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MDRD 4 Variable Formula

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A formula to estimate glomerular filtration rate that takes into account age, sex, race, and serum creatinine (Scr). $eGFR (mL/min/1.73 m^2) = 186 \times (Scr)^{-1.154} \times (Age)^{-0.203} \times (0.742 \text{ if female}) \times (1.210 \text{ if African American})$. (Levey AS, Bosch JP, Lewis JB, Greene T, Rogers N, Roth D. A more accurate method to estimate glomerular filtration rate from serum creatinine: a new prediction equation. Modification of Diet in Renal Disease Study Group. *Ann Intern Med*. 1999;130:461-70.)