Questions to ask my doctor about a nephrologist referral

Please print this page and discuss the following questions with your doctor.

Questions	Doctor response
With the kidney problems I have been having, would this be the appropriate time to see a nephrologist?	
If not, at what point should I see one?	
What steps can we take to better manage my kidney disease and stop the progression of damage? Are there any medicines I should avoid? Do I need a special diet because of my kidney disease?	

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