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3: Action by NHS hospitals and staff will mean that more organs are usable and surgeons are better supported to transplant organs safely into the most appropriate recipient.	Improve donor management for potential cardiothoracic donors, providing a 24/7 service to assist if pilot schemes prove effective.	NHSBT, NHS	Gerlinda Mandersloot							
	Review what pre-mortem interventions could legally and ethically be undertaken to maximise the potential for organ donation (such as the administration of heparin, elective ventilation etc.).	UK Health Departments, UK Donation Ethics Committee, Professional Bodies	Paul Murphy							
	Evaluate new techniques and technologies for the preservation of retrieved organs with a view to their use in the UK.	NHSBT, Professional Bodies	Karen Quinn							
	Develop a system of peer review that is underpinned by a set of agreed standards for retrieval/transplant centres.	Transplant Commissioners, NHSBT, Professional Bodies	James Neuberger							
	Provide guidance on levels of acceptable risk in relation to offered organs, particularly from extended criteria donors, relevant to the individual recipient's needs and wishes.	Professional Bodies, NHSBT	James Neuberger							
	Publish centre-specific risk-adjusted patient survival from listing as well as from transplantation.	NHSBT	James Neuberger							
	Ensure clinicians are aware of and follow, best practice to increase patient and graft survival.	Commissioners, NHSBT, Professional Bodies	James Neuberger							
		Develop a workforce strategy for the organ donation service which will tailor the service to the	NHSBT, NHS	Shane White (Develop ODT Workforce Strategy in line with NHSBT Workforce Strategy)						

s that better support systems and processes will be in place to enable more donations and transplant operations to happen.

needs of individual hospitals and seek to provide a workforce that is focused on supporting the potentially conflicting demands of providing a service to the donor family, donor management and donor co-ordination. This may be configured in one or more roles as the needs of the service dictate.		Anthony Clarkson (Develop ODT Workforce Profile)							
Subject to variations in Government policy, agree a formal contract for organ donation with hospitals specifying how hospitals and the NHSBT donation service work together to achieve excellence	NHSBT, NHS, UK Health Departments/ Commissioners	Karen Quinn							
Regional Collaboratives to lead local improvement in organ donation, retrieval and transplant practices and in local promotion of donation and transplantation.	NHSBT, NHS	Anthony Clarkson (Strengthen collaborative working through regional collaboratives and annual congress)							
		Dale Gardiner (Regional Clinical Leads for Organ Donation (RCLODs), CLODs and Donation Committees roles defined)							
Ensure that transplant centres have the capacity and surgical expertise and other clinical skills to meet the demands for transplantation as donor numbers increase.	Commissioners	Karen Quinn (Evaluate issues around theatre capacity in critical care and recipient centres)							
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Develop training programmes to sustain and increase clinicians' organ donation understanding and expertise.	NHSBT	ADEE							
Optimise the processes, timescales, resources and supporting IT at every stage of the pathway from donor identification to long-term survival.	NHSBT, NHS, Commissioners	SMT							

4: Action by NHSBT and Commissioners meant:

<p>Review the current processes for donor characterisation (especially for microbiology and tissue typing).</p>	<p>NHSBT, Commissioners</p>	<p>Karen Quinn</p>									
<p>Develop and implement a training and accreditation programme for all retrieval surgeons and extend this to supporting post-mortem technologies when these are introduced.</p>	<p>NHSBT, Professional Bodies</p>	<p>Rutger Ploeg</p>									
<p>Investigate the feasibility and implications for the provision of a 24/7 provision of expert histopathology advice.</p>	<p>Commissioners, NHSBT</p>	<p>Karen Quinn</p>									