

**NHS Blood and Transplant (NHSBT)
Organ Donation and Transplantation Patient Consent Scheme**

Feedback for Cardiothoracic Advisory Group (March 2014)

Members will be aware that NHSBT patient consent scheme for obtaining explicit consent for use of personal data for registration, organ allocation and transplant follow-up was rolled out to all Cardiac transplant centres on 1 October 2005.

Reports are sent to centres on a monthly basis and monitor consent for the period dated April 2008 – February 2014. Of the 2865 patients who were registered on the national list for a cardiac transplant, 99% have given consent for use of their personal data.

Further detail is provided in the table below.

Centre	Total Registrations	Consent forms outstanding	Percentage collected
Newcastle Freeman	747	1	99
Papworth Hospital	545	0	100
Harefield Hospital	579	2	99
Manchester, Wythenshawe Hospital	374	2	99
Glasgow, Golden Jubilee	96	0	100
London, Great Ormond Street	222	0	100
Birmingham, Queen Elizabeth	302	0	100
TOTALS	2965	5	99

I would like to take this opportunity to thank centres for their continuing support in ensuring the success of the Scheme in all Cardiac Centres.

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