

Organ Donation and Transplantation - Activity figures for the UK as at 28 November 2025

Blood and Transplant

DONOR AND TRANSPLANT ACTIVITY						
	Current year (01.04.25 - 23.11.25)	Previous year (01.04.24 - 23.11.24)	% Change *	Pre-COVID year (01.04.19 - 23.11.19)	% Change *	Previous full financial year (2024/2025)
ORGAN DONORS						
Donors after brain death (DBD)	408	439	-7.1	623	-34.5	676
Donors after circulatory death (DCD)	522	458	14	421	24	728
Total deceased donors (DD)	930	897	3.7	1044	-10.9	1404
Non-proceeding deceased donors (DD) ^a	263	261	0.8	471	-44.2	404
Living donors (LD) - 1 mth in arrears [^]	578	537	7.6	631	-8.4	993
ORGAN TRANSPLANTS						
Deceased donors (DD)						
Kidney	1408	1401	0.5	1515	-7.1	2208
Pancreas	7	4		10		6
Kidney/pancreas ^{^^^}	75	78	-3.8	110	-31.8	122
Pancreas islets	12	6		14	-14.3	14
Heart ^{^^}	144	123	17.1	105	37.1	200
Lung(s)	108	82	31.7	114	-5.3	149
Heart/lung	3	1		5		2
Liver/lobe ^{^^}	576	560	2.9	603	-4.5	867
Intestinal	11	12	-8.3	13	-15.4	17
Other (multi-organ)	6	5		15		7
Total DD transplants	2350	2272	3.4	2504	-6.2	3592
Living donor (LD) - 1 mth in arrears[^]						
Kidney	556	517	7.5	620	-10.3	965
Liver	22	19	15.8	11	100	27
Lung	0	0		0		0
Intestinal	0	0		0		0
Total LD transplants	578	536	7.8	631	-8.4	992
^a patients eligible for donation with consent/authorisation where no organ retrieved for transplant [*] % change only given when both counts > 10 [^] figures to 23.10.25 due to delayed notification of LD transplants ^{^^} includes 'domino' donors / transplants ^{^^^} includes kidney & pancreas islet transplants						

ACTIVE TRANSPLANT LIST					
	Current at 27.11.25		Previous year		End of last year
	Total	(Paediatric <18yrs)	at 30.11.24	% Change	31.03.25
Kidney	6735	(135)	6356	6	6557
Pancreas	5	(0)	5		7
Kidney/pancreas ^{^^^}	346	(0)	333	3.9	344
Pancreas islets	22	(0)	18	22.2	19
Heart	283	(35)	300	-5.7	303
Lung	181	(7)	221	-18.1	183
Heart/lung	10	(1)	9		11
Liver	631	(72)	631	0	623
Intestinal	11	(3)	13	-15.4	8
Other (multi-organ)	37	(5)	45	-17.8	41
TOTAL	8261	(258)	7931	4.2	8096

Note: These figures are subject to change as information is updated