Activities in 2013
New issues for 2014-2016

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1. Intermediary in the exchange of human organs

In 2013

- Waiting list increased
- Transplantations increased
- Organ exchange between countries consolidated
  
  Kidney, Liver, Heart, Lung: 13 – 19 %

- New activity: Organs sent from Estonia to Sctp
2. Operate a database on organ donation and transplantation and communicate optimum info

Registration of Organ Donation and Transplantation

- Registration of patients and donors in Sctp
- Exchange of organs between the Nordic countries & Sctp
- Exchange of data between the Nordic countries and Sctp
- Function as a national registry for some Nordic countries?
- Net-based functions?
3. To maintain a dialogue with the Nordic health authorities on organ donation and transplantation

- Hard work in the Sctp office and recruitment of two new programmers have improved patient and data security, with the aim to be approved by the National Authorities.

- Definitions of SAE and AE discussed in the Nordic Transplant Committee. New suggestions in September meeting.
4. To develop European cooperation on organ donation and transplantation

Organ exchange in 1.1.2013 – 16.03.2014

35 organs imported to Sctp

- All imported organs were from Estonia
- All organs were transplanted in Fi, N and Se

8 organs were exported to EOEOs, none to Estonia

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5. To promote the provision of human organs and tissue for use by the Association’s members in transplantation

- How? List of activities is not presented

- Decisions made by the Council of Representatives regarding medical issues are valid when adopted unanimously

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6. To support scientific activities

- Main medical discussions and scientific activities in the committees and expert groups.

Committees and groups are not mentioned in the articles
EU Directive 53/2010 is implemented in the new laws of all Nordic countries in 2013-14


- When do National laws overrule EU Directives?
EU Registers in Transplantation

Great concern for Nordic countries?

2014 Presentation on EU Countries. N = 31

Post-transplant follow-up Registers

Kidney  17 Yes / 13 No
Liver    15 Yes / 16 No
Heart   13 Yes / 20 No

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