

PERITONEAL DIALYSIS

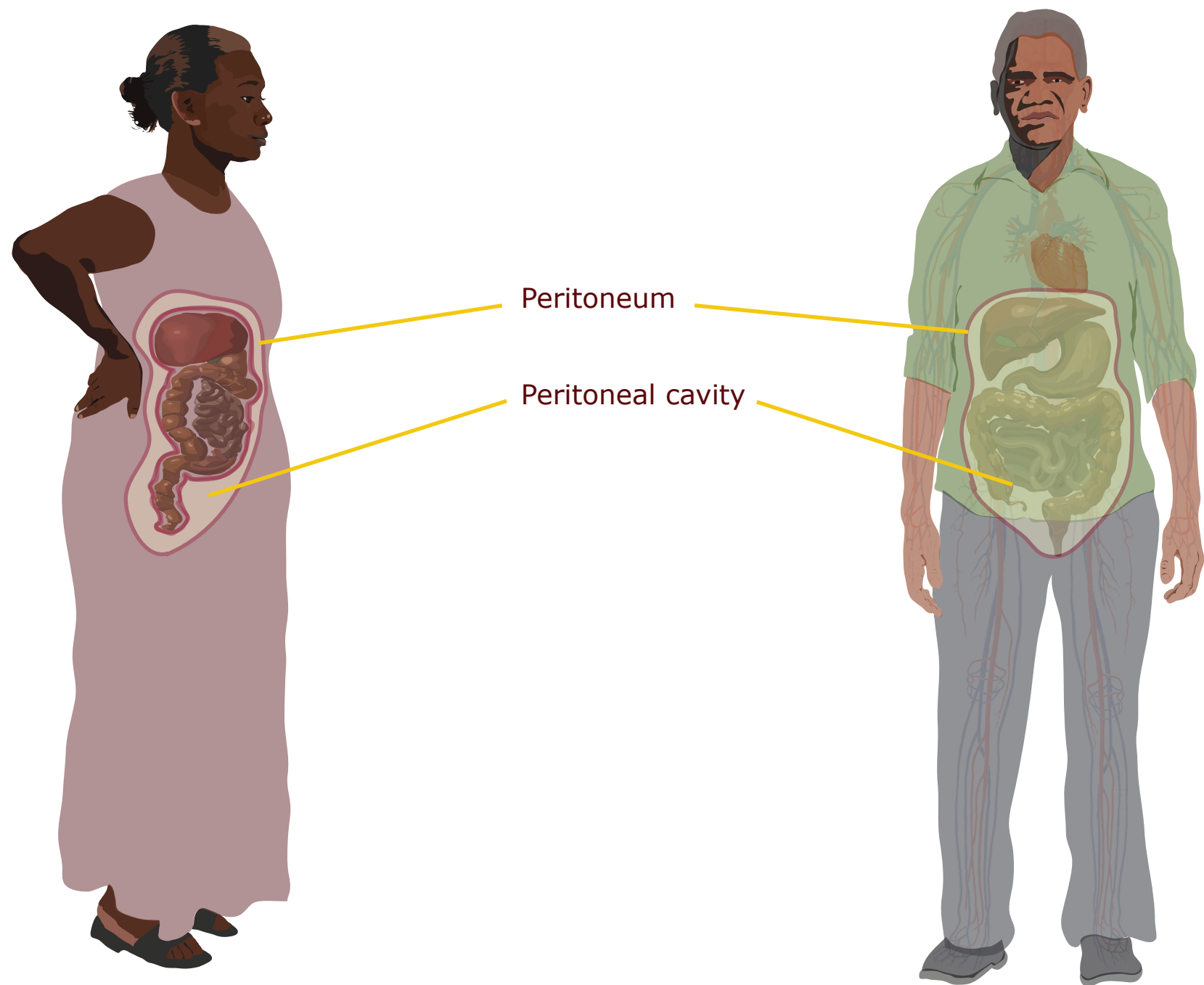


1. IMPORTANT MESSAGES:

2. You need to talk about the right treatment for you
3. You can live at home if you choose peritoneal dialysis
4. You do peritoneal dialysis every day
5. You learn peritoneal dialysis in town
6. Peritoneal dialysis happens inside your body (abdomen)
7. A catheter (tube) is inserted in your tummy (abdomen)
8. You need to do peritoneal dialysis carefully so you don't get sick from infection

TOPICS:

- Picking the right treatment
- What is peritoneal dialysis
- Types of peritoneal dialysis
- Access peritoneal dialysis
- Doing peritoneal dialysis
- Learning peritoneal dialysis
- Support to help you do peritoneal dialysis
- Care for yourself





CAPD bag change





APD all night





A catheter





Moving to town

PD training



Finding accommodation



- Aboriginal Hostels Limited

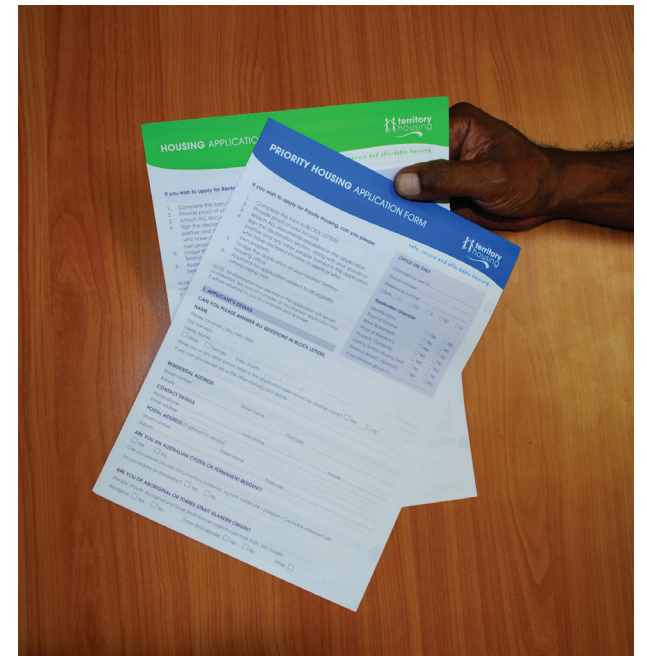


- With family



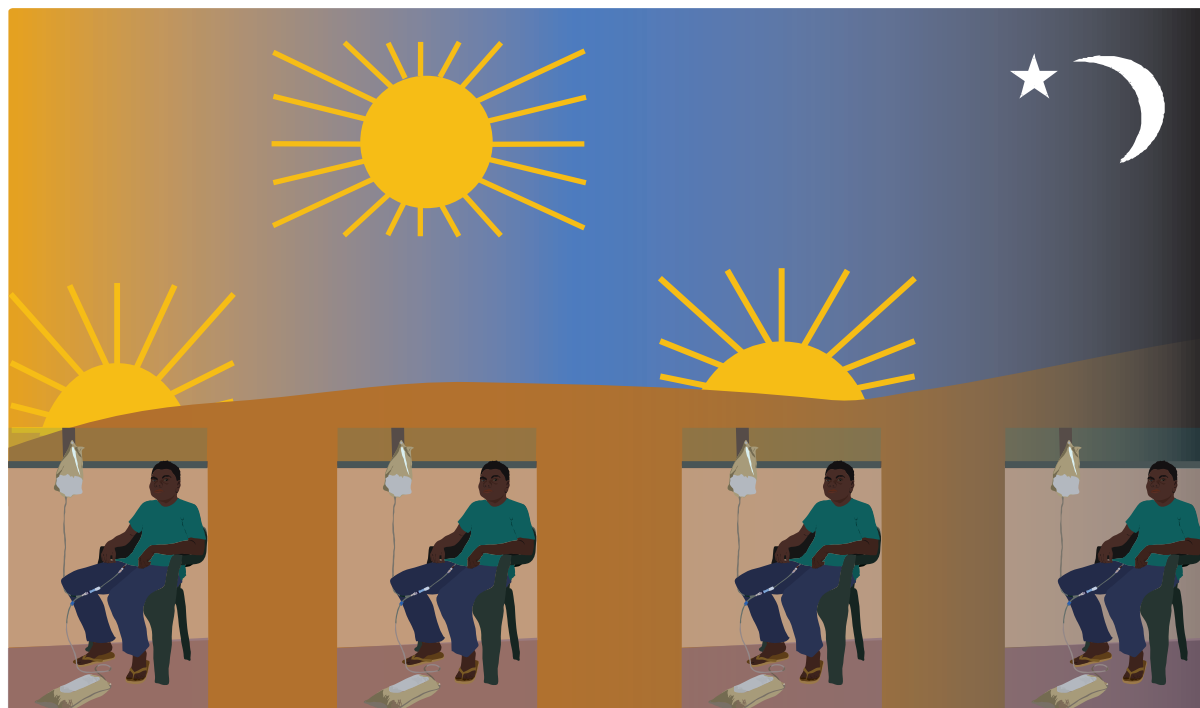
- Town Camps

- Territory Housing



There are people to help you: Social Worker, Aboriginal Liaison Officer, Aboriginal Interpreter Service





CAPD 4 times every day



APD all night, every night



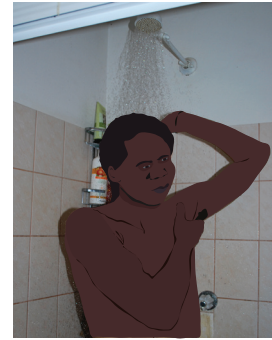
Doing PD at home





Support at home





Keep infections away, keep yourself clean, keep your place clean





Talking with your family and health workers

Talking with doctors and nurses





Peritoneal dialysis cleans your blood so you can live longer

Peritoneal dialysis does not fix your kidneys

IMPORTANT WORDS:

- peritoneal dialysis - PD
- peritoneum
- peritoneal cavity
- continuous ambulatory peritoneal dialysis - CAPD
- automated peritoneal dialysis - APD
- catheter
- bag changes
- infection
- stomach
- abdomen
- germs
- treatment
- access
- social worker
- aboriginal liaison officer

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RESOURCE TOPICS:



THE WORK OF YOUR KIDNEYS



WHEN YOUR KIDNEYS GET SICK



LIVING WITH KIDNEY DISEASE



DIET AND KIDNEY DISEASE



TREATMENT OPTIONS & PATHWAYS



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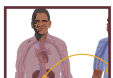
HAEMODIALYSIS



FISTULA AND CATHETER



PALLIATIVE CARE FOR PEOPLE WITH SICK KIDNEYS



TRANSPLANT BOOKS 1 - 4

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