2. OBJECTIVES

Primary Objective:

To assess the impact of Pharmaceutical Care on the Health Related Quality of Life (HRQoL) among the Chronic Kidney Disease patients on Hemodialysis.

Secondary objectives:

- To determine the validity and reliability of Kannada version of the Kidney Disease and Quality of Life (KDQoL-36) instrument for Hemodialysis patients.

- To develop, validate and perform user-testing of Pictogram based-Patient Information Leaflets (P-PILs) for Hemodialysis patients.

- To assess the impact of Pharmaceutical Care in hemoglobin levels, interdialytic weight gain, blood pressure, medication adherence and cost on Hemodialysis patients.