Oct. 6, 2021

UNOS statement regarding COVID-19 vaccine and transplantation

Transplant hospitals decide which patients to add to the waitlist based on their own criteria and medical judgment to create the best chance for a possible outcome, with the understanding that the patients will be active participants in their own medical care. UNOS does not have any authority over these decisions. We encourage patients awaiting a transplant to contact your doctor or transplant program to determine if a vaccine or booster is right for you.