

The Human Tissue (Authorisation) (Scotland) Bill

- The Human Tissue (Authorisation) (Scotland) Bill was passed by the Scottish Parliament on 11 June and Royal Assent was granted on 18 July.
- There will be at least 12 months before the new system is introduced in Scotland to ensure that people have information about the new system and what their choices are. An awareness raising campaign will be launched as part of Organ Donation Week 2019.
- Oversight of implementation will be monitored by a Programme Board which will meet every two months from 30 September.
- An Implementation Team, covering a number of workstreams, will meet fortnightly from 31 July.

Post 2020 Plan for Scotland

- Work has commenced on the post 2020 Organ and Tissue Donation and Transplantation Plan for Scotland with early themes identified by the Scottish Donation and Transplant Group.
- We are working closely with National Services Division on their successor to the '[Commissioning Transplantation to 2020](#)' document. A small working group and wider stakeholder group are being established.

Organ and Tissue Donation and Transplantation in Scotland Report Card

- The [Organ and Tissue Donation and Transplantation in Scotland Report Card for 2018/19](#) was published on 18 July.