Meet Albert
DaVita HHD Patient

Albert says he is able to do more on HHD than if he were to dialyze in a center: “The freedom to schedule my day as I see fit, the significantly reduced treatment times, more flexibility [with diet] and, on a more philosophical level, a longer life.” With greater control over his treatment schedule, Albert can maintain his active lifestyle and spend more time with the ones he loves.

HHD is offered at a DaVita® center near you

Meet other patients by going to DaVita.com/HomeForums.

99% of home dialysis patients are satisfied with the quality of care they receive at DaVita.  

94% of our home dialysis patients would recommend DaVita to a friend or family member who needed dialysis.  

Home training hours can often be scheduled to accommodate patients’ current work and life needs.

To find out if HHD is right for you, speak with your doctor and visit DaVita.com/HHDCare.

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Benefits of choosing HHD may include

- Increased likelihood of receiving a transplant
- More energy and improved sleep quality
- Quicker recovery time after dialysis treatment
- Fewer diet restrictions
- More opportunity to pursue work and life goals
- Greater flexibility when traveling
- Fewer trips per month to the dialysis center
- Fewer symptoms of depression and improved mental and physical health
- Increased satisfaction with sex life
- Decreased need for blood pressure medications
- Less stress on the heart

Compared to in-center hemodialysis, home hemodialysis (HHD) patients can take more control of their treatments schedules, leaving more time for themselves, their families, their jobs and other activities they enjoyed before starting dialysis.

How HHD Works

HHD uses a machine with a filter to remove fluid and waste from the blood. With the help of a care partner—your spouse, adult child, sibling, friend or neighbor—HHD treatments can be done on your own schedule and in the comfort and privacy of your home, rather than in a center. Training typically takes three to five weeks, after which you and your care partner will continue to have the support of an on-call DaVita nurse whenever needed.

To learn more about your treatment options, speak with your doctor and visit DaVita.com/HHDCare.