

Organ Donation and Transplantation - Activity figures for the UK as at 17 July 2026

Blood and Transplant

DONOR AND TRANSPLANT ACTIVITY						
	Current year (01.04.26 - 12.07.26)	Previous year (01.04.25 - 12.07.25)	% Change *	Pre-COVID year (01.04.19 - 12.07.19)	% Change *	Previous full financial year (2025/2026)
ORGAN DONORS						
Donors after brain death (DBD)	169	199	-15.1	256	-34	636
Donors after circulatory death (DCD)	224	223	0.4	171	31	792
Total deceased donors (DD)	393	422	-6.9	427	-8	1428
Non-proceeding deceased donors (DD) ^a	106	114	-7	199	-46.7	400
Living donors (LD) - 1 mth in arrears [^]	175	217	-19.4	204	-14.2	1023
ORGAN TRANSPLANTS						
Deceased donors (DD)						
Kidney	597	641	-6.9	621	-3.9	2164
Pancreas	0	2		4		9
Kidney/pancreas ^{^^}	37	35	5.7	56	-33.9	123
Pancreas islets	6	4		6		21
Heart ^{^^}	62	71	-12.7	45	37.8	214
Lung(s)	54	41	31.7	56	-3.6	187
Heart/lung	1	0		3		4
Liver/lobe ^{^^}	244	259	-5.8	262	-6.9	902
Intestinal	5	5		5		17
Other (multi-organ)	3	1		7		9
Total DD transplants	1009	1059	-4.7	1065	-5.3	3650
Living donor (LD) - 1 mth in arrears[^]						
Kidney	166	209	-20.6	199	-16.6	990
Liver	9	8		5		33
Lung	0	0		0		0
Intestinal	0	0		0		0
Total LD transplants	175	217	-19.4	204	-14.2	1023

^a patients eligible for donation with consent/authorisation where no organ retrieved for transplant
^{*} % change only given when both counts > 10 [^] figures to 12.06.26 due to delayed notification of LD transplants
^{^^} includes 'domino' donors / transplants
^{^^^} includes kidney & pancreas islet transplants

ACTIVE TRANSPLANT LIST					
	Current at 16.07.26		Previous year		End of last year
	Total	(Paediatric <18yrs)	at 31.07.25	% Change	31.03.26
Kidney	7001	(121)	6452	8.5	6814
Pancreas	7	(0)	7		5
Kidney/pancreas ^{^^^}	358	(0)	334	7.2	355
Pancreas islets	20	(0)	30	-33.3	19
Heart	284	(32)	283	0.4	290
Lung	174	(6)	169	3	178
Heart/lung	8	(1)	13		9
Liver	602	(66)	609	-1.1	577
Intestinal	17	(5)	12	41.7	14
Other (multi-organ)	34	(3)	40	-15	35
TOTAL	8505	(234)	7949	7	8296

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