



News from Scandiatransplant office

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<http://www.scandiatransplant.org/news/newsletters>

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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.

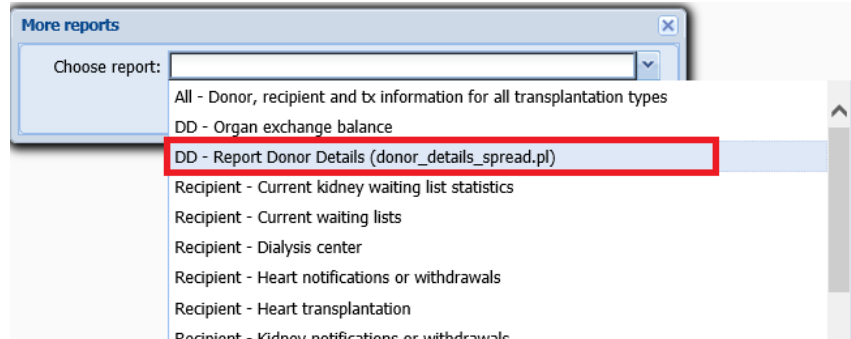
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Updates in existing YASWA modules

New extraction of deceased donor data

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**New extraction
available**

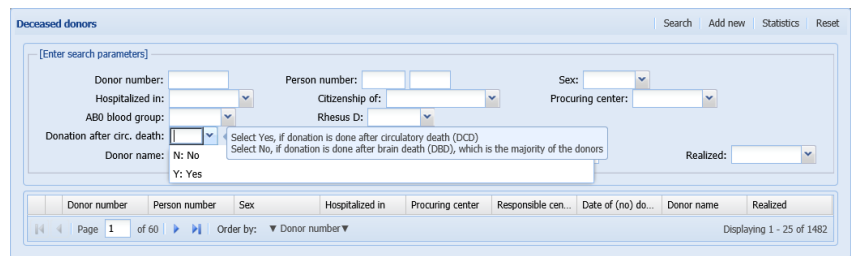


With this extraction you are able to extract a variety of deceased donor data on donors from your own centre.

DCD/DBD search parameter in 'Deceased donor'

A new search variable has been added in the 'Deceased Donor' menu, which makes it possible to bring forward either DCD or DBD donors.

**New search
parameter in
deceased donor**



Keeping the current access restrictions in mind:

On eligible, actual and deceased donors you can access all information within 6 months after date of donation no matter country. Hereafter you only have access to donors from you own country and donors from whom your center has received organs.

Access to view potential donors is limited to potential donors from your own country. Unless an organ offer has been sent out, then all countries can see the information on the specific potential donor.

New guidelines

New guidelines on transmission of infectious diseases

Information on Strongyloides infection has been added to the guidelines:

<http://www.scandiatriansplant.org/members/prevention-of-transmission-of-infections/ScandtxInfGuidelines20April20162.pdf>

Update - Information on urgent heart, lung and liver patients by SMS and email

2 weeks ago the very first step towards a solution for sending out information by SMS and mail on urgent heart, lung and liver recipients, was set in production. Today June 7, 2016 we have made the updates described below.

Additional donor and recipient information

The email has now been added the following information; information on type of change, tx. center, additional recipient information, donor requirements and field for entering additional free text.

Example of an email

Additional information in the email

WL-type LI: Urgency HU to RQ
syserror@scandiatransplant.org (syserror@scandiatransplant.org) Tilføj kontaktperson
Tit: ilse.duus.weinreich@scandiatransplant.org

SMS notification to:

RECIPIENT INFORMATION: **change of urgency**
Center: Göteborg
From: HU: Highly urgent (to be transplanted within 3 days)
To: RQ: Kind request
Scandianumber: 194
Age: 0, Blood group: B
Gender: F, Weight: 8, Height: 70
Diagnosis: A11: Post traumatic
Mechanical support since:
Inotropic support since:
Crossmatch needed: N

DONOR REQUIREMENTS
Blood group:
Preferred weight: 65
Preferred height: 170
Total Lung Capacity:
Remarks: Test test test test test

NEW URGENT-LIST:
Heart SC#195 , Center:GO AB0:B 0: Highly Urgent (mechanical assist) changed 21-May-2016 09:38 Weight: Height: N/A

The additional donor and recipient data is registered in the current/new waiting list entry. When changing the urgency to urgent or kind request, please fill in all extra data before pressing the save and the information will be included in the email.

Registration of the additional information

Basic info | Clinical data | Address/Phone | **Waiting List** | HLA Typing | Antibody Screen Test | Acceptable Antibodies | Previous Mismatches | Death

Add new

Waiting list information Back Save Reset

Generic data

Scandia Number: 920 Surname: Surname: C.
Waiting list type: HE: Heart Date of entry:
Urgency: 0: Highly Urgent (me) Date of last urgency:
Date of first urgency:
Transplant center: GO: Göteborg Treatment/dialysis center:
Immunization: Date of last change of Immunization:

Specific data | Infection serology | Urgency History | Termination

Primary diagnosis:
Old diagnosis:

Urgent calls / Kind requests information

Crossmatch needed:
Mechanical support: Time: Inotropic support: Time:

Donor requirements

Blood group: Preferred weight: kg. Preferred height: cm. Total lung capacity: L
Remarks:

Updated guiding text in SMS

Linkage to waiting list termination

The initial solution was only linked to urgency status changes. This new updated version contains a link to waiting list termination information. When a recipient is withdrawn as deceased donor transplanted (CDT), living donor transplanted (LDT), permeant withdrawn (PW) or dead (DEA) this information is now included.

The information in the SMS tells you whether it is a change to an urgent status (HU, 0, 1)/kind request (RQ) or a withdrawal.

N/A = 'Not Available' information, if the patient goes directly on the urgent list.



Updated guiding text in email

The information in the email has been updated accordingly with a guiding text:

RECIPIENT INFORMATION - change of urgency

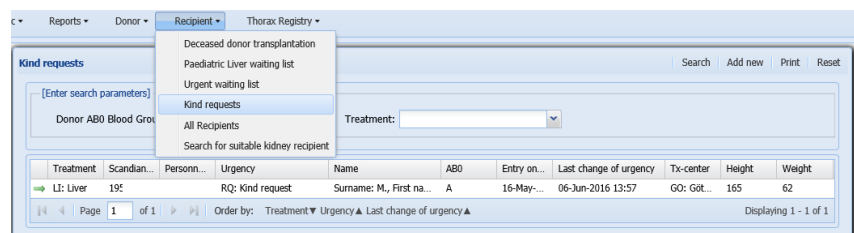
RECIPIENT INFORMATION - patient died

RECIPIENT INFORMATION - termination

Display of kind requests

New menu listing liver kind request patients

Additional a new menu entry has been added listing all kind request liver patients:



Regular test of the urgent/kind request solution

The SMS and email solution on urgent/kind request patients will be tested regularly, like the organ offer form is tested.

Test of the solution

In the 'Remarks' field it will be clearly stated that it is a test and message of withdrawal will follow right after.

Keep in mind that we are still developing the solution, so please be patient and keep your current fax solutions running parallel until further notice.