



Research Grant Report Form

Name and origin of applicants

Liver transplantation and cancer – Nordic multicenter population based study

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Purpose granted

To compare the incidence of post-transplant cancers with national cancer incidence rates in Nordic countries and to analyse risk factors for cancer in liver transplant patients. To study the possible risk on recurrence of malignancies treated before liver transplantation (other than liver malignancy)

Amount granted

20.000,- euro

Report of scientific progress

During 2013 and 2014 we have collected the study materials from Norway and Finland. Denmark data was ready at summer 2014 after having a meeting in Copenhagen. And the Swedish data is ready now (at January 2015) although not transferred to Finland yet. This also was possible only after meeting in Stockholm.

The Finnish part of the study underwent a preliminary analysis of standardized incidence ratio, results of which were presented in autumn meeting of NLTG.

The final analysis of all the data will be done after reaching the missing Swedish files and after having prepared the existing files accordingly to be able to combine all the data. We do expect to have some results at the end of February or early March unless we lack the missing data.

Report of financial balance

The grant amount:	20.000,-
Transferred to the HYKS-Institute, excluded the administrative expense 1000 + 2000 = 3.000,-	17.000,-
Expenses:	
- business meeting in Copenhagen 11/13: 460,45 + 167 = 627,45	16.372,55
- wages for data analyzing 5/14: 850+176,97+18,19+17,60+8,25 = 1.071,01	15.301,54
- business meeting in Stockholm 1/15: 1345,65	13.955,89
total amount at 22.1.2015	13.955,89

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