

NHS BLOOD AND TRANSPLANT

LIVER ADVISORY GROUP

OUTCOME OF APPEALS

INTRODUCTION

- 1 This report provides information on all patients referred to the National Appeals Panel over the period from 1 November 2017 to 30 April 2018. It includes the outcome of the appeal and the patient's status as at 30th April 2018, unless otherwise indicated.

OUTCOME

- 2 Between 1 November 2017 and 30 April 2018, there were nine patients referred to the National Appeals Panel (six for the elective list and three for the super-urgent list). **Table 1** summarises these.
- 3 Of the six patients referred to the National Appeal Panel for elective registration, four patients were accepted and one received a transplant (patient at Leeds). The patient who received a liver transplant at Leeds was known to be alive at 90 days post-transplant.
- 4 Of the three patients referred to the National Appeal Panel for super-urgent registration, all patients were accepted and one received a transplant (patient at Edinburgh). The patient at Edinburgh has subsequently been re-registered for their third liver transplant two days after receiving their second transplant.

Table 1 Summary of appeals, 1 November 2017 - 30 April 2018

Centre	No. referred	No. accepted	No.txd	Other info	Post transplant outcome
ELECTIVE REGISTRATION					
Leeds	1	1	1		Patient alive with functioning graft 90 days post-transplant
King's College	3	2	0		
Birmingham	2	1	0		
Total	6	4	1		
SUPER-URGENT REGISTRATION					
Royal Free	1	1	0	Patient was removed due to condition deteriorating and died	Patient was re-registered for third liver transplant two days post second transplant
Dublin	1	1	0	Patient not registered due to condition deteriorating	
Edinburgh	1	1	1		
Total	3	3	1		

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