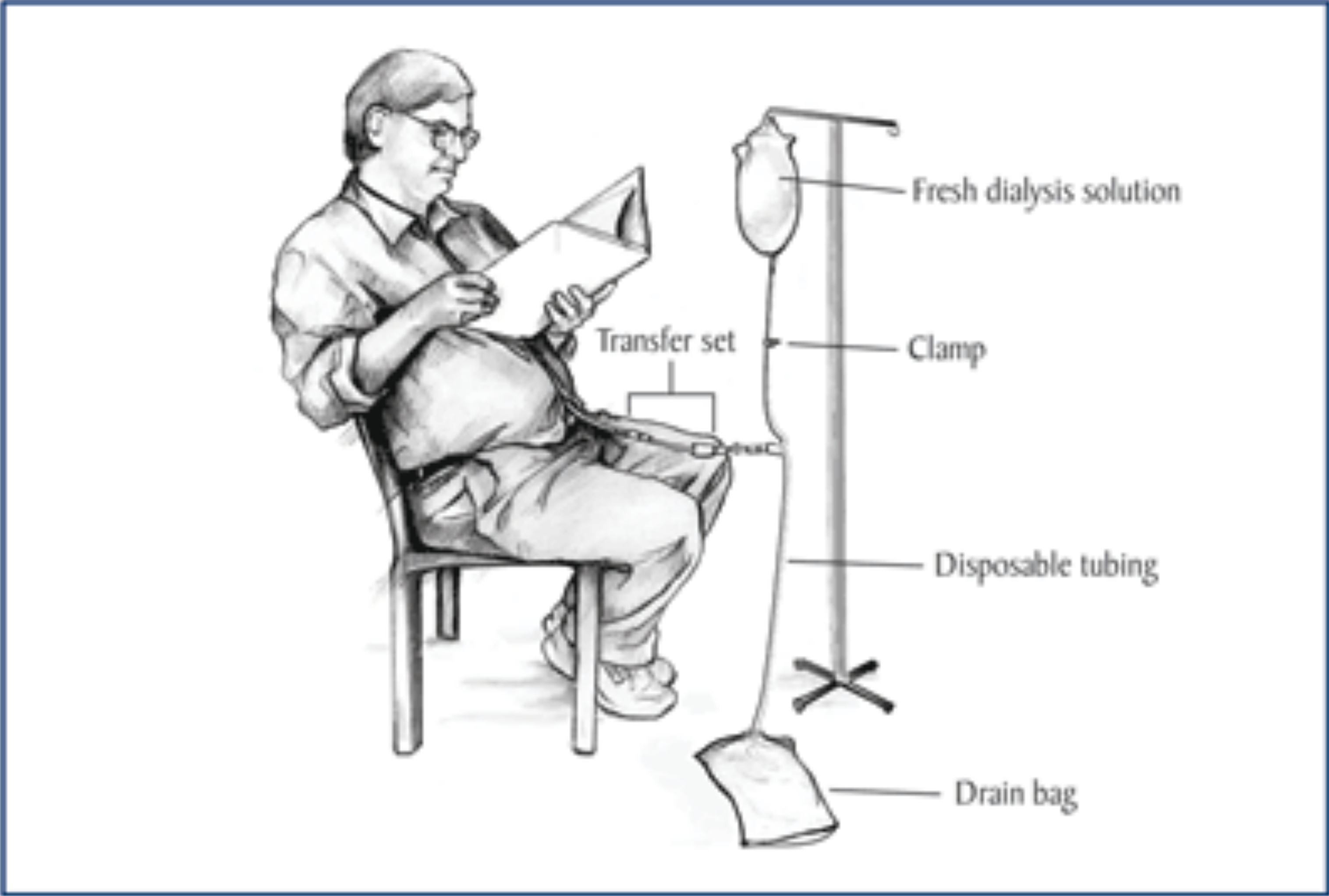
How do I perform a CAPD treatment (cont.)

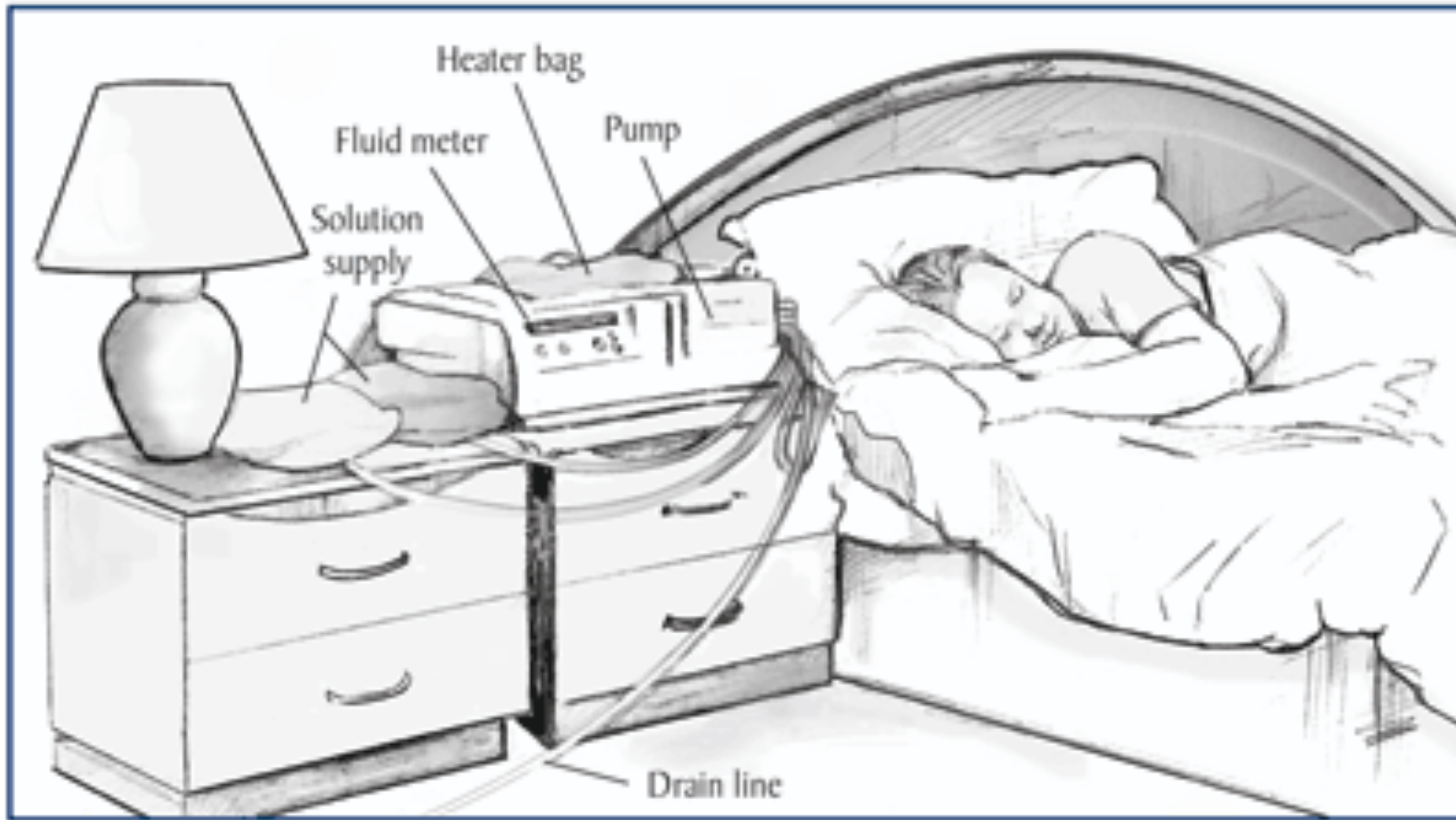


Fill



Disconnect/Dwell

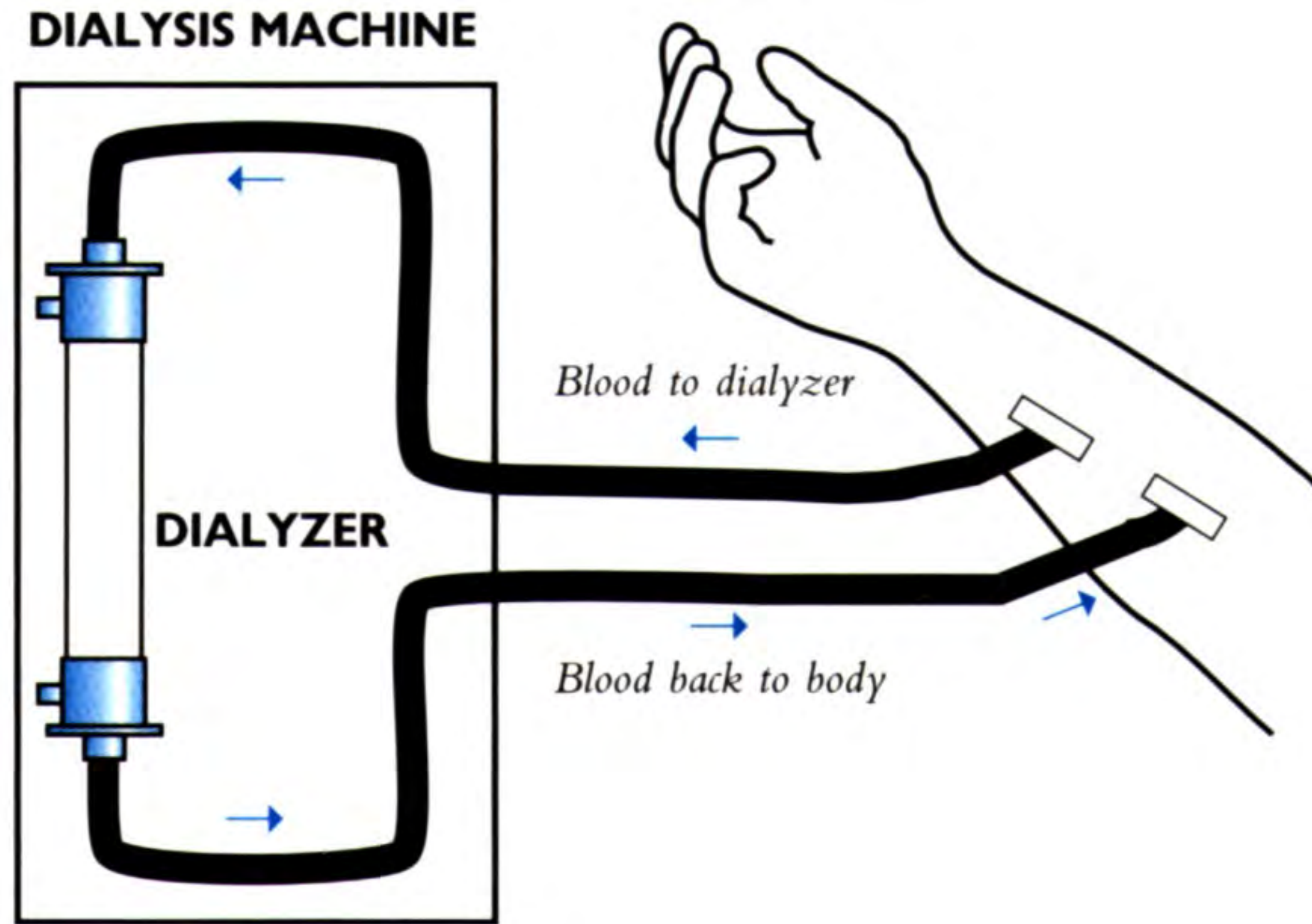




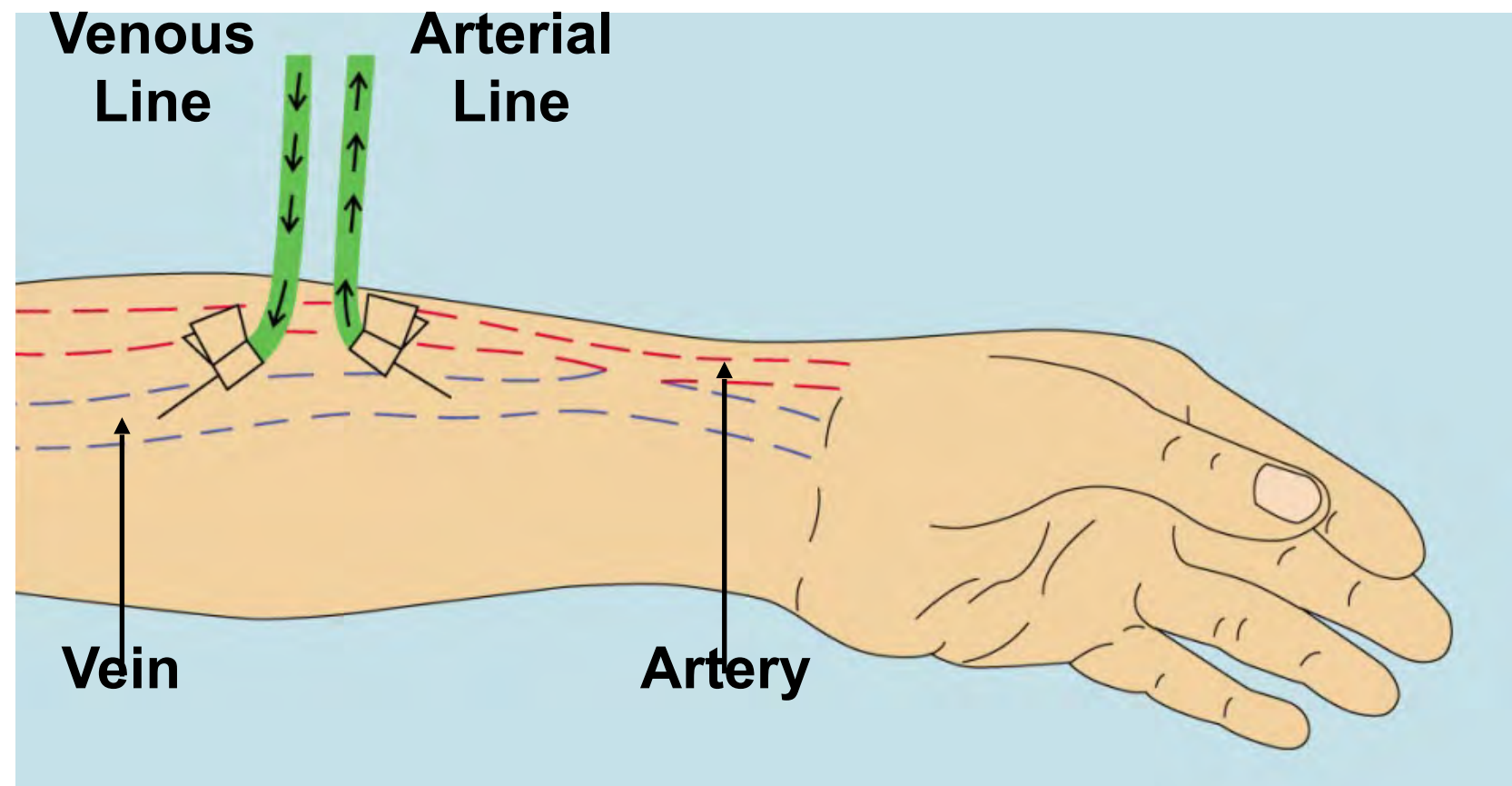
Hemodialysis

- Toxins are filtered out of the blood
- Can be done at home or at the dialysis center
- Treatment time 2-2.5 hours at home 6x/week or 4-5 hours 3x/week at the dialysis center

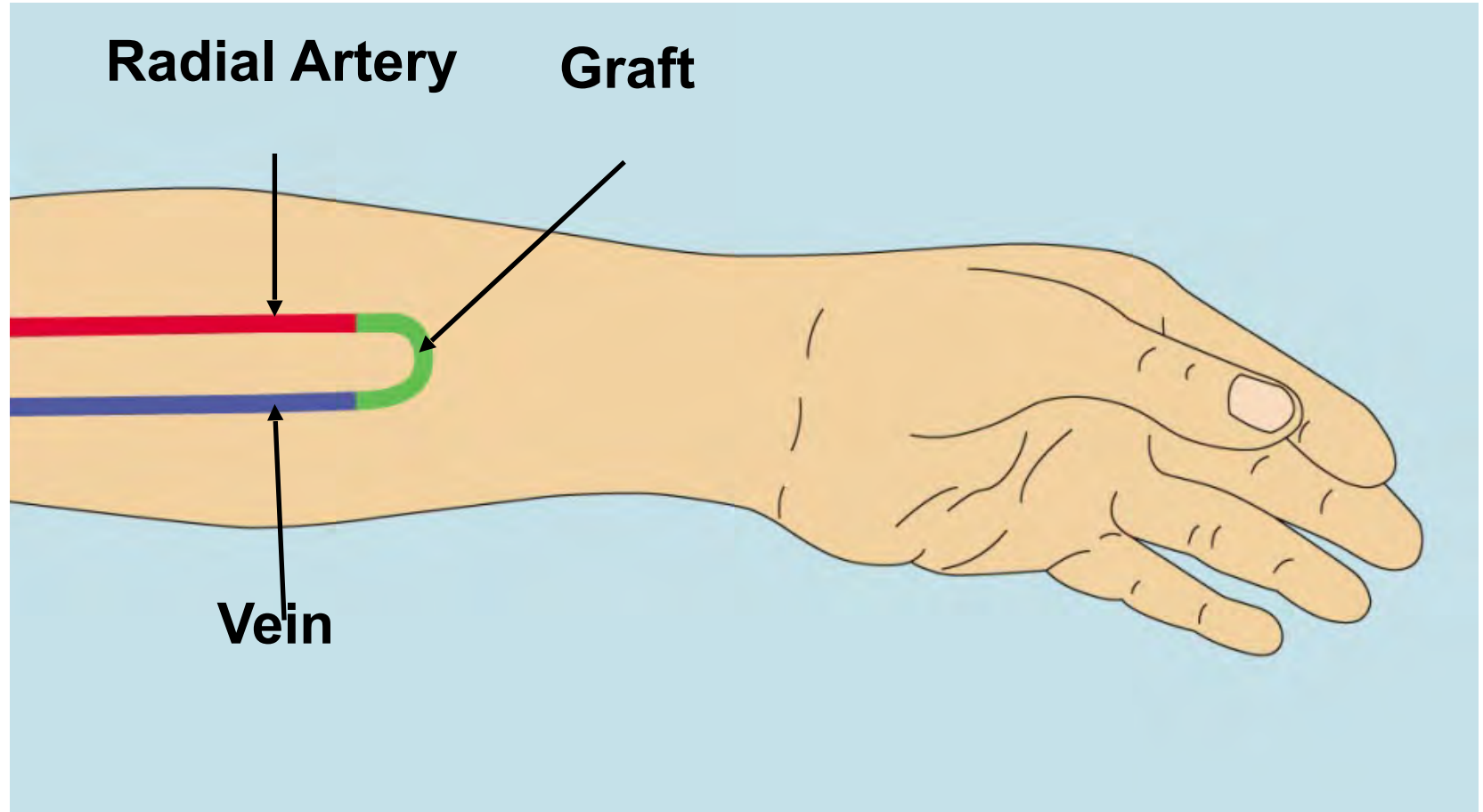
Hemodialysis



How is blood removed and replaced?

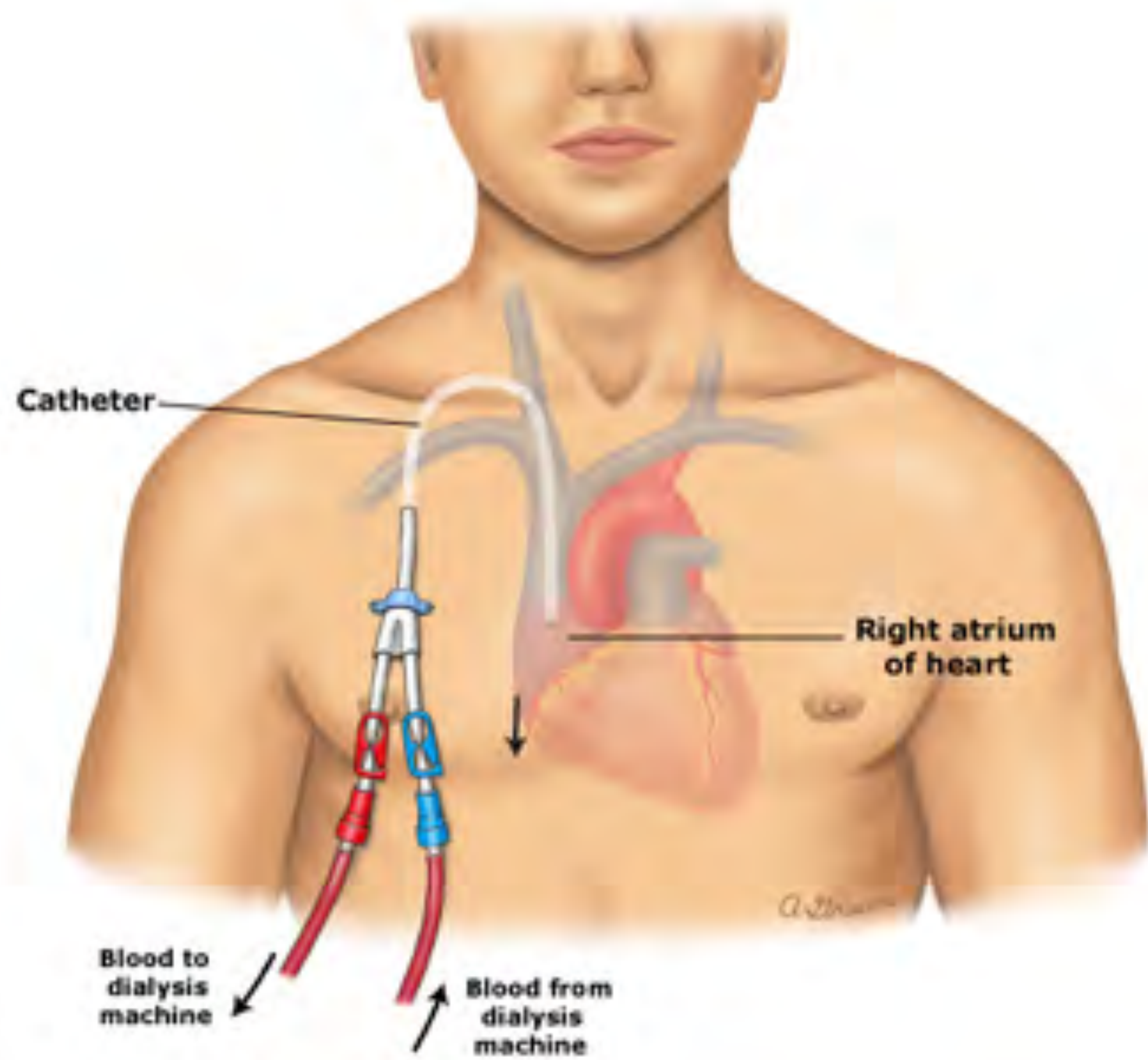


- A “Fistula” is the surgical linking of an artery to a vein providing access to blood vessels



- A “Graft” is tubing surgically placed under the skin, linking an artery to a vein

H-5



In-Center Dialysis



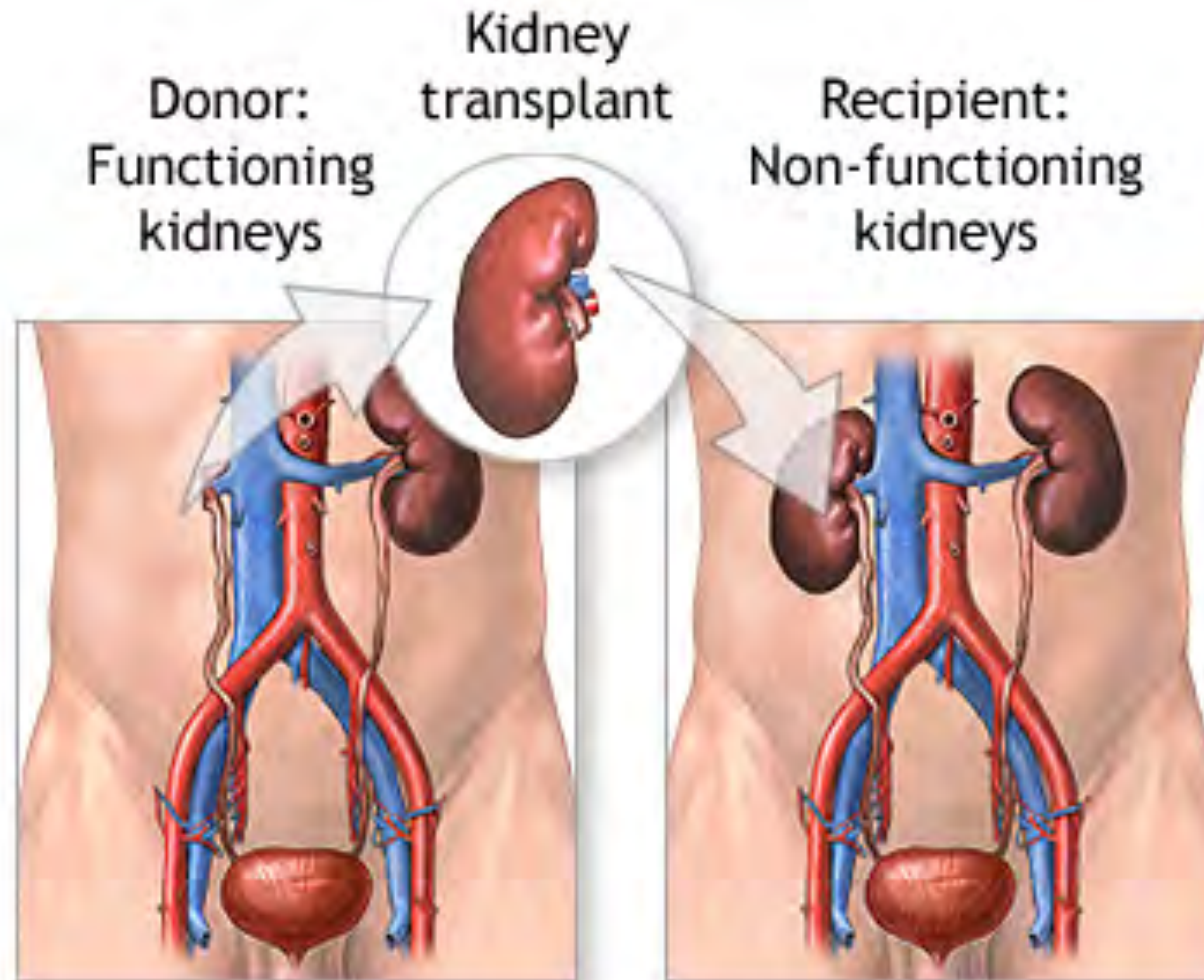
Home Hemodialysis



- 6 Nights/Week
- Convenient for travel
- Decreased number of medications
- Less restrictive diet
- Requires a care partner

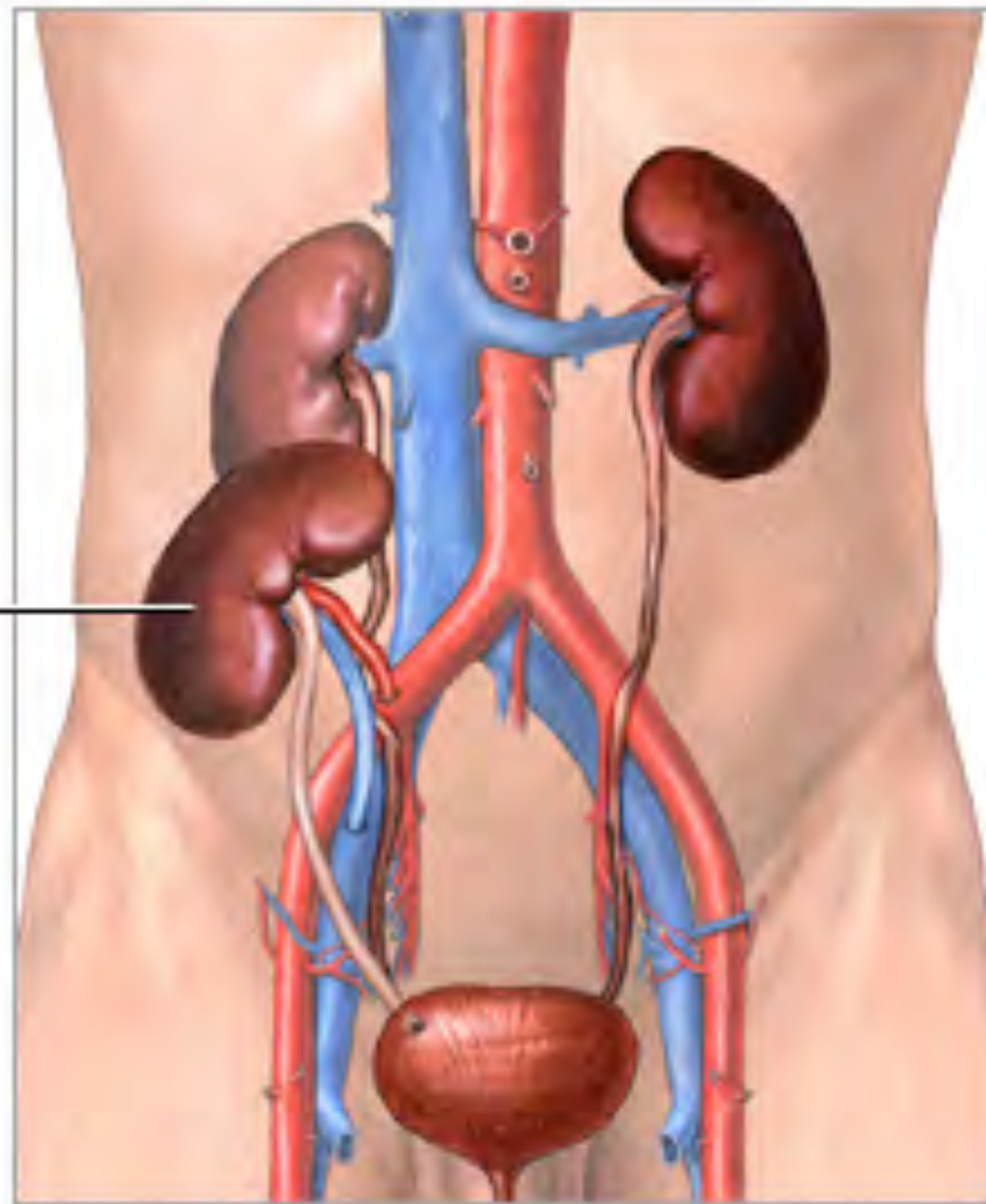
Renal Transplant

- Living donor or deceased donor
- Performed at a transplant center



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kidney



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