

**Organ Donation and Transplantation Activity Data:
UNITED KINGDOM**

Annual data for financial years 2021/22 to 2025/26
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Summary Figures	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26
Organ Donors*					
Donors after brain death (DBD)	785	772	772	676	636
Donors after circulatory death (DCD)	612	657	738	727	793
Total deceased donors	1,397	1,429	1,510	1,403	1,429
Living donors	940	963	946	994	953
Transplant Waiting List (active)^**					
Total patients on active list (end of period)	6,260	6,950	7,472	8,085	8,280
Organ Transplants^					
Deceased donor transplants	3,414	3,576	3,712	3,592	3,649
Living donor transplants	939	964	947	994	953
Total organ transplants	4,353	4,540	4,659	4,586	4,602
Organ Donor Register (ODR) (end of period)****					
Number of people opted-in to the ODR	27,742,774	28,567,574	28,161,705	28,383,991	28,794,504
Percentage of population opted-in to the ODR	40	41	43	42	43
Number of people opted-out from the ODR	2,334,405	2,484,818	2,572,368	2,687,508	2,944,727
Percentage of population opted-out from ODR	3	4	4	4	4

Organ Transplants^	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26
Deceased donor (DD) transplants by organ					
Kidney	2126	2215	2299	2208	2163
Pancreas	11	8	11	6	9
Kidney/pancreas***	127	126	138	122	123
Pancreas islets	15	13	11	14	21
Heart	175	212	236	200	214
Lung(s)	105	100	135	149	187
Heart/lung	3	1	5	2	4
Liver/lobe	813	865	844	867	902
Intestinal	27	25	22	17	17
Other (multi-organ)	12	11	11	7	9
Total DD transplants	3414	3576	3712	3592	3649
Living donor (LD) transplants by organ type					
Kidney	914	929	915	967	920
Liver	25	35	31	27	33
Intestinal	0	0	1	0	0
Total LD transplants	939	964	947	994	953
Total organ transplants	4353	4540	4659	4586	4602

Transplant Waiting List^{^**}	At 31-Mar-22	At 31-Mar-23	At 31-Mar-24	At 31-Mar-25	At 31-Mar-26
Number of patients on transplant list					
Kidney	4743	5352	5898	6556	6813
Kidney/pancreas ^{***}	251	271	314	344	355
Pancreas (+islets)	27	19	20	26	24
Heart	318	303	281	302	285
Lung(s)	258	290	267	183	177
Heart/lung	10	13	9	11	9
Liver	605	656	631	616	570
Intestinal	14	10	11	7	13
Other (multi-organ)	34	36	41	40	34
Total number of patients on the list	6260	6950	7472	8085	8280

* Based on donors from UK hospitals

[^] Transplant waiting list and transplants based on UK 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 13 April 2026 and are subject to change as the UK Transplant Registry is updated.

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