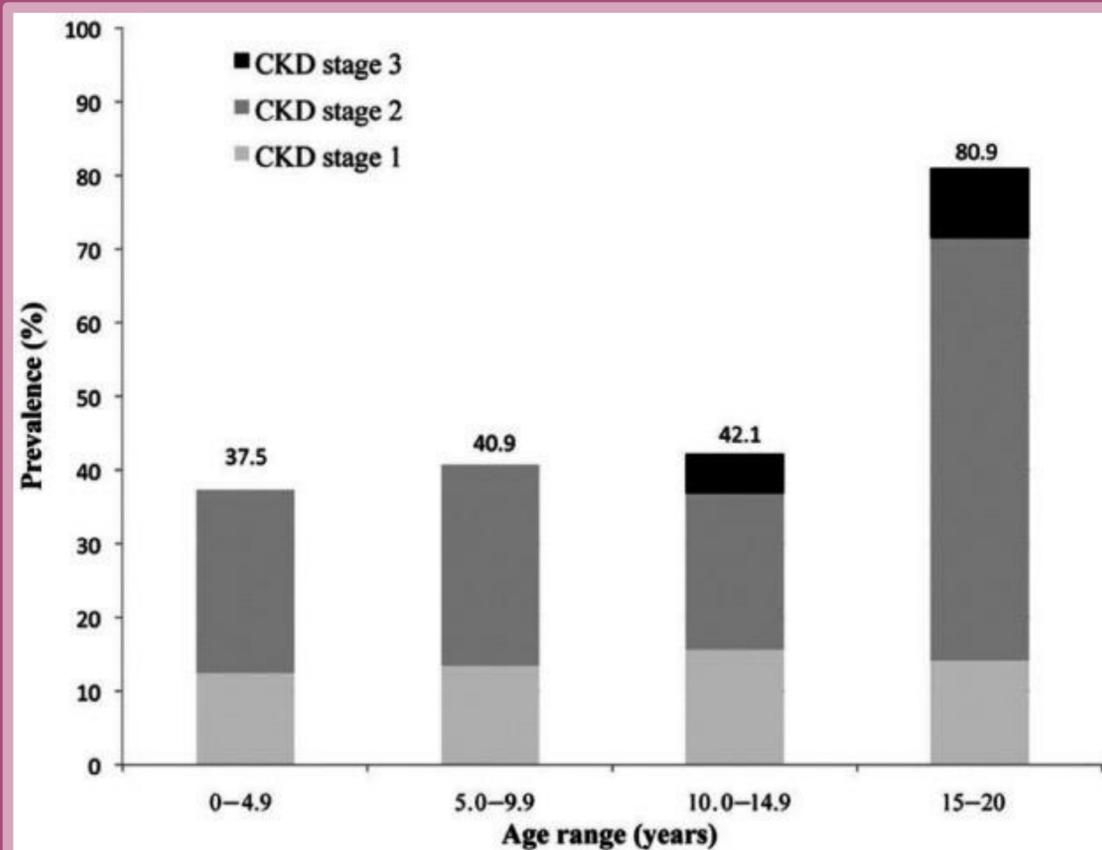
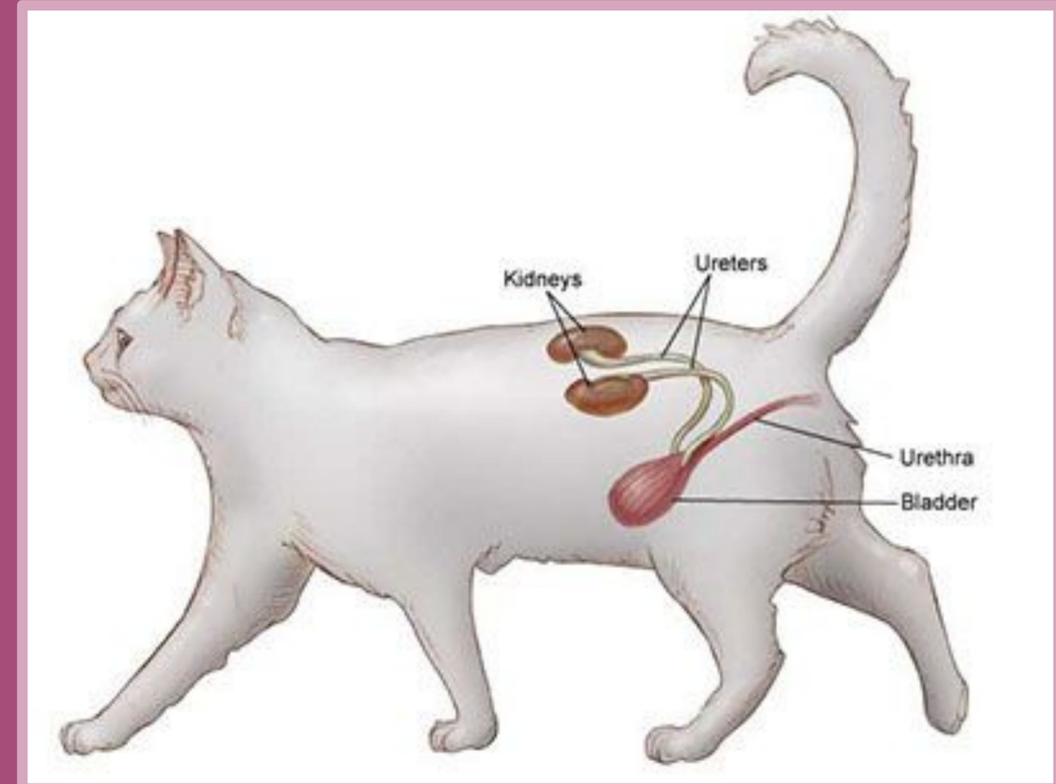


What External Factors Affect the Risk of Chronic Kidney Disease in Felines?

Importance:

- Feline CKD affects more than 10% of senior cats and the percentage increases with age
- Animal medicine shares many similarities with human medicine, so this research could provide insights for both
- Identifying risk factors could lead to early detection and improve cats quality of life and longevity
- This topic is relevant to me and many others



How My Research is Different:

- Local survey data
- Specific to Feline CKD
- Unique factors like geography and socioeconomic status
- Combines meta analysis and original data collection

How I will conduct my Research:

- Survey data from Laguna Beach
- Factor Analysis
- Meta-analysis
- Quantitative: numbers, age, diet frequency
- Qualitative: observations, lifestyle, environment