Data Collection to Evaluate Organ Logistics and Allocation

OPTN Operations & Safety Committee



Purpose of Proposal

- Evaluate data elements to provide more insight into organ logistics and allocation with the goal to inform future policy development
- Ensure efficiencies in data collection efforts are current and relevant
- Proposal
 - Recommendations for modifications and removals of current data
 - Proposed new data elements
 - Organ check-out time
 - Organ check-in time
 - Time of first anastomosis



Rationale

- Proposed new data elements will provide more information by:
 - Serving as a surrogate for organ transport time
 - Documenting chain of custody of organs
 - Capturing a more accurate account of timeline from recovery to transplant
- Proposed data element modifications/deletions will improve quality of data by:
 - Clarifying data fields and definitions
 - Removing data fields that do not provide sufficient information

Proposed Modifications

- Type of Liver machine perfusion (DonorNet®)
 - Proposed Change: Remove non-specified response field, "Other/Specify"
- Kidney(s) received on (Kidney TRR)
 - Proposed Change: Remove non-specified response field, "N/A"
- Kidney Pump Values: Time, Flow, Pressure, and Resistance (DonorNet®)
 - Proposed Change: Collect initial, low/peak, and final values

Proposed Removals/Addition to Organ Reason Code Responses

- Organ Reason Codes (DDR)
 - Remove:
 - No recipient Located (Code #208)
 - POSITIVE HTLV-1 (Code #211)
 - Add:
 - No candidate on the match run

Proposed New Data Elements

Field Label	Collected by	System/Form	Rationale
Organ Check-Out Time	OPOs	TransNet SM or DDR	Complementing organ check-in time data element to: - Document chain of custody of the organ - Serve as surrogate for organ transport time
Organ Check-In Time	Transplant Hospital	Waitlist SM	Complementing organ check-out time data element to: - Document chain of custody of the organ - Serve as surrogate for organ transport time

Proposed New Data Elements (continued)

Field Label	Collected by	System/Form	Rationale
Time of first anastomosis	Transplant Hospital	Waitlist SM	Provide more accurate account of timeline from organ recovery to organ transplant.

Member Actions

- Organ procurement organizations (OPOs) staff would enter organ checkout date and time
- Transplant hospital staff would enter new data elements, time of first anastomosis and organ check-in date and time
 - Evaluate current protocols/processes for organ check in per OPTN policy

What do you think?

- Do you agree with the new data elements being proposed?
- Are organ check-out time and organ check-in time good surrogates for transport time?
- Are there additional data elements that should be considered?

Extra Slides



Proposed Modifications

Field Label	Form	Modification
Type of liver machine perfusion: *(follow up to liver machine	DDR	Options Response Field:
perfusion (Y/N))		Single Selection, Listed Choices :
		1 – Normothernic
		2 - Hypothermic
		999- Other/Specify: (write in)
Left Lung/Right Lung machine	DDR	The Committee reviewed and agree with the
perfusion intended or performed:		modifications made in OPO Committee Modifications to
		the DDR form proposal:
		Left Lung/Right Lung machine perfusion intended or
		performed:
Kidney(s) received on:	Kidney-TRR	Options Response Field:
		Single Selection, Listed Choices:
		Ice
		Pump
		N/A
Kidney Pump Values: Time	DonorNet	Options Response Field:
		Initial Time:
		Low/Peak time:
		Final Time:

Proposed Modifications (continued)

Field Label	Form	Modification
Kidney Pump Values: Flow (cc/min)	DonorNet	Options Response Field:
		Initial Time:
		Low/Peak time:
		Final Time:
Kidney Pump Values: Pressure (mmHg)	DonorNet	Options Response Field:
		Initial Time:
		Low/Peak time:
		Final Time:
Kidney Pump Values: Resistance	DonorNet	Options Response Field:
		Initial Time:
		Low/Peak time:
		Final Time:
Recovery Team #	DDR	Modifications made from OPO Committee's
(recommendation by OPO		Modifications to the Deceased Donor Registration
Committee currently out for		(DDR) form proposal:
public comment)		
		Change from 6-digit provider number to 4-digit OPTN
		center code and 3- digit OPTN center type of the
		transplant center team recovering the organ.

Proposed Removals from Organ Reason Code Responses

Response Field	Form	Recommended Removal
Organ Not Recovered Code	DDR	 Remove code #208 (no recipient located Remove code #211 – POSITIVE HTLV-1

Proposed Addition to Organ Reason Code Responses

Response Field	Form	Recommended Addition
Organ Not Recovered	DDR	Add code for "No candidates on the match run"
Code		