

**Organ Donation and Transplantation Activity Data:
ENGLAND**

Annual data for financial years 2015/16 to 2019/20
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Summary Figures	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Organ Donors*					
Donors after brain death (DBD)	665	680	824	816	789
Donors after circulatory death (DCD)	489	497	534	555	560
Total deceased donors	1,154	1,177	1,358	1,371	1,349
Living donors	893	839	872	837	781
Transplant Waiting List (active)^**					
Total patients on active list (end of period)	5,561	5,406	5,125	5,116	4,704
Organ Transplants^					
Deceased donor transplants	2,931	3,155	3,409	3,353	3,210
Living donor transplants	880	826	863	830	787
Total organ transplants	3,811	3,981	4,272	4,183	3,997
Organ Donor Register (ODR) (end of period)					
Number of people opted-in to the ODR	18,031,765	18,787,022	19,625,565	20,511,326	21,174,369
Percentage of population opted-in to the ODR	32	34	35	37	38
Number of people opted-out from the ODR	11,160	27,494	329,968	448,405	1,284,885

Organ Transplants^	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
Deceased donor (DD) transplants by organ					
Kidney	1721	1876	2035	2070	1967
Pancreas	15	15	16	16	13
Kidney/pancreas***	141	141	146	139	132
Pancreas islets	12	16	11	13	11
Heart	167	163	170	158	151
Lung(s)	154	150	168	138	130
Heart/lung	6	2	9	2	5
Liver/lobe	679	763	809	787	766
Intestinal	13	14	21	19	19
Other (multi-organ)	23	15	24	11	16
Total DD transplants	2931	3155	3409	3353	3210
Living donor (LD) transplants by organ type					
Kidney	848	800	834	810	769
Liver	32	26	28	20	18
Intestinal	0	0	1	0	0
Total LD transplants	880	826	863	830	787
Total organ transplants	3811	3981	4272	4183	3997

Note: There have been a reduced number of organ transplants performed due to the CoVID-19 pandemic. Transplants are still going ahead if it is safe and appropriate to do so, with transplant clinicians assessing individual cases and the current situation in their own hospital. For more information please see [here](#).

Transplant Waiting List ^{^**}	At 31-Mar-16	At 31-Mar-17	At 31-Mar-18	At 31-Mar-19	At 31-Mar-20
Number of patients on transplant list					
Kidney	4418	4289	4141	4049	3678
Kidney/pancreas ^{***}	149	152	144	155	92
Pancreas (+islets)	31	22	25	30	8
Heart	203	203	231	234	278
Lung(s)	272	289	284	275	285
Heart/lung	10	13	10	10	4
Liver	428	387	255	324	313
Intestinal	6	9	6	10	16
Other (multi-organ)	44	42	29	29	30
Total number of patients on the list	5561	5406	5125	5116	4704

* Based on donors from English, Channel Island and Isle of Man hospitals

[^] Transplant waiting list and transplants based on English, Channel Island and Isle of Man postcode of residence of patient

^{**} Excludes patients temporarily suspended from the transplant list

^{***} Includes kidney & pancreas islets.

NOTE: All data as recorded on 8 April 2020 and subject to change as UK Transplant Registry updated.

Current waiting list figures do not accurately reflect the need for an organ transplant due to the CoVID-19 pandemic. Different practices have been established across the UK and across organ groups with regards to waiting list management. Some transplant centres have closed whilst keeping all patients active on their waiting lists with other centres suspending all patients that they would not consider for a transplant. Please see [here](#) to find out the latest information on transplant centre closures and restrictions.

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