

NHS BLOOD AND TRANSPLANT

LIVER ADVISORY GROUP

Activity, utilisation and outcomes score card.

This will attempt to capture the key metrics of transplant activity with respect to overall patterns and variance between centres on a single visual presentation. It will be updated more regularly than the current 6 monthly reports. Centre activity will be anonymous but each centre will be able to identify their own data. Proposed metrics include:

Overall transplant activity

Transplant activity normalised to waiting list size

Waiting-times to transplantation by blood group

Waiting-list mortality

First-offer utilisation rates

Index of aggressiveness of organ utilisation (AJT 2013;13:936-42)

30 day mortality

Retransplantation rates

In the first instance these will be used to detect trends in current position but ultimately will be used to assess effectiveness of changes in allocation system.