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What is your national data? This question haunts us at every international meeting. We try to justify our understanding of the disease and how it behaves in our population based on our personal experiences and small number of cases. This however carries a big question mark due to lack of any studies and registries.

PJKD has provided a forum for documenting the data from individual centers. This could provide a source to combine the data and present as a national data. This month kidney biopsy registry form Fatima Memorial hospital of 260 biopsies sheds some light from 2010-2013. I am sure further reports of data will help in highlighting the current trends in the incidence of various glomerulonephritidies.

In our Biennial conference of Nephrology in March we expect to see abstracts submitted on the incidence of glomerulonephritis among others from various nephrology centers.

Further collaboration and interaction is expected to enhance the data collection and understanding of the diseases.

Web application has been made for the conference including an important portal to interact with the international speakers. This will enhance the communication and bringing together the international and national centers for collaboration.