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This year has been a year of chaos unleashed by the pandemic COVID-19. No country or community has been immune to its effects. The social, financial and medical impact on the lives of patients and their physicians has been felt with very high intensity. The resilience of the medical profession to deal with this turmoil has been excellent. We have learnt a lot and will continue to improve our health indicators in the future.

This last issue of the year 2020 has important contributions. The article by Zarkoon et.al. highlights the importance of prompt management of AKI and its impact on CKD. AKI has drawn significant attention from the international societies and working groups since it leads to CKD in majority of patients. Pregnancy associated AKI highlights the care provided to the female population where a normal pregnancy turns into a catastrophe quite frequently. Besides the acute management issues, it is important that our primary care physicians and first contact peripheral health care facilities are updated about simple measures and precautions to improve the outcomes locally or till the patient lands in the tertiary care facility.

International society of Nephrology 0By25 initiative has been an important starting point to decrease the AKI incidence to zero percent. The target though overzealous in our circumstances, if followed and applied will help in improving the AKI awareness as well as incidence. We hope that more of such publications will highlight the outcomes of AKI in our community at different geographical areas, thus providing strategies to identify and manage AKI in these areas.