

Offer Decline Scheme – Lung CTAG update

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- Higher Quality Lungs Reviewed (19 months)
 - Total 164
 - Declined by centre with urgent recipient and Tx by different centre: 54
 - Declined on offer: 109
 - Declined after retrieval: 2
- Monthly variation and trends (*interpret trends with caution*)
 - Offers per month: 4-18 (mean: 8)
 - Recent trends:
 - slightly lower number of HQLD (some weeks with no offers)
 - higher %HQLD turned down by centre with urgent recipient but Tx'ed by other centre (ie utilised) - (graph)
 - Summary: higher utilisation of HQLDs (despite lower numbers of HQLD)
 - Thoughts: learning point for HQLD utilised by different centre - ?national lung utilisation meeting

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■ Urgent Recipient where lung declined but transplanted by another centre

■ Higher Quality (HQ) Lung Donors - All declines,

Details of HQLD

- 21/148 – not HQLD or reasons for decline not function/logistics (outside of scope of offer decline scheme as agreed by CTAG Lung – 04/2022)

Reasons for Declines		
Organ reasons:	184	Poor function 106
		Donor Past Medical History 63
Logistics:	61	Centre Tx/Retrieving 43
		No response to fast track offer 39
No response to fast track:	43	Infection/Aspiration 11
		No time 8
		No beds 8
		Organ Damage 5
		No staff 2
		Donor unsuitable age 2
		Anatomical 1
		Total 288