

Healthy People 2010 Operational Definition

14-28. Increase hepatitis B vaccine coverage among high-risk groups.

14-28a. Long-term hemodialysis patients.

National Data Source	Annual Survey of Chronic Hemodialysis Centers, CDC, NCHHSTP and CMS.
State Data Source	Not identified.
Healthy People 2000 Objective	Not applicable.
Changes since the 2000 Publication	None.
Measure	Percent.
Baseline (Year)	35 (1995)
Target	90
Target-Setting Method	157 percent improvement. For a discussion of target-setting methods, see Part A, section 4.
Numerator	Number of patients receiving chronic hemodialysis who have ever received at least three doses of hepatitis B vaccine.
Denominator	Number of patients receiving chronic hemodialysis.
Population Targeted	U.S. chronic hemodialysis patient population.
Questions Used To Obtain the National Baseline Data	From the 1995 Annual Survey of Chronic Hemodialysis Centers: <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ <i>How many patients were assigned to your hemodialysis center as of (date of survey)?</i>➤ <i>How many of these patients had ever in their lives received at least 3 doses of hepatitis B vaccine?</i>
Expected Periodicity	Annual.
Comments	See Appendix A for focus area contact information.

