RATES

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Color: In addition to earned black-and-white rates.

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2. Earned Rates:
   a) Earned rates are given to advertisers (parent company and its subsidiaries) based on the total number of pages placed within a 12-month period. A spread counts as two pages regardless of its size.
   b) Agency commission: Fifteen percent gross billings on space, color, cover, and preferred position charges.
   c) Cash discount: Two percent if paid within ten days of invoice date. No discount allowed after this period.

3. Bleed: No charge

4. Covers, Positions:
   a) Covers:
      Second cover: Earned b/w rate plus 25%. Color additional.
      Third cover: Earned b/w rate plus 15%. Color additional.
      Fourth cover: Earned b/w rate plus 50%. Color additional.
   b) Positions:
      Special positions: Contact your sales representative for more details.

5. Online Advertising Rates: Please contact your sales representative for more details.

2024 Rate Card: Print

DISCOUNTS
1. Combined Earned Frequency Discount: All insertions of a parent company and its subsidiaries are combined to determine the earned frequency rate. Advertisers may combine advertisements run in all Healio and SLACK publications to achieve maximum frequency.
2. New Advertiser Discount: Receive a 5% discount off all ad insertions. To qualify, the advertisement must be for a:
   a) Product that has not advertised in Nephrology News & Issues the past calendar year
   b) New indication for a currently advertising product in 2024 advertising.
3. Multichannel Program: Custom multichannel programs are available that meet your specific advertising needs. Contact your Sales Representative to discuss options.
4. Corporate Discount: Total net spend achieved in the year 2024 will set a Corporate Discount to be taken off 2025 advertising.
5. When taking advantage of more than one discount program, discounts must be taken in the following order:
   a) Less New Advertiser/Product Discount
   b) Less Healio Strategic Solutions Corporate Discount
   c) Less 15% Agency Discount
   Equals net cost

ISSUANCE AND CLOSING
1. Established: September 1987
2. Frequency: 12 times per year
3. Issue Date: Mails within the issue month
4. Extensions and Cancellations:
   a) Extensions: If an extension date for material is agreed upon and material is not received by the Publisher on the agreed date, the advertiser will be charged for the space reserved.
   b) Cancellations: If, for any reason, an advertisement is canceled after the closing date, the Publisher reserves the right to repeat a former ad at full rates. If the advertiser has not previously run an ad, the advertiser will be charged for the cost of space reserved. Neither the advertiser nor its agency may cancel advertising after the closing date.

EDITORIAL
1. General Editorial Direction: Nephrology News & Issues® strives to be the definitive information source for nephrologists by delivering timely, accurate, authoritative and balanced reports on clinical issues, socioeconomic topics and specialty industry developments, as well as presenting clinically relevant information about medical therapies for the benefit of the patient. The publication will offer its audience late-breaking reports from national and international congresses, as well as treatment and diagnostic updates, FDA developments, clinical resources and guidelines for care.
2. Average Issue Projection:
   a) Average Number of Articles per Issue: 20
   b) Editorial Sections:
      • National News
      • Business News
      • Clinical News
      • Meeting News
      • Advance Practice News
      • Home Dialysis
      • First Word
      • Bottom Line
      • Viewpoint
      • Renal Policy
      • Outcomes
      • Home Dialysis
      • Conference Preview
      • Data Management
      • Practice Management
      • Clinic Management
      • Transplantation
      • Research
      • Nursing
      • Social Work

CIRCULATION
1. Description of Circulation Parameters:
   a) Nephrologists
2. Demographic Selection Criteria:
   a) Prescribing: Yes
3. Circulation Distribution: Controlled: 100%
4. Paid Information:
   a) Association members:
   b) Is publication received as part of dues? No
   c) Subscription rates:
      U.S.: $147/yr. individual
      Canada: add 5% tax/yr.
      Outside the U.S.: add $98/yr.
5. Circulation Verification:
   a) Audit: BPA Worldwide/Alliance for Audited Media
   b) Mailing House: ENRU
6. Date and source of breakdown: BPA Worldwide, June 2023
7. Total estimated circulation for 2024: 20,107

GENERAL INFORMATION
1. Requirements for Advertising Acceptance:
   Advertisements for professional and non-professional products or services are accepted provided they are in harmony with the policy of service to the healthcare profession and subject to Publisher’s approval. Non-professional product and service advertisers must submit ad copy two weeks prior to the closing date.
2. New Product Releases: Yes
3. Editorial Research: Yes
4. Ad Format and Placement Policy:
   a) Format: Within articles
5. Ad/Edit Information: 50/50 Ad/Edit Ratio
6. Online Advertising Opportunities: Contact your sales representative for more information.
7. Additional Advertising Opportunities:
   a) BRC inserts: See 5b under Insert Information for specifications.
   b) Split-run advertising: Contact publisher for information.
8. Reprints: Yes, email Sheridan Content Solutions at sscreprints@sheridan.com.
9. Publisher’s Liability: The Publisher shall not be liable for any failure to print, publish or circulate all or any portion of any issue in which an advertisement accepted by the Publisher is contained if such failure is due to acts of God, strikes, war, accidents or other circumstances beyond the Publisher’s control.
10. Indemnification of Publisher: In consideration of publication of an advertisement, the advertiser and the agency, jointly and separately, will indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the publication, its officers, agents, and employees against expenses (including legal fees) and losses resulting from the publication of the contents of the advertisement, including without limitation, claims or suits for libel, violation of right of privacy, copyright infringements or plagiarism.
11. Competitor Information: Nephrology News & Issues® does not accept advertisements that contain competitor(s’) names, publication covers, logos or other content.
12. Advertisements: In order to be considered for acceptance, advertisements or inserts which contain text or copy describing a product or surgical technique, must be substantially different in text and font of the receiving publication and the word “Advertorial” or “Advertise- ment” will be prominently displayed in 10 point, black type, in ALL CAPS at the center top of each page.
13. Billing Policy: Billing to an advertising agency is based on acceptance by the advertiser of “dual responsibility” for payment if the agency does not remit within 90 days. The Publisher will not be bound by any conditions, printed or otherwise, appearing on any insertion order or contract when they conflict with the terms and conditions of this rate card.
Audience Overview

Getting your message delivered to the entire renal team — those who provide medical care for patients every day, operate the dialysis clinic, write prescriptions and manage physician practices — can be done in multiple ways. You’ll receive maximum exposure when you partner with Nephrology News & Issues® because we maintain a print circulation of TBD, which includes all nephrologists who are members of the American Medical Association (AMA) and all members of the National Kidney Foundation. On Healio, NN&I’s exclusive online content and newsletters bring the audience you want to reach to the website every day.

13,036 PHYSICIANS

Nephrologists: 12,054
IM, Nephrology: 735
Transplant Surgeons: 247

968 APP/PAs

Advance Practice Practitioners: 643
Physician Assistants: 325

4,626 MEMBERSHIPS

NKF: 4,357
NANT: 269

1,465 RENAL CARE TEAM

Dialysis Center Admins: 199
Dialysis Center Technicians: 355
Nephrology Nurses: 412
Renal Dietitians: 499

*based off of BPA June 2023 analyzed issue

Total Journal Subscribers: 20,107

Looking for a copy of our audited Brand Report?
Click to view full circulation info

SOURCES: June 2023 BPA Statement; Google Analytics.
Other Titles Included: Librarian, Patient, Government Official and Others Allied to the Industry.
Administrative Titles Included: Administrator, President, Vice President, CEO/CFO/COO, Medical Director, Facility Board/Owner, Transplant Administrator, Nurse Manager, Network Director, Chief Technician, Manager/Supervisor, Laboratory Director and Other Administrators.
AD SPECIFICATIONS

1. Available Advertising Unit Sizes:

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<td>7¾” x 4¼”</td>
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*Bleed ads use non-bleed size for live area.

a) Trim size of journal: 8¼” x 10½”
b) For spread ads, keep content (images/text) ¼” in on each side of gutter
c) To view thumbnails of ad specs, visit healio.com/adspecs.

2. Type of Binding: Saddle-stitch

3. Print Ad Requirements: For specifications, go to: healio.com/adspecs

4. Color Proofs: One proof made from supplied files and meeting SWOP specifications, must be provided with data file. Proof must be at 100% of the print size. Publisher accepts Kodak approvals, Matchprints, Chromalins, High-end Epson Quality or Iris Digital proofs.

If only color lasers are furnished, color match on press cannot be guaranteed.

5. Note: Spread ads should be sent as a one-page file.

6. Ad File Submission: Electronic files must be submitted as a high-resolution, print ready PDF. Minimum 300 dpi. Contact the sales administrator for file sharing options.

7. Disposition of Ad Material: Ad materials will be held one year from date of last insertion and then destroyed unless notified otherwise in writing.

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INSERT INFORMATION

1. Availability and Acceptance:
   a) Availability: Two- to eight-page inserts are available full run. Demographic and/or geographic inserts are limited to three per issue.
   b) Acceptance: A sample of the insert must be submitted to the Publisher for approval.

2. Insert Charges: Furnished inserts billed at the earned black-and-white-space rate on a page-for-page basis. Commissionable.

3. Sizes and Specifications: All inserts must be full size, supplied untrimmed, printed, folded (except single leaf), and ready for tipping/binding. Varnished inserts are acceptable at the Publisher’s discretion. Inserts are jogged to foot.

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<td>4, 6, 8 page</td>
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4. Trimming: Supply size: 8¼” x 11¼”. Trim size 8⅝” x 10⅛”. Trimming of oversized inserts will be charged at cost. Keep live matter ¼” from trim edges and ¾” from gutter trim. Book is jogged to foot. Head, foot, and outside edge trim ⅛”.

5. BRCs:
   a) Pricing: Contact your Sales Representative for prices.
   b) BRC Specifications: 3½” x 5” minimum to 4⅛” x 6” maximum; perforated with ½” lip (from perforation) for binding. Add ⅛” for foot trim. Cardstock minimum: 75# bulk or higher.

6. Quantity: Full run — 23,000 (estimated). Exact quantity will be given upon Publisher’s approval of insert or call Publisher prior to closing date.

7. Shipping: Carton packing must have publication name, issue date, and insert quantity clearly marked. Inserts shipped in e-containers cannot be verified and Healio Strategic Solutions will not be responsible for shortages on press. Make sure all pieces are oriented the same way in the carton (all facing the same direction). Do not include slip sheets in between pieces or shrink wrap in bundles. Additional costs will be incurred if hand work is necessary to remove slip sheets and/or shrink wrapping.
# 2024 Editorial Calendar

**Print**

*Note: Editorial content subject to change*

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