Future Directions

The intervention of customized pharmaceutical care had positive impact on the economic, clinical, and humanistic outcomes (ECHO model) in the Indian HD patients. The government of India has released an official gazette notification in the month of January 2015 to provide the clinical pharmacy services to patients. The government should mandate to implement the customized pharmaceutical care plan to all the chronic disease patients for the better patient care. The stakeholders, government, regulators and policy makers should realize the significance of pharmacoeconomics and outcomes research data while preparing and implementing the budget for the healthcare. The review of literature suggests that there is no nation-wide level registry for ESRD patients in the country. Our study results will help the stakeholders, government, regulators and policy makers optimize and frame adequate funds to combat the plight of ESRD patients. Our study results will form the base for conducting the willingness to pay analysis for HD patients.