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Central Message: Evolving allocation policies, donor management strategies, preservation technologies, bridge-to-transplant methods, and surgical techniques reflect the current state of the art in pediatric lung transplantation.

Abstract

Pediatric lung transplantation is a highly specialized therapy for end stage pulmonary disease in children, performed in only a handful of transplant centers around the world. Advancement in the field has been made on many fronts in recent years, including in public policy and organ allocation strategies, donor selection and management, emerging technologies for donor lung rehabilitation and bridge-to-transplant

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