

Checklist for Reporting Human Islet Preparations Used in Research

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NO human islet was used in this study.

Islet preparation	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8 ^a
MANDATORY INFORMATION								
Unique identifier	NO human islet was used							
Donor age (years)								
Donor sex (M/F)								

Donor BMI (kg/m ²)								
Donor HbA _{1c} or other measure of blood glucose control								
Origin/source of islets ^b								
Islet isolation centre								
Donor history of diabetes? Yes/No								
If Yes, complete the next two lines if this information is available								
Diabetes duration (years)								
Glucose-lowering therapy at time of death ^c								

RECOMMENDED INFORMATION								
Donor cause of death								
Warm ischaemia time (h)								

Cold ischaemia time (h)								
Estimated purity (%)								
Estimated viability (%)								
Total culture time (h) ^d								
Glucose-stimulated insulin secretion or other functional measurement ^e								
Handpicked to purity? Yes/No								
Additional notes								

^aIf you have used more than eight islet preparations, please complete additional forms as necessary

^bFor example, IIDP, ECIT, Alberta IsletCore

^cPlease specify the therapy/therapies

^dTime of islet culture at the isolation centre, during shipment and at the receiving laboratory

^ePlease specify the test and the results