



# Resources and Policy for Transplants

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# Rare diseases, eligibility, TC density, resources , cooperation

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# Panel Discussion

- Address issues **related** to rare diseases
  - Are necessary specialized centers for congenital diseases like sickle cell anemia?
  - Are necessary centers performing only transplant in children?
- Address **challenges** that need to be consider for certain situations.
  - When should a patient be derived to a TC?
  - After transplant, when should the patient be referred to his doctor?
- Discuss potential **solutions** to overcome these challenges.
  - How to improve or facilitate the transplant medical consult?
  - Should the TC doctors visit remote care clinics?
  - Cooperation between countries



## Rare disease, age specific

- 8 y/o child with sickle cell anemia and stroke with sibling matched donor.
- Considerations:
  - Where should be transplanted? Near home in a center without disease specific experience or travel 1.000 km?
  - When should be referred back to his town?



# Time to Transplant

- 25 y/o woman with high risk group acute myeloid leukemia with a sibling matched donor
- Considerations:
  - Referral after 1 CR induction or at diagnosis?
  - 1 CR only after 2 nd. consolidation and waiting list of 3 month. How many TC are needed in a country?



# Special considerations

- 55 y/o man with multiple myeloma, PR with “old” drugs.
- 10 y/o girl with refractory AML with sibling donor.
- 4 y/o boy with beta Thalassemia with a matched umbilical cord unit.
- 40 y/o man with CML (no access to tyrosine kinase inhibitors) in chronic phase with 12 months from diagnosis and with a male sibling donor.

