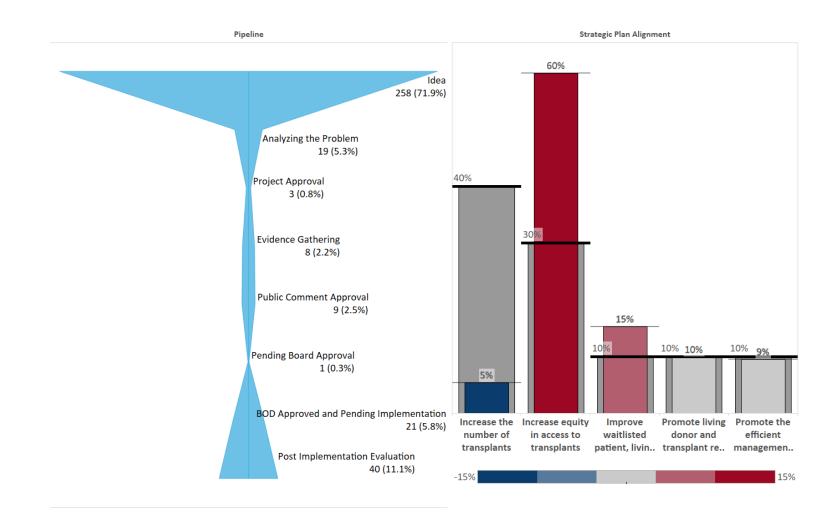
OPTN Committee Project Portfolio



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Note: The strategic alignment graphic does not include projects exempt from POC/ExCom approval. More information about the entire portfolio is available at: https://public.tableau.com/profile/optn.committees#!/vizhome/OPTNCommitteeProjectPortfolio/Instructions_



COVID-19 Committee Projects

These are committee projects that are related to COVID-19.

ID	Status	Sponsoring Committee	Project Title
1200	Idea	Ad Hoc Disease Transmission Advisory	COVID-19 Testing For Transplant Candidates and Recipients
1222	Idea	Minority Affairs	Analysis of Waitlist Inactivations during the COVID-19 Era
1226	Idea	Ethics	Ethical Considerations for Transplant Programs Related to Living Donation During the COVID-19 Pandemic
1229	Idea	Ad Hoc Disease Transmission Advisory	Require Living Donor COVID-19 Testing
1147	Post Implementation Evaluation	Executive	Add COVID-19 to DonorNet/TransNet
1143	Post Implementation Evaluation	Executive	Candidate Data during 2020 COVID-19 Emergency
1145	Post Implementation Evaluation	Executive	Waive Testing Requirements for Non-Dialysis Kidney Listings
1148	Post Implementation Evaluation	Executive	April COVID-19 Omnibus Policy Package
1153	Post Implementation Evaluation	Executive	Relaxing data submission requirements during COVID-19 emergency
1199	Post Implementation Evaluation	Lung Transplantation	Incorporating COVID-19 Related Organ Failure in Candidate Listings



Strategic Policy Priorities

These projects are the priorities identified by the POC and ExCom.

ID	Status	Sponsoring Committee	Project Title
Contin	uous Distribution		
1109	Evidence Gathering	Kidney	Continuous Distribution of Kidneys
1110	Evidence Gathering	Pancreas	Continuous Distribution of Pancreas
1021	Evidence Gathering	Lung Transplantation	Continuous Distribution of Lungs
Efficie	nt donor/recipient matchir	ng to increase utilization	
1202	Analyzing the Problem	Data Advisory Committee	Integrate ICD and CPT codes into official OPTN data collection
1211	Analyzing the Problem	Operations & Safety	Provisional Yes: Increase Offer Filters
1212	Analyzing the Problem	Operations & Safety	Provisional Yes: Dynamic Match Run
1213	Analyzing the Problem	Operations & Safety	Provisional Yes: Conditional Yes
1214	Analyzing the Problem	Organ Procurement Organization	Local Recovery: Communication Enhancements in DonorNet
1215	Analyzing the Problem	Organ Procurement Organization	Biopsy: Image Sharing
1216	Analyzing the Problem	Kidney	Biopsy: Minimum Set of Donor Kidney Criteria
1217	Analyzing the Problem	Kidney	Biopsy: Standardized Format for Pathology Report
1175	Evidence Gathering	Data Advisory Committee	Refusal Codes and Late Offer Turndowns Project
Multic	organ Allocation		
747	Evidence Gathering	Organ Procurement Organization	Clarification of Multi-Organ Allocation Policy

Ideas

1. Idea

This is where all projects start. Staff collect ideas from many different places. This is a parking lot of ideas that the committee may or may not turn into projects.

These are **258** ideas that have not been prioritized by the committees. There were **8** ideas submitted in the last month.

ID	Status	Sponsoring Committee	Project Title
1222	Idea	Minority Affairs	Analysis of Waitlist Inactivations during the COVID-19 Era
1223	Idea	Heart Transplantation	Modifications to Pediatric Heart Policy Addressing Fontan Patients and Changes to Heart Diagnoses Codes
1225	Analyzing the Problem	Living Donor	Prior Living Donor Priority
1226	Idea	Ethics	Ethical Considerations for Transplant Programs Related to Living Donation During the COVID-19 Pandemic
1227	Analyzing the Problem	Liver and Intestines	Ongoing Review of NLRB Diagnoses in Guidance and Policy
1228	Idea	Liver and Intestines	Updating Liver Diagnoses on the Transplant Candidate Registration Form
1229	Idea	Ad Hoc Disease Transmission Advisory	Require Living Donor COVID-19 Testing
1230	Idea	Ethics	Ethical Considerations of Continuous Distribution in Organ Allocation

Analyzing the Problem

Projects in this state are being analyzed by their sponsoring committee but have not yet received POC/ExCom approval for the project. There should be clear evidence of the problem statement and strategic alignment before proceeding to the next status.

There are **19** projects in this status. Below is a list of those projects with their sponsoring committee.

2. Problem Analysis

ID	Sponsoring Committee	Project Title
543	Vascularized Composite Allograft	VCA Graft Failure Definition
1073	Pancreas	Prioritization for Highly Sensitized and Pediatric KP Patients
1082	Pediatric	Four Year KAS Outcomes - Pediatric Committee Manuscript
1086	Ad Hoc Disease Transmission Advisory	Modify Data Collection for HCV Donor+ to HCV Recipient- Transplants
1099	Pediatric; Ethics	Review of Application of Ethical Principles of Pediatric Allocation in Organ Allocation Policy
1139	Transplant Coordinators	Temporarily Inactive Code Revision and Expansion
1157	Living Donor	Evaluate Living Donor Exclusion Criteria
1171	Membership & Professional Standards	OPO Performance Monitoring Enhancement
1202	Data Advisory Committee	Integrate ICD and CPT codes into official OPTN data collection
1210	Ad Hoc International Relations	Non-Citizen/Non-Resident (NCNR) Guidance Document
1211	Operations & Safety	Provisional Yes: Increase Offer Filters
1212	Operations & Safety	Provisional Yes: Dynamic Match Run
1213	Operations & Safety	Provisional Yes: Conditional Yes
1214	Organ Procurement Organization	Local Recovery: Communication Enhancements in DonorNet
1215	Organ Procurement Organization	Biopsy: Image Sharing
1216	Kidney	Biopsy: Minimum Set of Donor Kidney Criteria
1217	Kidney	Biopsy: Standardized Format for Pathology Report
1225	Living Donor	Prior Living Donor Priority
1227	Liver and Intestines	Ongoing Review of NLRB Diagnoses in Guidance and Policy

Project Approval

Projects in this status have been submitted to the POC/ExCom for approval of the project.

There is **3** projects in this status.¹

ID	Sponsoring Committee	Project Title
963	Vascularized Composite Allograft	Establish Membership Requirements for Genitourinary Organ Transplant Programs
1207	Liver and Intestines	Improving the MELD Calculation
1220	Heart Transplantation	Review Status Extension Requirements in Adult Heart Allocation Policy

Evidence Gathering

Projects in this status have received POC/ExCom approval and the committee is actively working on solving the project.

There are **15** projects in this status. Below is a list of those projects, their projected public comment and Board dates, and an indicator of confidence in those estimates.²

ID	Sponsoring Committee	Project Title	Public Comment	Board	Confidence	Exempt
713	Liver and Intestines	Reduce Pediatric Liver Waiting List Mortality	2021-August	2021- December		FALSE
1028	Operations & Safety	Data Collection to Evaluate the Logistical Impact of Broader Distribution	2021-August	2021- December		FALSE

3.

Project Approval

4.

Evidence Gathering

¹ The project approval of committee projects sponsored by operating committees (i.e., DAC and MPSC) follow a modified approval process.

² Key: Exempt projects require staff and committee resources but do not require public comment or Board approval. These are not reviewed and approved by the POC or ExCom; instead, resources are approved by UNOS Directors.

ID	Sponsoring Committee	Project Title	Public Comment	Board	Confidence	Exempt
924	Histocompatibility	Change CPRA Calculation	2021-August	2021- December	0	FALSE
1021	Lung Transplantation	Continuous Distribution of Lungs	2021-August	2021- December	0	FALSE
1156	Membership & Professional Standards	Transplant Program Performance Monitoring Enhancement	2021-August	2021- December	0	FALSE
1175	Data Advisory Committee	Refusal Codes and Late Offer Turndowns Project	2021-August	2021- December	0	FALSE
1109	Kidney	Continuous Distribution of Kidneys	2022-August	2022- December	8	FALSE
1110	Pancreas	Continuous Distribution of Pancreas	2022-August	2022- December	0	FALSE
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Public Comment Approval

The following projects are potential projects for the next public comment cycle.

ID	Status	Sponsoring Committee	Project Title
550	Public Comment Approval	Heart Transplantation	Develop Measures for Primary Graft Dysfunction in Hearts – Request for Feedback
747	Public Comment Approval	Organ Procurement Organization	Clarify Multi-Organ Allocation Policy
1030	Public Comment Approval	Organ Procurement Organization	Modify the Deceased Donor Registration (DDR) Form

1061	Public Comment Approval	Membership & Professional Standards	Update Membership Requirements and Application and Review Process
1061	Public Comment Approval	Membership & Professional Standards	Update Transplant Program Key Personnel Training and Experience Requirements – Request for Feedback
1063	Public Comment Approval	Ethics	Revise General Considerations In Assessment for Transplant Candidacy
1135	Public Comment Approval	Liver and Intestines	Calculate Median MELD at Transplant around the Donor Hospital and Update Sorting within Liver Allocation
1161	Public Comment Approval	Executive	2021-2024 OPTN Strategic Plan
1179	Public Comment Approval	Histocompatibility	Require Notification of Human Leukocyte Antigen (HLA) Typing Changes
1189	Public Comment Approval	Liver and Intestines	Update National Liver Review Board Guidance Documents and Policy Clarification



Pending Board Approval

Projects in this phase have completed public comment and are being prepared for Board approval.

There are **1** project being prepared for the Board.

ID	Sponsoring Committee	Project Title	Confidence
1089	Living Donor	Modify Living Donation Policy to Include Living VCA Donors	⊘

Implementation

Projects in this status have been approved by the Board but have not yet been implemented. These are usually IT projects that have not yet been programmed.

9. Implementation

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/	Data Advisory Committee	Modify Data Submission Policies	2019- December	2021-01-29
1102	Kidney	Medical Urgency - Kidney	2020-June	2021-02-13
988	Kidney; Pancreas	Eliminate the Use of DSAs and Regions in Kidney and Pancreas Distribution	2019- December	2021-02-13
1106	Organ Procurement Organization	Import Back Up Modifications	2020-June	2021-02-13
1112	Kidney; Pancreas	Distribution of Kidneys and Pancreata from Alaska	2020-June	2021-02-13
1004	Ad Hoc Disease Transmission Advisory	Revise OPTN Policy to be Consistent with U.S. Public Health Service (PHS) Increased Risk Criteria	2020- December	2021-03-01
851	Organ Procurement Organization	Expedited Organ Placement	2019- December	2021-03-31
627	Vascularized Composite Allograft	List Covered Body Parts Pertaining to VCA	2016-June	2021-06-30
789	Vascularized Composite Allograft	Align VCA Transplant Program Membership Requirements with Requirements of Other Solid Organ Transplant Programs	2018-June	2021-06-30
125	Pancreas	Changes to Islet Bylaws	2018- December	2021-06-30
252	Vascularized Composite Allograft	VCA Membership Requirements	2015-June	2021-06-30
1023	Histocompatibility	Update to HLA Equivalency Tables (2020)	2020-June	2021-06-30
1016	Heart Transplantation	Modifications to Pediatric Heart Allocation Policy	2020-June	2021-06-30
843	Lung Transplantation	Lung Allocation Score (LAS) Refinements and Clean-up	2020- December	2021-07-31
61	Kidney Paired Donation	OPTN KPD Pilot Program	2014-June	2021-12-31
946	Vascularized Composite	Update to VCA Transplant Outcomes Data Collection	2020-June	2021-12-31

There are 24 projects in this status. Below is a list of those projects with their anticipated implementation date

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837	Heart Transplantation	Guidance Addressing the Use of Pediatric Heart Exceptions	2020- December	2021-12-31
1037	Heart Transplantation	Adult Heart Exception Review	2020- December	2021-12-31
1118	Vascularized Composite Allograft	Programming VCA Allocation in UNet	2020- December	2021-12-31
1131	Liver and Intestines	Further Enhancements to the National Liver Review Board	2020- December	2021-12-31
1088	Vascularized Composite Allograft	Modify Data Collection on VCA Living Donors	2020- December	2022-06-30

Post Implementation Review

Projects in this status have been approved by the Board, implemented, and are now being reviewed by the committees for the efficacy of the proposal.

There are **40** projects in this status. Below is a list of those projects.

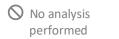
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ID	Sponsoring Committee	Project Title	Time Board Date	Implementation	Post Implementation Status
740	Ad Hoc Disease Transmission Advisory	Modifications to HOPE Act Open Variance Policy	2016-June	2015-11-23	\otimes
864	Ad Hoc Disease Transmission Advisory	Modifications to How New Donor Information Received Post-Transplant is Reported to Recipient Centers (FMEA)	2016-June	2016-09-01	\otimes
59	Operations & Safety	Standardize an organ coding system for tracking of organs (TransNet)	2016-June	2017-06-01	Ø
220	Kidney	Simultaneous Liver Kidney (SLK) Allocation	2016-June	2017-08-10	\bigcirc
260	Liver and Intestines	Changes to HCC Criteria for Auto Approval	2016- December	2017-12-12	\otimes
922	Ad Hoc Disease Transmission Advisory	Clarify Informed Consent for Transmittable Conditions	2018-June	2018-09-01	\otimes
43	Heart Transplantation	Modification of the Heart Allocation System	2016- December	2018-10-18	Ø
612	Lung Transplantation	Broader Sharing of Adult Donor Lungs	2018-June	2018-10-18	\bigcirc
720	Pediatric	Guidance on Pediatric Transplant Recipient Transition and Transfer	2018- December	2018-12-04	\otimes
969	Membership & Professional Standards	Change Hospital-Based OPO Voting Rights	2018- December	2018-12-04	\otimes
717	Histocompatibility	Review of HLA Tables (2016)	2017- December	2018-12-05	\otimes
255	Liver and Intestines	National Liver Review Board	2017-June	2019-05-24	\bigcirc
977	Liver and Intestines	NLRB Clarifications	2018- December	2019-05-24	0

ID	Sponsoring Committee	Project Title	Time Board Date	Implementation	Post Implementation Status
998	Operations & Safety	Effective Practices in Broader Organ Sharing	2019-June	2019-06-10	\otimes
827	Pancreas	Changes to KP Waiting Time Criteria	2018-June	2019-07-11	\otimes
533	Kidney	Improving Allocation of En Bloc Kidneys	2017- December	2019-09-05	\otimes
872	Kidney	Improving Allocation of Dual Kidneys	2017- December	2019-09-05	\otimes
63	Kidney Paired Donation	Revising KPD Priority Points	2015- December	2019-10-24	\otimes
979	Liver and Intestines	Split Liver Variance	2019-June	2019-12-03	\otimes
1017	Histocompatibility	Modify Appointment Process for the Histocompatibility Vice Chair	2019- December	2019-12-03	\otimes
987	Thoracic	Eliminate the Use of DSAs in Thoracic Distribution	2019-June	2020-01-09	\otimes
919	Operations & Safety	Extra Vessels: Reducing reporting burdens and clarifying policies	2018-June	2020-01-29	\otimes
984	Liver and Intestines	Eliminate the Use of DSAs and Regions in Liver and Intestine Distribution	2018- December	2020-02-04	\otimes
1014	Liver and Intestines	Improving Access for High MELD and Status 1 Candidates in Puerto Rico and Hawaii	NA	2020-02-18	\otimes
303	Histocompatibility	Addressing HLA Typing Errors	2018- December	2020-02-28	\otimes
1038	Liver and Intestines	Update to Definition of Pre-Existing Liver Disease	2019- December	2020-03-01	\otimes
1143	Executive	Candidate Data during 2020 COVID-19 Emergency	2020-March ExCom	2020-03-17	\otimes
1145	Executive	Waive Testing Requirements for Non-Dialysis Kidney Listings	2020-April ExCom	2020-04-03	\otimes

ID	Sponsoring Committee	Project Title	Time Board Date	Implementation	Post Implementation Status
1153	Executive	Relaxing data submission requirements during COVID-19 emergency	2020-April ExCom	2020-04-03	\otimes
1148	Executive	April COVID-19 Omnibus Policy Package	2020- December	2020-04-13	\otimes
995	Ad Hoc Disease Transmission Advisory	Modify HOPE Act Variance to Include Other Organs	2019-June	2020-05-21	\otimes
835	Lung Transplantation	Modification of the Lung Transplant Follow-up Form (TRF) to Include CLAD Data	2018-June	2020-06-30	\otimes
1076	Liver and Intestines	Enhancements to the National Liver Review Board	2020-June	2020-09-10	\otimes
1199	Lung Transplantation	Incorporating COVID-19 Related Organ Failure in Candidate Listings	2020- October- Special	2020-10-28	\otimes
793	Pediatric	Revisions to Pediatric Emergency Membership Exception	2017- December	2020-12-07	\otimes
123	Pediatric	Pediatric Transplantation Training and Experience Considerations in the Bylaws	2015- December	2020-12-07	\otimes
955	Pediatric	Amend Requirements for Primary Liver Transplant Physician	2018-May	2020-12-07	\otimes
989	Vascularized Composite Allograft	Eliminate the Use of Regions in VCA Distribution	2019-June	2021-06-18	\otimes
74	Lung Transplantation	Pediatric Lung Allocation Policy Review	2015- December	NA	•
1147	Executive	Add COVID-19 to DonorNet/TransNet	2020-April ExCom	NA	\otimes

Key:





Maybe/Undecided



Committee Specific Reports

Below are lists of projects by their sponsoring committee

Ad Hoc Disease Transmission Advisory Committee

ID	Status	Project Title
1086	Analyzing the Problem	Modify Data Collection for HCV Donor+ to HCV Recipient- Transplants
1004	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Revise OPTN Policy to be Consistent with U.S. Public Health Service (PHS) Increased Risk Criteria
740	Post Implementation Evaluation	Modifications to HOPE Act Open Variance Policy
864	Post Implementation Evaluation	Modifications to How New Donor Information Received Post-Transplant is Reported to Recipient Centers (FMEA)
995	Post Implementation Evaluation	Modify HOPE Act Variance to Include Other Organs
922	Post Implementation Evaluation	Clarify Informed Consent for Transmittable Conditions

Ad Hoc International Relations Committee

ID Status	Project Title	
	No active projects	

Data Advisory Committee

ID	Status	Project Title
1202	Analyzing the Problem	Integrate ICD and CPT codes into official OPTN data collection
1175	Evidence Gathering	Refusal Codes and Late Offer Turndowns Project
744	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Modify Data Submission Policies

Ethics Committee

ID	Status	Project Title
1099	Analyzing the Problem	Review of Application of Ethical Principles of Pediatric Allocation in Organ Allocation Policy
1063	Public Comment Approval	Revision of General Considerations In Assessment for Transplant Candidacy

Executive Committee

ID	Status	Project Title
1161	Public Comment Approval	2021-2024 OPTN Strategic Plan
1147	Post Implementation Evaluation	Add COVID-19 to DonorNet/TransNet
1143	Post Implementation Evaluation	Candidate Data during 2020 COVID-19 Emergency
1145	Post Implementation Evaluation	Waive Testing Requirements for Non-Dialysis Kidney Listings
1148	Post Implementation Evaluation	April COVID-19 Omnibus Policy Package
1153	Post Implementation Evaluation	Relaxing data submission requirements during COVID-19 emergency

Heart Transplantation Committee

ID	Status	Project Title
1220	Project Approval	Review Status Extension Requirements in Adult Heart Allocation Policy
550	Public Comment Approval	Reporting Immediate Graft Dysfunction in Heart Transplant Recipients
837	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Guidance Addressing the Use of Pediatric Heart Exceptions
1016	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Modifications to Pediatric Heart Allocation Policy
1037	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Adult Heart Exception Review

ID	Status	Project Title
43	Post Implementation Evaluation	Modification of the Heart Allocation System

Histocompatibility Committee

ID	Status	Project Title
924	Evidence Gathering	Change CPRA Calculation
1179	Public Comment Approval	Required Reporting of Donor HLA Typing Changes
1023	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Update to HLA Equivalency Tables (2020)
303	Post Implementation Evaluation	Addressing HLA Typing Errors
717	Post Implementation Evaluation	Review of HLA Tables (2016)
1017	Post Implementation Evaluation	Modify Appointment Process for the Histocompatibility Vice Chair

Kidney Transplantation Committee

ID	Status	Project Title
1216	Analyzing the Problem	Biopsy: Minimum Set of Donor Kidney Criteria
1217	Analyzing the Problem	Biopsy: Standardized Format for Pathology Report
1109	Evidence Gathering	Continuous Distribution of Kidneys
61	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	OPTN KPD Pilot Program
1102	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Medical Urgency - Kidney
988	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Eliminate the Use of DSAs and Regions in Kidney and Pancreas Distribution

ID	Status	Project Title
1112	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Distribution of Kidneys and Pancreata from Alaska
220	Post Implementation Evaluation	Simultaneous Liver Kidney (SLK) Allocation
533	Post Implementation Evaluation	Improving Allocation of En Bloc Kidneys
872	Post Implementation Evaluation	Improving Allocation of Dual Kidneys
63	Post Implementation Evaluation	Revising KPD Priority Points

Liver and Intestine Transplantation Committee

ID	Status	Project Title
1227	Analyzing the Problem	Ongoing Review of NLRB Diagnoses in Guidance and Policy
1207	Project Approval	Improving the MELD Calculation
713	Evidence Gathering	Reduce Pediatric Liver Waiting List Mortality
1135	Public Comment Approval	Calculate Median MELD at Transplant around Donor Hospital and Update Sorting within Liver Allocation
1189	Public Comment Approval	Updating National Liver Review Board Guidance Documents and Policy Clarifications
1131	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Further Enhancements to the National Liver Review Board
255	Post Implementation Evaluation	National Liver Review Board
260	Post Implementation Evaluation	Changes to HCC Criteria for Auto Approval
984	Post Implementation Evaluation	Eliminate the Use of DSAs and Regions in Liver and Intestine Distribution

ID	Status	Project Title
977	Post Implementation Evaluation	NLRB Clarifications
979	Post Implementation Evaluation	Split Liver Variance
1014	Post Implementation Evaluation	Improving Access for High MELD and Status 1 Candidates in Puerto Rico and Hawaii
1038	Post Implementation Evaluation	Update to Definition of Pre-Existing Liver Disease
1076	Post Implementation Evaluation	Enhancements to the National Liver Review Board
1076	Post Implementation Evaluation	Enhancements to the National Liver Review Board

Living Donor Committee

ID	Status	Project Title
1157	Analyzing the Problem	Evaluate Living Donor Exclusion Criteria
1225	Analyzing the Problem	Prior Living Donor Priority
1089	Pending Board Approval	Modify Living Donation Policy to Include Living VCA Donors

Lung Transplantation Committee

ID	Status	Project Title
1021	Evidence Gathering	Continuous Distribution of Lungs
843	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Lung Allocation Score (LAS) Refinements and Clean-up
612	Post Implementation Evaluation	Broader Sharing of Adult Donor Lungs

ID	Status	Project Title
835	Post Implementation Evaluation	Modification of the Lung Transplant Follow-up Form (TRF) to Include CLAD Data
74	Post Implementation Evaluation	Pediatric Lung Allocation Policy Review
1199	Post Implementation Evaluation	Incorporating COVID-19 Related Organ Failure in Candidate Listings

MPSC

ID	Status	Project Title
1171	Analyzing the Problem	OPO Performance Monitoring Enhancement
1156	Evidence Gathering	Transplant Program Performance Monitoring Enhancement
1061	Public Comment Approval	Membership Requirements Revisions
969	Post Implementation Evaluation	Change Hospital-Based OPO Voting Rights

Minority Affairs Committee

ID	Status	Project Title
		No active projects

Operations and Safety Committee

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ID	Status	Project Title
1211	Analyzing the Problem	Provisional Yes: Increase Offer Filters
1212	Analyzing the Problem	Provisional Yes: Dynamic Match Run
1213	Analyzing the Problem	Provisional Yes: Conditional Yes
1028	Evidence Gathering	Data Collection to Evaluate the Logistical Impact of Broader Distribution
59	Post Implementation Evaluation	Standardize an organ coding system for tracking of organs (TransNet)

ID	Status	Project Title
919	Post Implementation Evaluation	Extra Vessels: Reducing reporting burdens and clarifying policies
998	Post Implementation Evaluation	Effective Practices in Broader Organ Sharing

Organ Procurement Organization Committee

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ID	Status	Project Title
1214	Analyzing the Problem	Local Recovery: Communication Enhancements in DonorNet
1215	Analyzing the Problem	Biopsy: Image Sharing
747	Public Comment Approval	Clarification of Multi-Organ Allocation Policy
1030	Public Comment Approval	Review Deceased Donor Registration Form
851	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Expedited Organ Placement
1106	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Import Back Up Modifications

Pancreas Transplantation Committee

ID	Status	Project Title
1073	Analyzing the Problem	Prioritization for Highly Sensitized and Pediatric KP Patients
1110	Evidence Gathering	Continuous Distribution of Pancreas
125	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Changes to Islet Bylaws
988	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Eliminate the Use of DSAs and Regions in Kidney and Pancreas Distribution
1112	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Distribution of Kidneys and Pancreata from Alaska
827	Post Implementation Evaluation	Changes to KP Waiting Time Criteria

Pediatrics Transplantation Committee

ID	Status	Project Title
1082	Analyzing the Problem	Four Year KAS Outcomes - Pediatric Committee Manuscript
1099	Analyzing the Problem	Review of Application of Ethical Principles of Pediatric Allocation in Organ Allocation Policy
720	Post Implementation Evaluation	Guidance on Pediatric Transplant Recipient Transition and Transfer
793	Post Implementation Evaluation	Revisions to Pediatric Emergency Membership Exception
123	Post Implementation Evaluation	Pediatric Transplantation Training and Experience Considerations in the Bylaws
955	Post Implementation Evaluation	Amend Requirements for Primary Liver Transplant Physician

Transplant Administrators Committee

ID	Status	Project Title	
		No active projects	

Transplant Coordinators Committee

ID	Status	Project Title
1139	Analyzing the Problem	Temporarily Inactive Code Revision and Expansion

VCA Committee

ID	Status	Project Title							
543	Analyzing the Problem	VCA Graft Failure Definition							
963	Project Approval Establish Membership Requirements for Genitourinary Organ Transplant Programs								
627	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	List Covered Body Parts Pertaining to VCA							

ID	Status	Project Title
789	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Align VCA Transplant Program Membership Requirements with Requirements of Other Solid Organ Transplant Programs
252	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	VCA Membership Requirements
946	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Update to VCA Transplant Outcomes Data Collection
1088	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Modify Data Collection on VCA Living Donors
1118	BOD Approved and Pending Implementation	Programming VCA Allocation in UNet
989	Post Implementation Evaluation	Eliminate the Use of Regions in VCA Distribution

Gantt Chart of Projects

Status	Proiect Title				
Evidence Gathering	Reduce Pediatric Liver Waiting List Mortality			46	
	Change CPRA Calculation			46	
	Continuous Distribution of Lungs			32	
	Continuous Distribution of Kidneys				36
	Continuous Distribution of Pancreas				36
	Data Collection to Evaluate the Logistical Impact of Broader Distribution			30	
	Refusal Codes and Late Offer Turndowns Project			17	
	Transplant Program Performance Monitoring Enhancement			15	
Public Comment	Review Deceased Donor Registration Form			18	
Approval	Clarification of Multi-Organ Allocation Policy			18	
	Revision of General Considerations In Assessment for Transplant Candidacy			16	
	2021-2024 OPTN Strategic Plan				
	Calculate Median MELD at Transplant around Donor Hospital and Update Sorting within Liver.			12	
	Membership Requirements Revisions			17	
	Reporting Immediate Graft Dysfunction in Heart Transplant Recipients			6	
	Required Reporting of Donor HLA Typing Changes			8	
	Updating National Liver Review Board Guidance Documents and Policy Clarifications			9	
Pending Board Appro	Modify Living Donation Policy to Include Living VCA Donors			16	
		1/1/2019	1/1/2020 1/	L/2021 1/1/2022	1/1/2023

Project Approval - BOD Approval

The numbers in the chart indicate the number of months from project approval until Board consideration.

Committee Sponsors and Collaborators

Sponsoring committees are highlighted in **blue** and collaborating committees are highlighted in green.

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ID	Project Title	Status																			
713	Reduce Pediatric Liver Waiting List Mortality	Evidence Gathering																			
924	Change CPRA Calculation	Evidence Gathering																			
1073	Prioritization for Highly Sensitized and Pediatric KP Patients	Analyzing the Problem																			
1086	Modify Data Collection for HCV Donor+ to HCV Recipient- Transplants	Analyzing the Problem																			
1099	Review of Application of Ethical Principles of Pediatric Allocation in Organ Allocation Policy	Analyzing the Problem																			
1171	OPO Performance Monitoring Enhancement	Analyzing the Problem																			
1202	Integrate ICD and CPT codes into official OPTN data collection	Analyzing the Problem																			