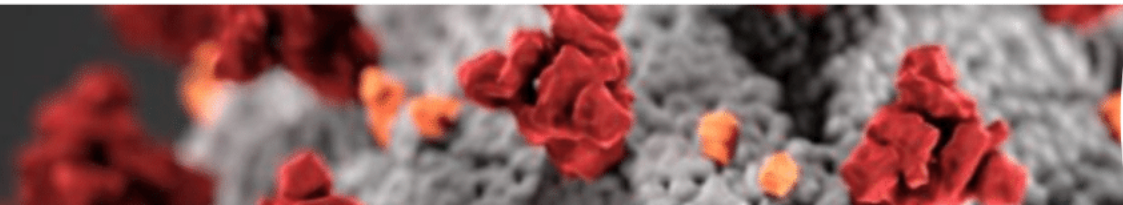


Points to weigh before performing a transplant in the COVID era

- Do you have a COVID free path in the hospital?
- Do you have screening facilities for the donor?
- How prevalent is SARS-Co19 in the recipient area ?
- How sick is the recipient?
- Do you have the possibility to screen the recipient?



Points to weigh before performing a transplant in the COVID era

- Balance the risk of transplanting a COVID recipient and the risk of COVID transmission in the post-operative period with the risk of the patient to skip the transplant
- Consider alternatives (LVAD) ?
- Consider to accept “good” organs to minimize the risk of early graft dysfunction and long ICU stay

