



WKD 2023 Report

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Country: Nigeria

Number of events organized/collected in your country: 1

Activities of note (please give a brief description of the activity with links to online sources that mentioned it):

An awareness campaign, and free kidney disease screening exercise for the hospital and immediate environment.

Description of advocacy activities:

1. Awareness campaign on the importance of kidney health and prevention of kidney diseases, with emphasis on stopping the misuse and abuse of over-the-counter medications and the use of herbal mixtures.
2. Drummed up support for patients living with kidney disease. With reference to patients with end-stage disease on renal replacement therapy, as they need financial support for their treatments and social support to deal with mental health and nutritional needs.