1. Deployment of the Clinical Portal

Since launching the Clinical Portal on August 28th over 600 transplant clinicians and clinical coordinators have been given access to their unit’s recipient data in OrganMatch. This is the first time that the clinical units have been able to have access to the Organ Matching System. The clinical portal has enabled clinicians to have access to real time patient reports electronically via web interface. This includes current HLA antibody data which is important for donor offers, waiting list information and patient matching history. 198 clinicians and coordinators have so far activated their account and feedback has been very positive including many suggestions for additional reports and information. Please continue to provide feedback to the OM team. One suggestion from the trial of the clinical portal with the RMH renal unit, was to have 2 way communication in the portal which has also been implemented. Attachments and notes can be added to the portal to facilitate information exchange between the transplant laboratories and the clinical unit. Direct access to patient data provides clinical teams with readily available information to support their patients. The statistics below show access by state.

OrganMatch Contact Details:
OrganMatch Application ADVICE: NationalOrganMatchOffice@redcrossblood.org.au
DATA queries – contact your local HLA laboratory

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September 2019 Communication
2. Post Deployment – Training and Site Visits

The OM team will continue to visit units post the deployment of the OrganMatch Clinical Portal. The purpose of the visits will be to provide training and troubleshoot any problems or issues encountered.

If you wish to have a visit from the OrganMatch team, please contact the National OrganMatch Office by email NationalOrganMatchOffice@redcrossblood.org.au.

Proposed Dates for Sites Visits:

- Canberra – 8th October
- Queensland – 11-12th November
- South Australia – 6-8th November
- Victoria – 3-4th, 9th, 28th-30th October
- Western Australia – 19-21st November
- New South Wales – 14-15th October, 21-22nd October, 1st November

Additional training can be organised on request.

3. Helpful Hint of the Month – How to Upload Notes and Attachments into OrganMatch

Reports that have been generated in the system and issued by the laboratory (from April 2nd 2019) can be viewed and downloaded from the ‘Notes & attachments’ section.

Attachments and notes can be also added to a recipient record.

To add a note:
- Click ‘Add Note’

Add a title and detail of Note
- Click on Attachment and add a document (PDF/Excel/Word)
  - For example Enrolment forms, ABO results, consent forms could be attached
- Click ‘Save’

When a note is added, a notification will be sent to the laboratory, indicating that a note has been added to the recipient record.