



**SELECTION CRITERIA FOR ADULT/PEDIATRIC KIDNEY
TRANSPLANT LISTING**

INDICATIONS (Must have at least one)

- _____ End Stage Renal Disease
- _____ Documented creatinine clearance less than or equal to 20 ml/minute
- _____ Documentation of initiation of dialysis
- _____ Documented diagnosis of ESRD (GFR \leq 20 mL/min)
- _____ **Pediatric patients (age < 18 years): medically indicated based on Pediatric Nephrologist recommendations**
- _____ Adult patients may be listed preemptively with CKD IV without a qualifying GFR, but will not accrue waiting time per OPTN until they have either documentation of initiation of dialysis or documentation of GFR \leq 20 mL/min

REQUIREMENTS

- _____ Completion of multidisciplinary evaluation
- _____ Documentation of Hepatitis B Virus (HBV) vaccination status. If unvaccinated and vaccination is not recommended by a transplant physician, documentation of the reason is required.

ABSOLUTE CONTRAINDICATIONS – (to be assessed and determined by transplant team)

- _____ Irreversible cardiac disease (i.e. CAD, low EF etc.)
- _____ Severe peripheral vascular disease (without an appropriate target vessel for transplantation)
- _____ Severe pulmonary hypertension (as determined by Pulmonary Arterial Pressure)
- _____ Untreated malignancy - with the exception of select, low risk cancers deemed appropriate by transplant medical leadership
- _____ Active systemic infection except Hepatitis and HIV
- _____ Active non-compliance
- _____ Decompensated Cirrhosis
- _____ Current substance abuse (alcohol, drugs, chemicals)
- _____ Active psychosis

RELATIVE CONTRAINDICATIONS – (to be determined on a case by case basis)

- _____ Age \geq 80 years
- _____ History of melanoma
- _____ Body mass index (BMI) > 40
- _____ Sickle cell disease

Patient Acceptance Outside of Program Criteria - Patients can be accepted for waitlisting outside of the above criteria at the discretion of program clinical and/or administrative leadership