

Research Grant Report Form

Name and origin of applicants:

Hans Henrik Schultz,

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Purpose of research project granted:

Priority for urgency in lung transplantation – Scandiatransplant Urgent Call compared with the Lung Allocation Score."

Amount granted:

20.000€

Report of scientific progress:

This project aimed for 2 publications, first project focusing on Scandinavian experience with the urgent call system, introduced in Scandinavia in 2010. Second project lead by Are Holm, Oslo focusing on high urgency systems around the world.

Project 1 has made good progress however still collecting an analyzing data. All data has been collected in the two Swedish sites, Lund and Gothenburg, as well as all data in Copenhagen, Denmark has been collected. Basic data from Oslo and Helsinki has been collected but full data set is still being collected. A new deadline for the full data from the two remaining centers has been set for 1st of July 2016.

Project 2 is also making excellent progress. Scandinavian data is the same as date from project 1, American data has been obtained from the UNOS (United Network for Organ Sharing) data have been collected, and data from the French and German centers are being collected.

The progress and preliminary data analysis has been discussed and presented internally at every NTTSG meeting since the start of both projects, and initial data has been presented by Hans Henrik Schultz at the European Respiratory Society annual meeting in September 2015.