Every time you take medicine, supplements or any kind of pill you are damaging your

KIDNEYS

HEAVY METALS
CONTAMINATION
ESPECIALLY
CADMIUM
CAN CAUSE
IRREVERSIBLE
KIDNEY
DAMAGE

TAKE
SUPPLEMENTS
OR VITAMINS
ONLY FOR A
VERY SHORT
DURATION
TO AVOID KIDNEY
DAMAGE

VITAMIN B

In diabetics with advanced kidney disease high doses of Vitamin B (folate, B6 and B12) may worsen kidney function and cause heart attacks

VITAMIN C

Taking high doses of Vitamin C (1g or more daily), has been associated with an increased risk of kidney stones

TURMERIC

If you are on an immuno suppressive drug, taking very large amounts of turmeric (curcumin) may lead to kidney damage

PUIASSIUM CALCIUM MAGNESIUM PHOSPHORUS

Too much has the potential to affect kidney function

HERBAL Supplements

Those on dialysis or received a kidney transplant should avoid herbal supplements

Potassium rich supplements may need to be limited in people with kidney disease.

Alfalfa American Ginseng Bai Zhi (root), Bitter Melon (fruit, leaf) Black Mustard (leaf), Blessed Thistle, Chervit (leaf), Chicory (leaf), Chinese Boxthorn (leaf), Coriander (leaf), Dandelion (root, leaf), Dulse, Evening Primrose, Feverfew, Garlic (leaf), Genipap (fruit) Gotu Kola, Japanese Honeysuckle (flower), Kelp Kudzu (shoot), Lemongrass, Mugwort, Noni, Papaya (leaf, fruit), Purslane Sage (leaf) Safflower (flower), Sassafras, Scullcap, Shepherd's Purse, Stinging Nettle (leaf), Turmeric (rhizome), Water Lotus

Phospherous rich supplements may need to be limited in people with kidney disease.

American Ginseng Bitter Melon Borage (leaf)
Buchu (leaf) Coriander (leaf) Evening
Primrose, Feverfew, Flaxseed (seed)
Horseradish (root) Indian Sorrel (seed), Milk
Thistle Onion (leaf) Pokeweed (shoot)
Purslane Shepherd's Purse, Silk Cotton Tree
(seed) Stinging Nettle (leaf) Sunflower
(seed), Turmeric (rhizome) Water Lotus,
Yellow Dock

Herbal supplements that are dangerous for patients on Kidney dialysis, any stage of kidney disease, or who have had a kidney transplant

Astragalus, Barberry, Cat's Claw, Apium Graveolens, Creatine, Goldenrod, Horsetail Huperzinea, Java Tea Leaf, Licorice Root Nettle, Stinging Nettle, Oregon Grape Root, Parsley Root Pennyroyal Ruta Graveolens, Uva Ursi, Yohimbe

