

Transplant Assessment

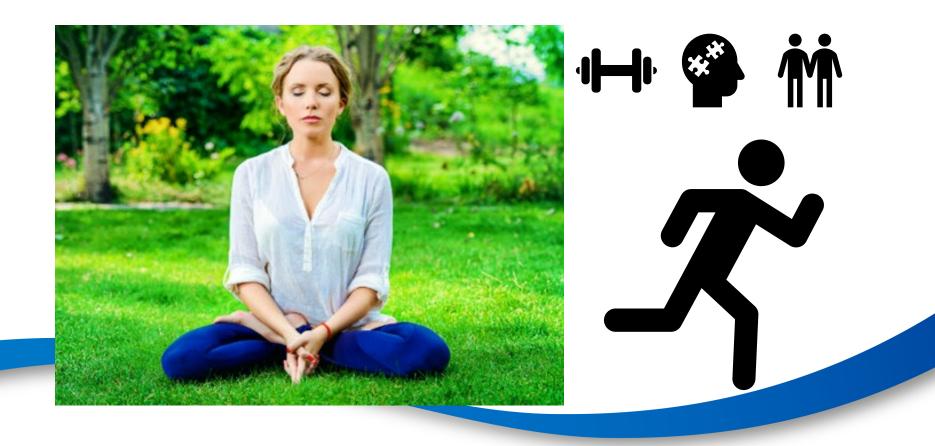
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Holistic preparation







Meeting listing criteria



Indications for Heart Transplantation

- Advanced heart failure usually secondary to ischaemic heart disease or idiopathic dilated cardiomyopathy with severe systolic ventricular dysfunction
- Severe ventricular dysfunction secondary to valve disease
- Diastolic dysfunction usually secondary to idiopathic restrictive or hypertrophic cardiomyopathy

Heart failure secondary to congenital heart disease

https://nhsbtdbe.blob.core.windows.net/umbraco-assets-corp/26637/pol229.pdf



Indications for Lung Transplantation

- Diffuse Parenchymal Lung Disease
- Obstructive lung disease
- Pulmonary vascular
- Suppurative lung disease
- Children's Interstitial Lung Disease
- Obliterative Bronchioloitis (Paediatric only)

https://nhsbtdbe.blob.core.windows.net/umbraco-assets-corp/26636/pol231.pdf



Indications for Liver Transplantation

- Acute liver failure
- Chronic liver disease (Cirrhosis)
- Specific liver tumours
- Variant syndromes
- Congenital liver vascular malformations (paediatrics)
- Metabolic liver disease with life-threatening extra-hepatic complications (paediatrics)

https://nhsbtdbe.blob.core.windows.net/umbraco-assets-corp/27372/pol195-120822.pdf



Indications for Kidney Transplantation

• All patients with end-stage renal failure, who might benefit from transplantation, should be assessed for transplantation

https://nhsbtdbe.blob.core.windows.net/umbraco-assets-corp/27374/pol184-120822.pdf



Indications for Pancreas / Islet Blood and Transplant Transplantation

Pancreas transplant alone / islet transplant alone	Patients with severe hypoglycaemic unawareness and insulin treated diabetes, but normal or near-normal renal function
Simultaneous pancreas and kidney transplant / Simultaneous islet and kidney transplant	Patients with renal failure and insulin treated diabetes
Pancreas after kidney transplant / islet after kidney transplant	Patients with functioning kidney transplants and insulin treated diabetes

https://nhsbtdbe.blob.core.windows.net/umbraco-assets-corp/17326/pancreas-selection-policy-pol185.pdf



Contraindications to transplantation

Absolute Contraindications

- Uncontrolled cancer
- Active systemic infections
- Any condition with a life expectancy <2 years

Relative Contraindications

- Age related comorbidity
- Predicted patient survival of <5 years
- Predicted risk of graft loss greater than 50% at 1 year
- Patients unable or unlikely to adhere with immunosuppressant therapy
- Immunosuppression predicted to cause life-threatening complications





Tests and Consultations

Blood work, Virology, ABO type

ECG, Echo, Right Heart Catheter, CPEX

CXR, Chest CT, MRI, Lung function

Physicians, Surgeons, Anaesthetists, Transplant Coordinator, Social Worker, Psychologist/Psychiatrist, Dietician



Transplant Risk Communication (TRAC) tools



What might patients want to know?

What is my expected post-What is my expected survival now? transplant survival? Can estimate How long can I expect to wait for an using data from organ? **UK Transplant** What are my chances of removal Registry from the list? Projected timeline of events for organ transplant recipient Should I be listed for Should I accept this organ? transplantation? If I say no, how much longer will I wait?



Blood and Transplant



https://www.odt.nhs.uk/transplantation/tools-policies-and-guidance/

Blood and Transplant

Tools, policies and guidance

Find and download further resources specific to transplantation

Calculators

Access calculators specific to organ transplantation

» Access the tools

SaBTO Aide Memoire

To aid decision making around donors with potentially transmissible diseases

» Access the guide

Risk communication tools

These tools are to help decision-making when considering a transplant.

»Access the tools

Policies and guidance

Policies and guidance relating to organ transplantation

>> Download now

SaBTO

Further information about guidance from SaBTO

>> Find out more

Allocation zones

Information about current zonal organ allocation systems

>> Find out more



Multidisciplinary Team Meeting Outcomes

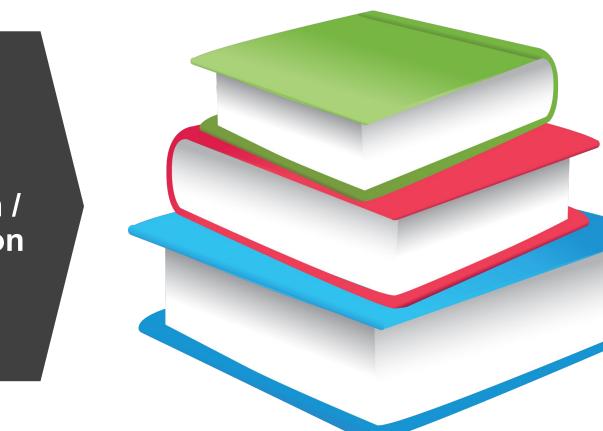
Too Early

Needs further investigations / review / assessment

Decline on contraindications or risk/benefit profile (offer a second opinion)

List for transplant





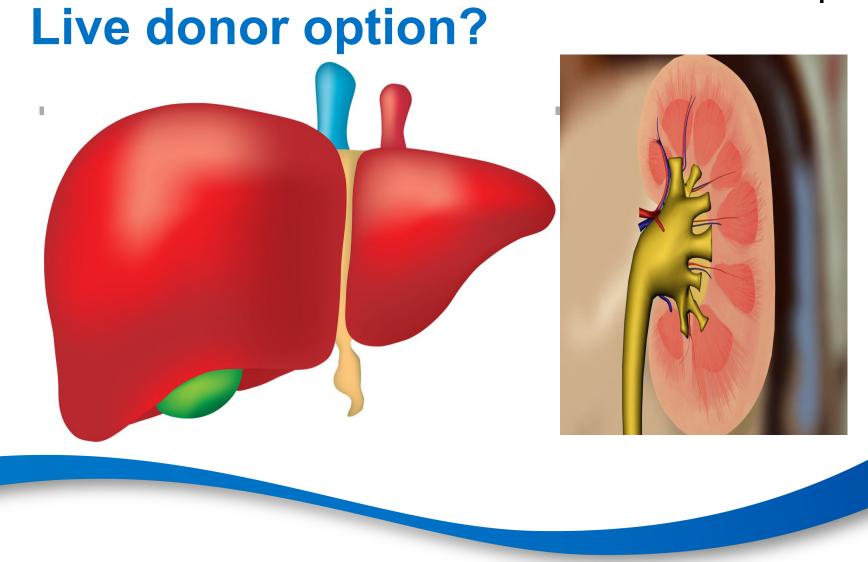
Early education / information





Donor choices







Guiding Principles

- Transplantation is not contraindicated
- Suitably matched organ and need for organ
- Good chance of surviving the transplant operation
- Adequate blood supply and 'space' for new organ
- The patient will be able to look after their new organ(s)



Questions?

