

Organ Donation and Transplantation Activity Data: ENGLAND



Blood and Transplant

Annual data for financial years 2021/22 to 2024/25 and data for 2025/26 - first 2 quarters

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Summary Figures	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26 - first 2 quarters
Organ Donors*					
Donors after brain death (DBD)	662	647	638	571	261
Donors after circulatory death (DCD)	545	557	631	618	338
Total deceased donors	1,207	1,204	1,269	1,189	599
Living donors	744	751	730	773	382
Transplant Waiting List (active)^**					
Total patients on active list (end of period)	5,404	6,025	6,450	6,948	6,959
Organ Transplants^					
Deceased donor transplants	2,930	3,030	3,168	3,085	1,579
Living donor transplants	743	752	742	772	379
Total organ transplants	3,673	3,782	3,910	3,857	1,958
Organ Donor Register (ODR) (end of period)****					
Number of people opted-in to the ODR	22,491,294	23,230,079	22,852,266	22,965,929	23,154,327
Percentage of population opted-in to the ODR	39	41	40	40	41
Number of people opted-out from the ODR	1,970,281	2,099,950	2,181,945	2,291,308	2,418,573
Percentage of population opted-out from ODR	3	4	4	4	4

Organ Transplants^	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26 - first 2 quarters
Deceased donor (DD) transplants by organ					
Kidney	1850	1921	1996	1943	977
Pancreas	10	6	10	5	5
Kidney/pancreas***	109	99	117	104	50
Pancreas islets	3	5	5	5	5
Heart	136	155	184	152	85
Lung(s)	94	85	112	126	63
Heart/lung	3	1	5	1	2
Liver/lobe	693	727	710	728	383
Intestinal	21	20	18	14	6
Other (multi-organ)	11	11	11	7	3
Total DD transplants	2930	3030	3168	3085	1579
Living donor (LD) transplants by organ type					
Kidney	718	718	711	746	361
Liver	25	34	30	26	18
Intestinal	0	0	1	0	0
Total LD transplants	743	752	742	772	379
Total organ transplants	3673	3782	3910	3857	1958

Transplant Waiting List ^{^**}	At 31-Mar-22	At 31-Mar-23	At 31-Mar-24	At 31-Mar-25	At 30-Sep-25
Number of patients on transplant list					
Kidney	4143	4714	5191	5742	5782
Kidney/pancreas ^{***}	205	227	244	269	269
Pancreas (+islets)	22	14	12	20	23
Heart	268	245	225	240	228
Lung(s)	211	238	211	144	137
Heart/lung	9	12	7	10	10
Liver	502	534	511	483	465
Intestinal	11	8	10	6	14
Other (multi-organ)	33	33	39	34	31
Total number of patients on the list	5404	6025	6450	6948	6959

* Based on donors from English, Channel Island and Isle of Man hospitals

[^] Transplant waiting list and transplants based on English, Channel Island and Isle of Man postcode of residence of patient

^{**} Excludes patients temporarily suspended from the transplant list

^{***} Includes kidney & pancreas islets

^{****} Please note that ODR numbers are lower in 2023/24 due to a batch removal of duplicate registrations.

NOTE: All data as recorded on 12 October 2025 and are subject to change as the UK Transplant Registry is updated.

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