

Organ Donation and Transplantation Activity Data: WALES



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)	38	37	37	35	20
Donors after circulatory death (DCD)	16	27	20	30	21
Total deceased donors	54	64	57	65	41
Living donors	36	43	44	49	17
Transplant Waiting List (active)^**					
Total patients on active list (end of period)	226	243	271	327	338
Organ Transplants^					
Deceased donor transplants	129	155	154	173	91
Living donor transplants	49	51	53	62	21
Total organ transplants	178	206	207	235	112
Organ Donor Register (ODR) (end of period)					
Number of people opted-in to the ODR	1,364,252	1,402,291	1,376,436	1,388,392	1,396,748
Percentage of population opted-in to the ODR	44	45	44	44	45
Number of people opted-out from the ODR	197,982	200,425	188,775	183,986	189,467
Percentage of population opted-out from ODR	6	6	6	6	6

Organ Transplants^	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26 - first 2 quarters
Deceased donor (DD) transplants by organ					
Kidney	83	90	93	103	53
Pancreas	1	2	0	1	0
Kidney/pancreas***	7	9	9	5	4
Pancreas islets	2	1	0	0	0
Heart	5	5	10	9	6
Lung(s)	3	6	10	8	6
Liver/lobe	27	42	31	47	21
Intestinal	0	0	1	0	1
Other (multi-organ)	1	0	0	0	0
Total DD transplants	129	155	154	173	91
Living donor (LD) transplants by organ type					
Kidney	49	51	53	62	21
Total LD transplants	49	51	53	62	21
Total organ transplants	178	206	207	235	112

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	153	171	193	233	249
Kidney/pancreas***	10	14	23	30	26
Pancreas (+islets)	1	0	1	1	2
Heart	11	14	13	14	14
Lung(s)	14	12	9	16	17
Heart/lung	0	0	1	0	1
Liver	37	32	31	32	28
Other (multi-organ)	0	0	0	1	1
Total number of patients on the list	226	243	271	327	338

* Based on donors from Welsh hospitals

^ Transplant waiting list and transplants based on Welsh postcode of residence of patient

** Excludes patients temporarily suspended from the transplant list

*** Includes kidney & pancreas islets

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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