

Annex

Figures concerning patients awaiting organ transplant during 2019 - 2022

2019	Heart	Liver	Lung	Kidney
No. of patients waiting for organ transplant	54	60	24	2 268
Average waiting time for organ transplant (months) ^{Note 1,2}	26	44	15	54
No. of deaths while awaiting transplant	2	14	6	N/A ^{Note 3}

2020	Heart	Liver	Lung	Kidney
No. of patients waiting for organ transplant	78	72	29	2 302
Average waiting time for organ transplant (months) ^{Note 1,2}	24	37	18	55
No. of deaths while awaiting transplant	4	11	7	N/A ^{Note 3}

2021	Heart	Liver	Lung	Kidney
No. of patients waiting for organ transplant	78	69	19	2 360
Average waiting time for organ transplant (months) ^{Note 1,2}	28	38	23	56
No. of deaths while awaiting transplant	7	10	2	N/A ^{Note 3}

2022	Heart	Liver	Lung	Kidney
No. of patients waiting for organ transplant	81	66	13	2 451
Average waiting time for organ transplant (months) ^{Note 1,2}	24	38	28	57
No. of deaths while awaiting transplant	6	12	6	N/A ^{Note 3}

Note 1: “Average waiting time” refers to the average of the waiting time for patients on the organ transplant waiting list as at end of that year.

Note 2: Rounded off to the nearest integer.

Note 3: Patients suffering from renal failure can live on by receiving renal dialysis treatment, and the lack of organs for transplant may not be the major direct cause for a patient's death.