

Supplemental images

A normal human kidney from a 70-year-old donor (which could not be transplanted for other reasons) was examined by Serial Block Face Scanning Electron Microscopy (120 slices, 0,15 μm thick). In the lower right quadrant, the vascular pole of a glomerulus is shown. Bowman's capsule is lined partially by PECs (on the left) and by fully differentiated podocytes (on the right), which project foot processes to Bowman's capsule as well as to the adjacent capillary loops.

