

# Travel Grant Report Form

## Name and origin of applicants

[State name and origin of applicants]

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## **Purpose granted**

[State purpose of the study granted in the application]

As a head study nurse of the project it will be necessary to for me visit the individual centers approximately four times a year in every livertransplantation center. The purpose is to collect bloodsample train new study nurses in CRF, inclusion of patients and handling bloodsamples.

# **Amount granted**

[Amount granted in DKK]

24.000DKK

# Time and place of visit

[State time and place of visit]

#### 2016

11.05.16 Stockholm 16.08.16 Göteborg 07.09.16 Oslo 19.09.16 Helsinki

#### 2017

16.03.17 Göteborg 05.04.17 Stockholm 08.06.17 Göteborg 07.09.17 Oslo 27.09.17 Göteborg 30.11.17 Stockholm

# **Report**

[Report of the visit/study – 300 words]

Traveling to the various transplantation centers has been very rewarding for the study, as unfortunately it has been a rather long start-up phase, much longer than we had expected. This has meant that the individual centers have had a great need for assistance in launching the project.

Many visits has been used to solve pratical and logistical issues at each center.

Finally, in the summer of 2017, it appears that all centers are including patients in the study, and the CRF-files are now being filled in the database and blood samples are getting taken.

We are now there where we can finally say that all 5 transplant centers are included in the study and we start the first analyzes in April 2018.

## **Evaluation**

[Personal evaluation and "lesson learned"]

I have learned that my visits have been very valuable since I have seen an increase in inclusions of patients, as well as more accurate data entry in the CRF database after each visit. But I've also learned that I might have spent a little more time on each visit. Some of the visits have been a little too strictly planned due to flight departures and the handling of blood samples on dry ice. So for the future I will plan longer visits so that there is time for all the practical aspects