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Figure 1
Number of Certification Examinations Administered in 2016
(N = 5,028)

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<th>Credential</th>
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<td>CNN</td>
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CNN-NP = 6

Figure 2
Percentage of Participants Passing Certification Examinations in 2016

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<td>CDN</td>
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Current Certificants: January to December 2016

Note: Figures 3 - 8 identify the total number of current certificates by credential, by state.

Figure 3
Certified Nephrology Nurses (CNNs) By State
(N = 4,101)

Totals as of December 31, 2016

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Figure 4
Certified Dialysis Nurses (CDNs) By State
(N = 1,782)

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Figure 5
Certified Clinical Hemodialysis Technicians (CCHTs) By State
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