

Quality Insights
Renal Network 3

## PATIENT MENTOR PROFILE

## KIDNEY TOPIC THIS MENTOR CAN HELP YOU WITH:

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- ESRD OVERVIEW * NEW TO DIALYSIS <br> - HOME DIALYSIS * SUPPORT CHOICES <br> - TRANSPLANT
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## PATIENT MENTOR:

## HAKEEN WILKINS

## EXPERIENCE

I am a high school graduate, looking to return back to work as a train conductor for NJ Transit. I started peritoneal dialysis in 2016, which I did for 4 years before having to return back to hemodialysis in 2020 due to an infection. I did hemodialysis for 2 years before receiving my kidney transplant on April 2022. Transplant is going well, as I'm very diligent in taking my anti-rejection medication on the regular.

## HOBBIES \& INTERESTS

I enjoy going out to eat, being around friends and traveling. Kidney awareness is near and dear to my heart because when I first started dialysis I didn't have anyone to talk to. Therefore, I feel that I would be a great mentor to educate others who are about to start or are already on dialysis.

To connect with this or a different patient mentor please speak with your facility staff or contact:

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