

person presents with an illness with no clear acute component and has any of the following:

- chronic kidney disease, especially [stage 3B, 4 or 5 as shown in table 1](#), or urological disease
- new onset or significant worsening of urological symptoms
- symptoms suggesting complications of acute kidney injury
- symptoms or signs of a multi-system disease affecting the kidneys and other organ systems (for example, signs or symptoms of acute kidney injury, plus a purpuric rash). **[2013]**

Assessing risk factors in adults having iodine-based contrast media

- 1.1.5 Discuss the benefits and risks of tests or treatments that use iodine-based contrast media with the person, and their family members and carers if appropriate. Follow the [recommendations in the NICE guideline on shared decision making](#). **[2024]**
- 1.1.6 Be aware that there is a small but increased risk of acute kidney injury associated with an eGFR less than 30 ml/min/1.73 m². **[2024]**

Emergency department and urgent inpatient settings

- 1.1.7 Do not delay the use of iodine-based contrast media in an emergency if the risk of delaying the contrast media is likely to be clinically significant. **[2024]**

Outpatient, non-urgent inpatient and community settings

- 1.1.8 Before requesting a non-urgent iodine-based contrast media CT scan, assess whether the person has pre-existing kidney disease. **[2024]**