

**NHS BLOOD AND TRANSPLANT
ORGAN DONATION AND TRANSPLANTATION DIRECTORATE**

KIDNEY ADVISORY GROUP

SUMMARY FROM STATISTICS AND CLINICAL STUDIES

INTRODUCTION

- 1 This paper provides an update from Statistics and Clinical Studies and summarises recent presentations, publications and current and future work in the area of kidney transplantation.

UPDATE FROM STATISTICS AND CLINICAL STUDIES

- 2 The new kidney and pancreas offering schemes went live on 11 September 2019 following a slight delay due to technical specifications of hardware.
- 3 All Advisory Group papers and conference presentations continue to be posted on the ODT Clinical Site www.odt.nhs.uk. The 2018/19 Annual Transplant Activity Report was published in July 2019 showing a 2% increase in the number of deceased donors but a 2% fall in the number of deceased donor transplants, compared with the previous year.
- 4 Organ Specific Annual Reports for 2018/19 have been published, including the Annual Report for Kidney transplantation and Living Donor Kidney Transplantation.
- 5 Infographics are in development to accompany the Organ Specific Reports which will summarise key information found in the reports. These will be available on the ODT Clinical Site soon, with a survey to seek feedback.
- 6 Please note our current arrangements for staff responsibilities in support of organs and tissues.

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PRESENTATIONS

CLINICAL FELLOWS

- 7 There are currently three clinical fellows working with the Statistics team across areas of organ transplantation; Maria Ibrahim working in abdominal organ utilisation supervised by Professor John Forsythe and Mr Chris Callaghan, George Greenhall working in malignancy in transplantation supervised by Professor Chris Watson and Mr Chris Callaghan, and Gillian Hardman in cardiothoracic transplantation supervised by Professor John Dark and Ms Karen Booth.

CURRENT AND FUTURE WORK

- 8 Monitoring of the new Kidney Offering Scheme is ongoing and the first formal report of 6-months of the scheme will be presented at the next advisory group meeting.
- 9 Interim Annual Report on Kidney Transplantation to be produced in early 2020.
- 10 Updated versions of the relative chance of transplant tools for deceased donor kidney transplantation and the UKLKSS are currently being developed.

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