

National Organ Utilisation Conference 2025

Shaping the Future of Organ Utilisation

Thursday 13th November 2025

Education Centre, Queen Elizabeth Hospital,

Mindelsohn Way, Edgbaston, Birmingham, B15 2GW

09:00-09:30 Tea / Coffee and Networking

Early Morning Session (plenary): chair Chris Callaghan

09:30-09:40	Welcome and Introduction	Derek Manas (MD, OTDT, NHSBT)
09:40-10:10	Highlights from the Annual Organ Utilisation Report	Jenny Mehew (Principal Statistician, NHSBT)

Early Morning Session (workshop sessions in break-out rooms)

10:10-11:10	Who Should be Making Decisions About Organ Utilisation	Adnan Sharif (Consultant Nephrologist & Transplant Physician, UHB) Laura Stamp (Lead Nurse Recipient Coordinator, NHSBT) Saif Al Nahhas (Heart Recipient)
	Donation, Retrieval and Transplantation - Working Together to Optimise Outcomes	Amit Adlakha (Consultant Intensivist / Lung Transplant Physician, UHB/RF) Thomas Billyard (Consultant Intensivist, UHCW & Regional CLOD, NHSBT) Sarah Mason (National Professional Development Specialist- Organ Donation, NHSBT)
	Trust Engagement and the Organ Utilisation Report. What is Your Role as a CLU Within Trust OU Strategies	Chris Callaghan (AMD Organ Utilisation, NHSBT) Sanjay Sinha (Consultant Surgeon, OUH)

11:10-11:30 Tea / Coffee Break

Late Morning Session (workshop sessions in break-out rooms)

11:30-12:30	Cardiothoracic Community	Andrew Morely-Smith (Lead CLU Heart, NHSBT) Vicky Gerovasili (Lead CLU Lungs, NHSBT)
	Liver Community	Anya Adair (Lead CLU Liver, NHSBT)
	Kidney and Pancreas Community	Shazia Shabir (Medical Lead for Kidney Transplantation, QEH) Rachel Thomas (Lead CLU Kidney, NHSBT)

12:30-13:40 Lunch and Networking

Early Afternoon Session (plenary): Chairs Derek Manas and Vicky Gerovasili

13:40-14:40	Should Organ Utilisation be Incentivised? Thinking Outside the Box. (<i>Debate pro and con with panel discussion</i>)	Chris Callaghan (AMD Organ Utilisation, NHSBT) Rachel Thomas (Lead CLU Kidney, NHSBT)
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14:40-14:50 Comfort Break

Late Afternoon Session (plenary): Chairs Andrew Morley-Smith and Anya Adair

14:50-15:50 How are ARC and SCORE Projects Transforming the Organ Utilisation Landscape in the UK

14:55-15:05	ARC Overview	James Hunter (ARCS Clinical Lead (Kidney), NHSBT) David Nasralla (ARCS Clinical Lead (Liver), NHSBT)
15:05-15:15	SCORE Overview	Julie Whitney (Head of Service Delivery, ODT Hub, NHSBT)
15:15-15:50	Audience Discussion	
15:50-16:00	Wrap Up and Conclusions	Anthony Clarkson (Director, OTDT, NHSBT)

16:00 Close