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# **Surgery Updates of Heart Transplantation in Children and Adults**

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## Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

Surgery updates in heart transplantation for both children and adults have significantly advanced the field of cardiac transplantation. Heart transplantation remains the gold standard treatment for end-stage heart failure when medical management is no longer effective. Recent developments in surgical techniques, immunosuppressive therapies and organ preservation have improved outcomes and expanded the eligibility criteria for transplantation in both pediatric and adult populations.

These surgery updates in heart transplantation for both children and adults have revolutionized the field, offering new hope and improved outcomes for patients with endstage heart failure. Ongoing research and technological advancements continue to drive progress in this vital area of cardiac surgery.

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