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## **DPC KIDNEY CHAT GUIDELINES**

## **PARTICIPANTS**

- We choose whether to listen only or participate in the discussion.
- We respect each other's journey and experiences. •
- We listen without interruption to others. ٠
- We share our experience and wait if someone starts talking before us. •
- We do not talk over someone else. •
- We do not criticize other participants. •
- We do not gripe or complain about specific staff or facilities.

## **FACILITATORS**

- We start off and end each meeting on time.
- We keep the discussion flowing.
- We create a positive environment for participation.
- We keep people from talking over each other. We keep the meeting from becoming a gripe and complaint session.

## **DPC EDUCATION CENTER**

- You can receive reminders of the meetings if you sign up.
- You can send us suggestions for future meetings.
- You can share feedback about your experience being on the support group.

Contact us at: info@DPCEdCenter.org or call (855) 291-3725

