

Checklist for Reporting Human Islet Preparations Used in Research

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Living pancreas slice preparation	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8 ^a	
MANDATORY INFORMATION									
Unique identifier	6516	6531	6535	6537	6539	6546	6548		
Donor age (years)	20.75	19.25	31.07	33.05	24.6	22.29	20.24		
Donor sex (M/F)	М	F	F	М	М	М	М		
Donor BMI (kg/m²)	28.8	30	29.6	20.8	19.3	23.7	23.8		

Donor HbA _{1c} or other measure of blood glucose control	5.5	5.5	N/A	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.7	
Origin/source of islets ^b	nPOD							
Islet isolation centre	nPOD							
Donor history of diabetes? Yes/No	No							
If Yes, complete the next two lines if this information is available								
Diabetes duration (years)								
Glucose-lowering therapy at time of death								

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 measuremente				
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