Achieving Comprehensive Coordination in Organ Donation







A look into the future of Living Donor Registries in the European Union

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Back to the beginning

- Why do we want living donor follow-up?
 - Increase in number of living donors
 Responsibility to take care of a living donor
 - (individual)
 - Responsibility to take care of living donors (in general)
 - Which donors are eligible?
 - Is the operation procedure safe?
 - How about the safety on the long run?
 - Informed consent

Back to the beginning

EU Directive 2010/53/EU on standards of Quality and Safety of human organs intended for transplantation

"Member States shall ensure that a register or record of the living donors is kept and shall endeavor to carry out the follow-up of living donors."

ACCORD Work Package 4

- 'Developing live donor registries and fostering international data sharing on live donation'

Expected outcomes:

Objective:

 - 'Recommendations for setting up living donor registries will be provided, facilitating international data sharing. This will provide Member States without living donation with standards and expected results'.







How to achive this

- Incidental data collection with data from existing (national) registries
- Periodic data collection with data from existing (national) registries
- Incidental / periodic collection of aggregated data
- A European Registry of Registries

Feasibility

Lessons learned from the ACCORD project:

- Collecting different items
- 'Comparing apples with oranges'
- Variation in governance / policies
- Very time consuming
- No structural system

Feasibility

Possible solutions:

- One common data set
- One common data dictionary
- According to recommended database structure



decentralized decision making

Solution

A European registry of registries according to ACCORD recommendations!



'The living donor registry can start tomorrow!'

What do we need?

- Implementation of data set and data dictionary
- A solid application
- Installment of the governance organisation
- Specified policies
- Sustainable financial structure

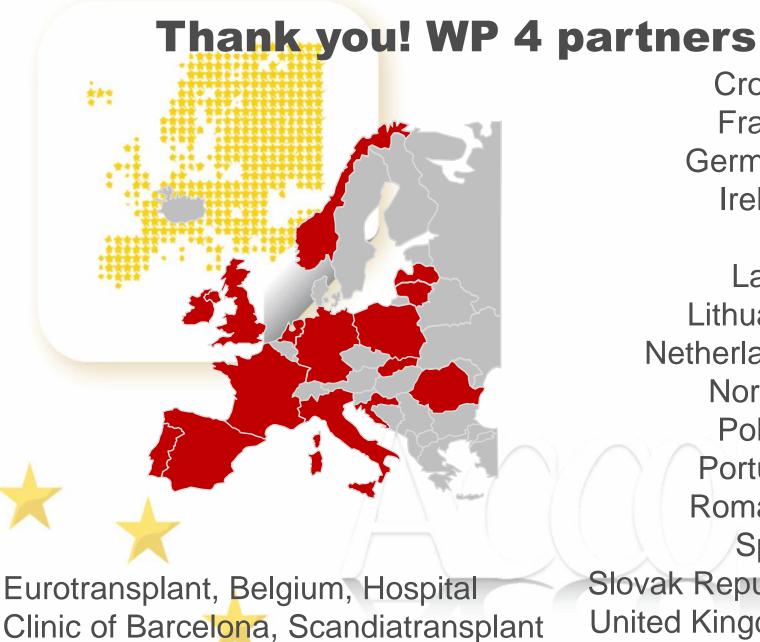
Pathway

- Enthusiastic countries to participate
- Competent partners to facilitate a European RoR
- Experienced partner to guide this implementation process
- Financial support from EC for first period



Plea

- Follow-up of every living donor in the EU
- Data collection in a digital registry
- International data sharing in a RoR
 - established a.s.a.p.
 - using the experience, knowledge and enthusiam from the ACCORD project
 - according to ACCORD recommendations
 - with support from the EC



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