

Meeting Agenda

Region 1 Virtual Meeting

Meeting Link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5285072430340015631>

Monday, March 8, 2021, 9:00 am – 2:45 pm, Eastern Time

Councillor: Alexandra K. Glazier, JD, MPH

Associate Councillor: Richard N. Formica, Jr., MD

Transplant Community Administrator: Pete Sokol

Board Members: Alexandra K. Glazier, JD, MPH; David C. Mulligan, MD, FACS

Eastern Time	Agenda Item	Presenter(s)
	OPTN Meeting Begins: Discussion Item & Sentiment Collection*	
9:00-10:20 am	OPTN Discussion Session 1: Heart Transplantation Committee: Develop Measures for Primary Graft Dysfunction in Hearts (20 min) Organ Procurement Organization Committee: Clarify Multi-Organ Allocation Policy* (20 min) Future State of Organ Allocation: Continuous Distribution Update (15 min) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lung Transplantation Committee Update (15 min)• Kidney and Pancreas Transplantation Committees Update (10 min)	Jonathan Hammond, MD Hartford Hospital Jillian Wojtowicz, MBA New England Organ Bank Martha Pavlakis, MD Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center Nirmal Sharma, MD Brigham and Women's Hospital Martha Pavlakis, MD
10:20-10:30 am	Break	

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10:30-11:40 am	<u>OPTN Discussion Session 2:</u> Liver and Intestinal Organ Transplantation Committee: Calculate Median MELD at Transplant around the Donor Hospital and Update Sorting within Liver Allocation* (30 min)	James Markmann, MD, PhD Massachusetts General Hospital
	Liver and Intestinal Organ Transplantation Committee: Update National Liver Review Board Guidance Documents and Policy Clarification* (20 min)	James Markmann, MD, PhD
	Liver and Intestinal Organ Transplantation Committee Update (20 min)	James Markmann, MD, PhD
11:40-11:50 am	Break	
11:50 am-12:30 pm	<u>OPTN Discussion Session 3:</u> Membership and Professional Standards Committee: Update Transplant Program Key Personnel Training and Experience Requirements (20 min)	Richard Formica, MD Yale New Haven Hospital
	Ethics Committee: Revise General Considerations in Assessment for Transplant Candidacy* (20 min)	George Bayliss, MD, Rhode Island Hospital
12:30-1:00 pm	Break	
	<u>OPTN General Session:</u>	
1:00-1:15 pm	Regional Councillor Update	Alexandra Glazier, JD, MPH Region 1 Councillor
1:15-1:50 pm	OPTN Update	David Mulligan, MD, FACS President, OPTN Board of Directors
1:50-2:05 pm	Executive Committee: 2021-2024 OPTN Strategic Plan*	David Mulligan, MD, FACS
2:05-2:20 pm	Member Quality Update: Performance and Collaborative Projects	Amanda Gurin, Performance Improvement Lead, UNOS

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2:20-2:35 pm	SRTR Living Donor Collective Update	Michael Conboy, MA Project Manager, Living Donor Collective Scientific Registry of Transplant Recipients
2:35-2:40 pm	Announce Regional Sentiment: Public Comment Items	Pete Sokol, UNOS
2:40-2:45 pm	Closing Remarks	Alexandra Glazier, JD, MPH
2:45 pm	OPTN Meeting Adjourns	

*Sentiment Collection

Non-Discussion – *Sentiment collection only; no presentation or discussion*

- Modify the Deceased Donor Registration (DDR) Form, *OPTN Organ Procurement Organization Committee*
- Require Notification of Human Leukocyte Antigen (HLA) Typing Changes, *OPTN Histocompatibility Committee*

Discussion

- Clarify Multi-Organ Allocation Policy, *OPTN Organ Procurement Organization Committee*
- Develop Measures for Primary Graft Dysfunction in Hearts, *OPTN Heart Transplantation Committee*
- Update Transplant Program Key Personnel Training and Experience Requirements, *OPTN Membership and Professional Standards Committee*
- Calculate Median MELD at Transplant around the Donor Hospital and Update Sorting within Liver Allocation, *OPTN Liver and Intestinal Organ Transplantation Committee*
- 2021-2024 OPTN Strategic Plan, *Executive Committee*
- Update National Liver Review Board Guidance Documents and Policy Clarification, *OPTN Liver and Intestinal Organ Transplantation Committee*
- Revise General Considerations in Assessment for Transplant Candidacy, *OPTN Ethics Committee*

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Resources

Regional Meeting Materials: <https://optn.transplant.hrsa.gov/members/regions/regional-meetings/>

Public Comment: <https://optn.transplant.hrsa.gov/governance/public-comment/>

OPTN Policies: <https://optn.transplant.hrsa.gov/governance/policies/>

Final Rule: <https://optn.transplant.hrsa.gov/governance/about-the-optn/final-rule/>

Public Comment Book: <https://optn.transplant.hrsa.gov/members/regions/regional-meetings/>