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Acute Kidney Injury (AKI) can occur when:

? There?s a sudden, serious drop in blood flow to the kidneys. Heavy blood loss, an injury, or a bad infection called sepsis can reduce blood flow to the kidneys. Not enough fluid in the body (dehydration) also can harm the kidneys.

? There's direct damage to your kidneys from medications or injury.

?There?s a sudden blockage that prevents urine from flowing out of the kidneys.

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