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1. Registrant Name National Kidney Foundation			
2. Address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check if different than previously reported 1522 K Street N.W., Suite 825			
3. Principal Place of Business (if different from line 2) City: Washington, State/Zip (or Country) DC 20005			
4. Contact Name Dolph Chianchiano	Telephone (202) 216-9257	E-mail (optional) dolphc@dc.kidney.org	5. Senate ID # 28105-12
7. Client Name <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Self			6. House ID # 30683000

TYPE OF REPORT 8. Year 2000 Midyear (January 1-June 30) OR Year End (July 1-December 31)

9. Check if this filing amends a previously filed version of this report

10. Check if this is a Termination Report ⇨ Termination Date _____ 11. No Lobbying Activity

INCOME OR EXPENSES - Complete Either Line 12 OR Line 13	
<p>12. Lobbying Firms</p> <p>INCOME relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period was:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ _____ <small>Income (nearest \$20,000)</small></p> <p>Provide a good faith estimate, rounded to the nearest \$20,000, of all lobbying related income from the client (including all payments to the registrant by any other entity for lobbying activities on behalf of the client).</p>	<p>13. Organizations</p> <p>EXPENSES relating to lobbying activities for this reporting period were:</p> <p>Less than \$10,000 <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>\$10,000 or more <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⇨ \$ <u>40,000</u> <small>Expenses (nearest \$10,000)</small></p> <p>14. REPORTING METHOD. Check box to indicate expense accounting method. See instructions for description of options.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Method A. Reporting amounts using LDA definitions only</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method B. Reporting amounts under section 6033(b)(8) of the Internal Revenue Code</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Method C. Reporting amounts under section 162(e) of the Internal Revenue Code</p>

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15. General issue area code MMM (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Dialysis Quality of Care

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

U.S. Senate

18. Name of each individual who acted as a lobbyist in this issue area

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New Approaches to Medicare coverage of End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) care.

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Health Care Finance Administration

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16. Specific lobbying issues

Publication of staffing ratios at dialysis clinics

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Proposed Federal Regulations to implement a "safe harbor" to Medicare fraud & abuse provisions for payment of Medicare and Medigap premiums by dialysis providers.

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Health and Human Services department

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16. Specific lobbying issues

Training of vocational rehabilitation counselors concerning special needs of kidney patients.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

Rehabilitation Services Administration

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16. Specific lobbying issues

Extension of Medicare coverage of immunosuppressive drugs for transplant recipients.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate
Health and Human Services Department

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Establishment of Medicare prescription drug benefit.

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U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate

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16. Specific lobbying issues

Revise Medicare reimbursement for repair of vascular access sites for kidney dialysis patients.

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16. Specific lobbying issues

Legislation to authorize printing of Organ and Tissue Donation
"semi-postal" stamp, S.2062 and H.R. 3809.

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U.S. House of Representatives
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16. Specific lobbying issues

Increase Medicare "composite rate" for dialysis providers.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

U.S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate

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15. General issue area code BUD (one per page)

16. Specific lobbying issues

Appropriations for transplant programs at Health and Human Services.
Appropriations for medical research at the National Institutes of Health.
Appropriations for the Center for Disease Control Diabetes Control program.

17. House(s) of Congress and Federal agencies contacted Check if None

U. S. House of Representatives
U.S. Senate

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16. Specific lobbying issues

Proposal to establish a clinical trial to determine efficacy of nutritional supplementation for certain kidney dialysis patients.

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National Institutes of Health
Health Care Finance Administration
U.S. House of Representatives

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16. Specific lobbying issues

Federal Organ allocation regulations, S.2366.

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Health and Human Services Department
U.S. Senate

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16. Specific lobbying issues

Establish support for proposed National Kidney Disease Education Program.

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U.S. House of Representatives
National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases

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Reauthorization of National Organ Transplant Act.
Establishment of living donor incentive program.

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