

NHS BLOOD AND TRANSPLANT

KIDNEY ADVISORY GROUP

SUMMARY FROM STATISTICS AND CLINICAL RESEARCH

INTRODUCTION

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

UPDATE FROM STATISTICS AND CLINICAL STUDIES

- 2 All Advisory Group papers and conference presentations continue to be posted on the ODT Clinical Site www.odt.nhs.uk. The Interim Organ Specific Reports for April to September 2020 have been published, including the report for Kidney transplantation. In addition, the Renal Unit Annual Report for Kidney transplantation for 2019/20 has also been published.
- 3 Please note our current arrangements for staff responsibilities in support of organs and tissues.

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CLINICAL FELLOWS

- 4 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

- 5 Work on the Organ Donation and Transplantation Activity report for 2020/21 is underway. Work on the Kidney Transplantation and Living Donor kidney Transplantation annual report for 2020/21 will begin shortly.
- 6 Providing support to centres in response to operational challenges as a result of COVID-19. This has included supporting the mass suspension and reactivation of patients, modifying donor age criteria and providing regular activity data.
- 7 Monitoring of the 2019 National Kidney Offering Scheme is ongoing and a report on activity in the first 12-months of the scheme was presented at the advisory group meeting in November 2020 and at the British Transplantation Society Annual Congress in February 2021.

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