



News from Scandiatransplant office

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*Database update
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All previous newsletters can be found on the Scandiatransplant web page
<http://www.scandiatransplant.org/news/newsletters>

Purpose

By this information letter, we wish to communicate to you about status and progress related to the database, collaboration with groups related to Scandiatransplant and on-going working projects.

We hope that you will read it and share the information with whom it might concern.

Do not hesitate to contact us for further information, ideas, problems and help.

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New payback rules for kidneys

From January 1st 2020 new rules will apply for payback of kidneys (return obligation). The new rules are found [here](#).

New kidney payback rules active from January 1st 2020

From this same date and forward registration of why a kidney was not used for payback must be registered in YASWA.

Donor → Deceased Donor → Organ Procurement (kidney left, kidney right, kidney double)

The screenshot shows the 'Procured graft' form with the following details:

- Donor information:** Donor number: 96, Person number: [blank], Donor name: [blank], Hospitalized in: S: Sweden, Procuring center: GO: Göteborg
- Graft details:** Organ to center: ML: Malmö/Lund, Organ type: KL: Left Kidney, Graft transplanted: Y: Yes, Procured by: 2: Participation by other tes, Preservation fluid: SP: StoreProtect Plus, Preservation started: 12-NOV-2019 00:35, Perfusion volume: 5000 ml, Quality of perfusion: [blank], On back table date: [blank] Time: [blank], Into ice box date: [blank] Time: [blank], Start of machine perf. date: [blank] Time: [blank], General remarks: [blank]
- Left kidney specifics:** Number of arteries: [blank]
- Not offered for payback:** [dropdown menu with options: NO: No owe within age and blood group, QL: Too large quality difference compared to primary exchange, PE: Kidney exchanged by primary exchange rule, CO: Kidney used for combined transplantation, LO: Logistics, OF: Offered but refused by recipient center (see payback refusal reg.), OT: Other, specify]
- Additional payback comments:** [blank]
- Exported organ:** Cause: 10: Other, please specify, Remarks: transplanted together, NE: Yes, we need payback [dropdown menu]

New extractions from pancreas registry

3 new reports to extract pancreas registry data from own center has now been launched.

They are available through Pancreas registry → Reports..

New data extraction reports

The screenshot shows the 'Reports of Pancreas registry' dialog box with the following details:

- Choose report:** Pancreas follow up
- Center:** Pancreas follow up
- Country:** Pancreas tx
- Buttons:** Cancel, Execute

Additional center information on living kidney donors

Living donor, procuring and tx center

In relation with STEP (kidney paired donation program) kidneys from living donors are now procured and exported to another tx center.

In relation with this both procuring and tx center fields are available and must be filled in for each living donor.

The screenshot shows a web form titled "Living kidney donor information" with tabs for "Basic information", "Preoperative data", "Infection serology", "HLA Typing", "Baseline vire factors", and "Kidney function". The "Basic information" tab is active. Fields include Donor number (96346), Sex (M: Male), Country (N: Norway), Birth-date, Person number, Age in years at donation, Surname, First name, First regist. (MEYROS, 03-Dec-2019), and Last Change (MEYROS, 03-Dec-2019). At the bottom, "Procuring center" is set to "OS: Oslo" and "Tx. center" is empty. "Local hospital" is "91: Kristiansund" and "ABO blood group" is "A".

Living kidney donor organ form

With STEP a new organ form has been introduced to be shipped along with the kidney.

The form is found on the Scandiatransplant homepage:

<http://www.scandiatransplant.org/organ-allocation/forms>

→ [Living KIDNEY Donor Organ form](#)

Next STEP match run

The next STEP match run is planned to be executed January 28th 2020.

**Next STEP match run
January 28th 2020**

Deadlines for the upcoming STEP match run:

- Deadline for data entry in YASWA (new pairs and updates): January 23rd 2020, 10:00 CET
- Scandiatransplant office will do a quality check on data and send list with pairs to be confirmed by each center: January 23rd 2020,
- Confirmation of pairs must be done to Scandiatransplant office no later than January 27th 2020, 12:00 CET
- STEP match run: January 28th 2020

Clinical lab. ref. values

A common revised overview of country wise reference values on clinical laboratory test is now available on the homepage [Clinical laboratory tests, reference values](#)

Notification when patient is accepted to STAMP

The person who has sent a STAMP candidate for evaluation will now be notified by e-mail when the patient has been approved and is activated on STAMP.

The header in the e-mail will look like this:

[SCTP]STAMP: NA->YA SC#xxxxxx