ORGAN-SPECIFIC TRANSPLANTATION PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS LIVER TRANSPLANTATION PROGRAM CRITERIA

In addition to approval by Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) and the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network (OPTN), patients considered for liver transplantation are those who meet the American Association for the Study of Liver Diseases (AASLD) guidelines.

INTESTINAL AND MULTIVISCERAL TRANSPLANTATION PROGRAM CRITERIA

In addition to approval by Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) and the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network (OPTN), the following are required of intestinal and multivisceral transplantation programs:

- Must perform 10 or more intestinal/multivisceral transplants per year;
- Must have one year actuarial survival rate for intestinal/multivisceral transplants greater than 65%.

Patients considered for intestinal or multivisceral transplantation are those with intestinal failure who have failed total parenteral nutrition.

HEMATOPOIETIC PROGENITOR CELL TRANSPLANTATION PROGRAM CRITERIA

Hematopoietic progenitor cell transplantation must be performed in a medical facility that has been accredited by the Foundation for the Accreditation of Cellular Therapy (FACT).

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CARDIAC TRANSPLANTATION PROGRAM CRITERIA

In addition to approval by Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) and the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network (OPTN), the following are required of cardiac transplantation programs:

- Programs with transplant patients under age 12 must have pediatric sub-specialists in the areas indicated for program personnel as referenced in the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network guidelines.
- Programs with neonatal transplant patients must have a level 3 neonatal intensive care unit with neonatology support.

Patients considered for cardiac transplantation are those with end-stage cardiac disease, in accordance with the International Society for Heart and Lung Transplantation (ISHLT) guidelines.

RENAL TRANSPLANTATION PROGRAM CRITERIA

In addition to approval by Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) and the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network (OPTN), the following is required of renal transplantation programs:

Programs transplanting pediatric patients must meet all program requirements for a Comprehensive Children's Kidney Failure Center (CCKFC) including pre-dialysis, dialysis, transplantation and post-transplantation services.

PANCREAS TRANSPLANTATION PROGRAM CRITERIA

Programs performing pancreas transplantation must have the approval by Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) and the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network (OPTN).

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LUNG TRANSPLANTATION PROGRAM CRITERIA

In addition to approval by Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) and the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network (OPTN), the following are required of lung transplantation programs:

- Programs transplanting patients under age 12 must have pediatric sub-specialists in the areas indicated for program personnel as referenced in the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network guidelines.
- Programs transplanting neonates must have a level 3 neonatal intensive care unit with neonatology support.

Patients considered for lung transplantation are those with chronic, end-stage lung disease, in accordance with the International Society for Heart and Lung Transplantation (ISHLT) guidelines.

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