News from Scandiatransplant office

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Headlines

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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 and problems at help@scandiatransplant.org
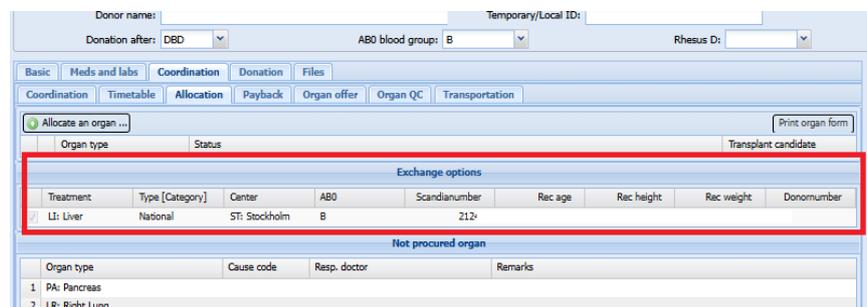
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National priority in exchange overview & notifications

National priorities are now displayed in the exchange overview available on all deceased donors. They will be placed below any other exchange option.
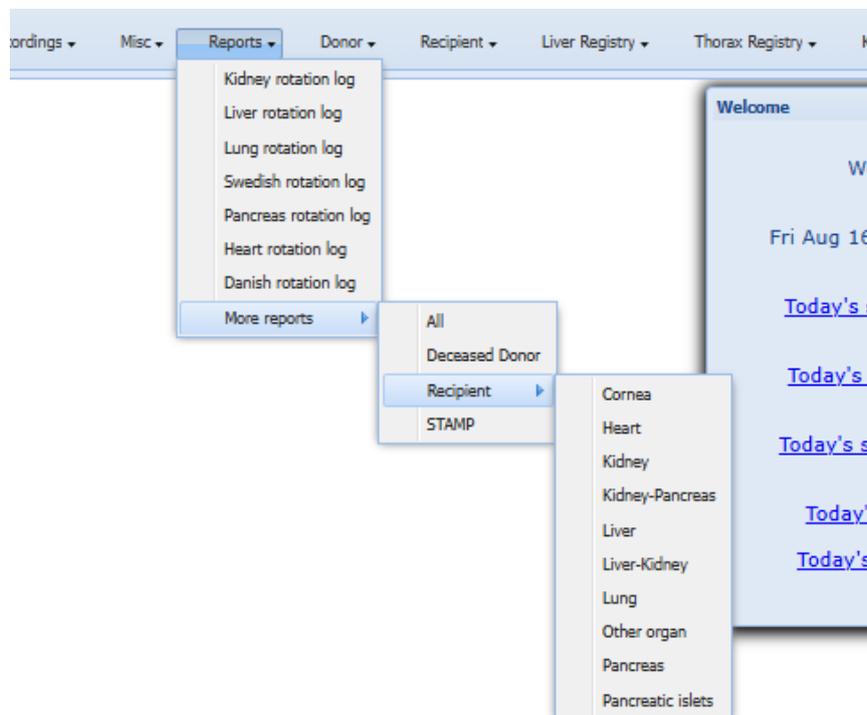
From now on, transplant coordinators will receive an SMS and e-mail notification when a recipient is listed on the national priority list. When a solution is ready, coordinators will also receive a notification when a recipient is taken off the national priority list. The notification is only on a national level.

New layout for reports menus

To make it easier and quicker to locate a specific report, data extractions and reports throughout YASWA have been given a new layout with sub-menus.

Updates within Deceased Donor

Improvements to the organ form

Modifications to the deceased donor organ form have been implemented. Amongst other minor modifications, these include:

Minor updates to the organ form

1) "Tx Coord" and "Surgeons" are now displaying information from the "Contact persons" grid
2) Display of Date of Birth
3) Removal of infection tests "Toxo" and "VZV"
4) No time for date-fields under "Donor operation" (DBD-donors) and "Withdrawal and donor operation" (cDCD-donors)
5) Improved layout

Relocation of responsible transplant coordinator

The field "Responsible tx coordinator" has been changed into a table and moved to the bottom of the Basic tab. This makes it possible to choose a date for each transplant coordinator, and it is also possible to add the same transplant coordinator more than once, with different dates.

New table for responsible tx coordinator

Relocation of heart rhythm

The field "Heart rhythm" has been relocated to the table right above its initial placement, alongside measurements of blood pressure, temperature, etc. This makes it possible to register information on heart rhythm as many times as you want.

Heart rhythm moved to table

Old registrations of "Heart rhythm" have been transferred to the table.

Field for re-intubation on all cDCD donors

The field "Re-intubation" has been relocated from the NRP tab to the cDCD tab, making it available for all cDCD donors. The field is placed under the headline cDCD procedure, below the field for systolic blood pressure.

Procurement of tendons

Procurement of tendons can now be registered on deceased donors. This is done in a similar way as the other organs under organ procurement.

Step 1: choose "Tendons" under Organ type
Step 2: choose "Other usage" under Graft transplanted
Step 3: choose "Tendons" under Cause

This solution is limited to procurement, meaning that wating list for tendons etc has not been introduced.

New tab for timetable

The table "Timetable" from the Coordination tab has been moved to its own tab. Two new fields for retrieval team leaving have been added to the timetable.

New tab for transport details

Registration of transportation details

A new sub-tab called Transportation has been added under the Coordination tab. In this tab, information on transport of an organ or blood sample can be registered.

New layout of lab test print

The layout of laboratory test dates and results have been changed in the two PDF prints, so that the date is shown as header and the tests + results are displayed in columns.

Deceased donor modification of lab test print

New layout in 'Files' tab

In the latest update, upload and sharing of DICOM files was introduced. The layout introduced has, in some web-browsers, resulted in problems with upload of multiple files. This has led to a change in layout in this release.

All files, no matter type, are uploaded on the left side 'click to upload', however after saving DICOM files will now be displayed to the right.