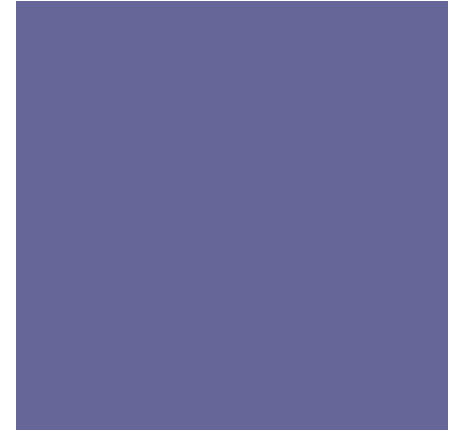




Transplant First: Introduction



Transplant first: Addressing inequality of access to renal transplantation across the North West

Kerry Tomlinson KQUIP Transplant First Project Lead
North West KQUIP Training day

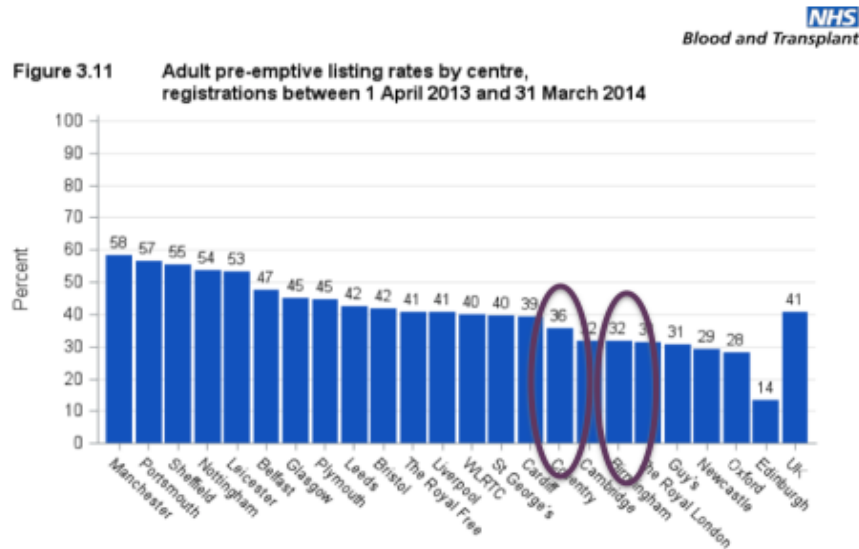


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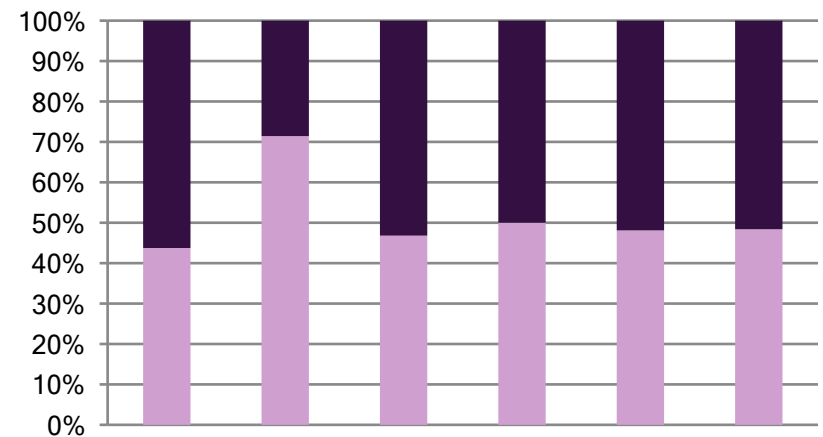


- What was it?
- What is it?
- What can it be?

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Pre-emptive transplant listing from each renal unit April 17-Dec17



Renal Units

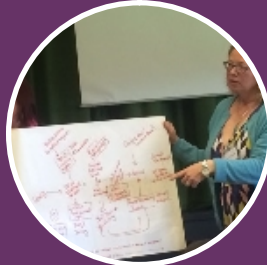


Think Kidneys · 26/04/2018
Lots more sharing ideas about process/ transplant pathway
[#transplantfirst](#) looking at the question What are the issues?



Transplant First · 26/04/2018
Really proud of the West Midlands kidney transplant community today. Showing changes they have made and plan to make to improve transplantation and living donation. Working together !
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[#Transplantfirst](#)

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Early
agreement

Valuable time

RMI debate

Unit feedback

Launch
July 20

Sustainability

Education
July 2017

catheter

discussion

points

Quick Wins

Patient Voice

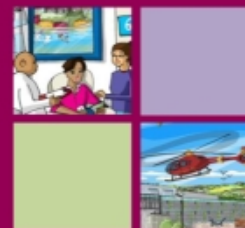
Sponsor team meetings, conference calls, working with RR,
subgroup meetings, contact with units etc



Transplant First and KQUIP



How to deliver Transplant First in your region



**THINK
KIDNEYS**

Latest: New blog on leadership trail

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Enhanced dashboard data (2018 Q2)

INCLUDE All patients in unit who started Haemodialysis or Peritoneal Dialysis for established renal failure in the quarter.
INCLUDE patients who start haemodialysis or peritoneal dialysis for established renal failure.
INCLUDE patients with a failing transplant who start dialysis in the quarter

EXCLUDE from any patient who had first been seen by the Nephrologist less than 90 days prior to starting dialysis (for
EXCLUDE patients who start haemodialysis or peritoneal dialysis for acute kidney injury.

ID no ①	Status ②	Reason ③	Comment
1	Working up or under discussion	Referred for Assessment when eGFR < 15	
2	Active on list		
3	No documented decision	Patient DNA on at least 3 separate assessment Appointments	
4	Working up or under discussion	Medically Complex	
5	Working up or under discussion	Referred for Assessment when eGFR <	

Measurement for
improvement and RCA

Transplant First

It is well recognised that for patients with advanced kidney disease a transplant is the best form of renal replacement therapy. Patients themselves often want to have a transplant as soon as possible to avoid dialysis. Not every patient will be suitable, but if they are, receiving a transplant either before starting dialysis (pre-emptive) or shortly after has been shown to be beneficial. For patients who have access to living kidney donor transplant (LKDT) there is even more benefit. Despite this there is huge variability in access to the transplant list. The [UK Renal Registry](#) and [NHSBT](#) reports show that across the UK different Renal and transplant units have widely differing rates of pre-emptive transplant listing, time taken to listing, and access to LKDT. For a treatment which is so beneficial to patients and cost saving this cannot be acceptable.

"When my kidneys failed, getting a kidney transplant became the most important thing that I had ever wanted in my life. I have never wanted anything more and never will. Each step of the way I was accompanied by a desperate longing for it to happen, and every setback and disappointment felt acutely, and caused a

+ TF as a NW project

- PM support
- Training
- Data collection/RCA tool
- Suggested mandate and data collection strategy

.....over to you to run your project as a region

