

**Organ Donation and Transplantation Activity Data:  
UNITED KINGDOM**



**Blood and Transplant**

Annual data for financial years 2020/21 to 2023/24 and data for 2024/25 - first quarter

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Summary Figures	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25 - first quarter
Organ Donors*					
Donors after brain death (DBD)	766	785	772	772	171
Donors after circulatory death (DCD)	414	612	657	738	185
Total deceased donors	1,180	1,397	1,429	1,510	356
Living donors	452	936	961	944	211
Transplant Waiting List (active)^**					
Total patients on active list (end of period)	4,248	6,260	6,950	7,472	7,642
Organ Transplants^					
Deceased donor transplants	2,947	3,414	3,576	3,713	918
Living donor transplants	452	937	961	944	211
Total organ transplants	3,399	4,351	4,537	4,657	1,129
Organ Donor Register (ODR) (end of period) <sup>1</sup>					
Number of people opted-in to the ODR	26,746,406	27,742,774	28,567,574	28,161,705	28,259,952
Percentage of population opted-in to the ODR	40	41	43	42	42
Number of people opted-out from the ODR	2,028,852	2,334,405	2,484,818	2,572,368	2,593,601
Percentage of population opted-out from ODR	3	3	4	4	4

Organ Transplants^	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25 - first quarter
Deceased donor (DD) transplants by organ					
Kidney	1836	2126	2215	2300	563
Pancreas	3	11	8	11	0
Kidney/pancreas***	88	127	126	138	27
Pancreas islets	10	15	13	11	4
Heart	159	175	212	237	65
Lung(s)	88	105	100	135	31
Heart/lung	2	3	1	5	0
Liver/lobe	739	813	865	844	217
Intestinal	12	27	25	22	9
Other (multi-organ)	10	12	11	10	2
Total DD transplants	2947	3414	3576	3713	918
Living donor (LD) transplants by organ type					
Kidney	430	912	926	913	204
Liver	22	25	35	31	7
Total LD transplants	452	937	961	944	211
Total organ transplants	3399	4351	4537	4657	1129

<b>Transplant Waiting List<sup>^**</sup></b>	<b>At 31-Mar-21</b>	<b>At 31-Mar-22</b>	<b>At 31-Mar-23</b>	<b>At 31-Mar-24</b>	<b>At 30-Jun-24</b>
Number of patients on transplant list					
Kidney	3365	4743	5352	5898	6063
Kidney/pancreas <sup>***</sup>	154	251	271	314	325
Pancreas (+islets)	18	27	19	20	22
Heart	309	318	303	281	284
Lung(s)	260	258	290	267	260
Heart/lung	12	10	13	9	9
Liver	108	605	656	631	629
Intestinal	14	14	10	11	10
Other (multi-organ)	8	34	36	41	40
<b>Total number of patients on the list</b>	<b>4248</b>	<b>6260</b>	<b>6950</b>	<b>7472</b>	<b>7642</b>

\* Based on donors from UK hospitals

<sup>^</sup> Transplant waiting list and transplants based on UK postcode of residence of patient

<sup>\*\*</sup> Excludes patients temporarily suspended from the transplant list

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Includes kidney & pancreas islets

<sup>1</sup> Please note that ODR numbers are lower in 2023/24 due to a batch removal of duplicate registrations.

NOTE: All data as recorded on 11 July 2024 and are subject to change as the UK Transplant Registry is updated.

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