

Resource Summary Report

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Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network

RRID:SCR_004883

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Resource Information

URL: <http://optn.transplant.hrsa.gov/>

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Description: The only national patient waiting list and an online database system, called UNet, that links all of the professionals involved in the donation and transplantation system for the collection, storage, analysis, and publication of all OPTN data pertaining to the patient waiting list, organ matching, and transplants. The system contains data regarding every organ donation and transplant event occurring in the U.S. since October 1, 1987. UNet is a fail-safe, 24/7, secure Internet-based transplant information database created to enable the nation's organ transplant institutions to: * register patients for transplants * match donated organs to waiting patients * manage the time-sensitive, life-critical data of all patients, before and after their transplants Data reports are available by type: National Data, Regional Data, State Data, Center Data, Build Advanced Report, and Annual Report Data. UNet is being used right now by all of the nation's organ transplant programs, organ procurement organizations, and histocompatibility (tissue typing) laboratories working cooperatively to efficiently share a limited number of donated organs among thousands of patients.

Abbreviations: OPTN

Synonyms: Organ Procurement Transplantation Network

Resource Type: data or information resource, database, patient registry, people resource

Keywords: transplant, organ, kidney, pancreas, liver, heart, lung, intestine, adult, pediatric, adult human, young human, child, thoracic, waiting list, donation, transplantation, data set, medical data, FASEB list

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network.

No alerts have been found for Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 50 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [SPARC SAWG](#) .

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