

Updated Standard eGFR Equation

To comply with the industry standard recommended by the National Kidney Foundation and the American Society of Nephrology, DMCUL is updating the equation for estimating glomerular filtration rate effective Monday April 22, 2024.

The new equation has acceptable performance characteristics in the diagnosis and management of patients, with or at risk for, kidney disease regardless of race. It takes into account factors such as age, gender and serum creatinine, all of which have been shown to have a stronger correlation with kidney function than race.

The equation can be found in the National Kidney Foundation's KDOQI Clinical Practice Guideline for Chronic Kidney Disease: Evaluation, Classification, and Stratification.

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