

NHS BLOOD AND TRANSPLANT
CARDIOTHORACIC ADVISORY GROUP

LUNG ADVISORY GROUP WORKPLAN – SEPTEMBER 2013

FIXED TERM PROJECTS

Title	Planned completion date	Current priority	S&CS resource reqd
1 Agree new zonal boundaries	Oct 2013	***	**
2 Write lung selection policy	Mar 2014	**	
Write lung allocation policy	Mar 2014	**	**
3 Lung allocation working party			
Data collection for super-urgent scheme agreed and IT project raised	Nov 2013	***	**
Analysis of factors affecting outcome after transplantation	Dec 2013	**	***
Analysis of factors affecting outcome on the transplant list	Dec 2013	**	***
Analysis of access for paediatric patients	Dec 2013	**	**
Standardisation of MDT processes for centre-based prioritisation	Dec 2013	**	
4 Analysis of impact of ischaemia time on lung transplant outcomes	Mar 2014	*	**

ONGOING PROJECTS

Title	Planned completion date	Current priority	S&CA resource reqd
1 Liaison with patient groups	Annually	**	*

REGULAR REPORTS

	Title	Frequency	Current priority	Time taken
1	Summary of CUSUM signals	Twice yearly	**	< 2 hours
2	Production of retrieval report	Twice yearly	*	< 2 hours
3	Hearts and lungs unsuitable for offering	Annually	**	Two days
4	Zonal activity review	Annually	**	One day
5	Centre specific reports for the website	Annually	**	One day
6	Centre specific reports for CTAG	Annually	**	One day
7	National stds for donor id, care and mgmt	Annually	*	Half day
8	Prolonged registrations	Annually	*	Half day
9	Fast track scheme review	Biennial	*	One day
10	Review of Manch-Bham lung arrangement	Biennial	*	Half day

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