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Authors	Title	Year, country, journal	Aim	Method	Result
Anderson. SM., Wray, J., Ralph, J., Spencer, H., Lunnon-Wood, T & Gannon, K.	Experiences of adolescent lung transplant recipients: a qualitative study	2017, United Kingdom, <i>Pediatric Transplantation</i>	A qualitative study exploring experiences of young people who underwent lung transplantation	Design: Qualitative study Sample: n = 6 (3M/3F), age 15–18; CF = 5, Pulmonary arterial hypertension = 1 Data collection: Semi-structured interviews Analysis: Phenomenological Analysis	Three themes: 1) Living with Dodgy Lungs 2) The Big Deal 3) A Sense of Self Quality: High
Brügger, A., Aubert, JD & Piot- Ziegler, C.	Emotions while awaiting lung transplantation: A comprehensive qualitative analysis	2014, Schweiz, <i>Health Psychological Open</i>	To investigate the experiences of patients with respiratory disease while waiting for a lung transplant	Design: Qualitative study Sample: n = 16 (9M/7F), age 27–65; COPD = 5, Pulmonary arterial hypertension = 3, Alpha-1 Antitrypsin Deficiency = 3, other respiratory disease = 2, ILD = 2, CF = 1 Data collection: Semi-structured interviews Analysis: Qualitative Content Analysis.	Three themes: 1) Positive emotions (gratitude, hope, relief). 2) Negative emotions (anxiety, fear, guilt, fatigue, exhaustion). 3) Neutral emotions (uncertainty, ambivalence). Quality: Medium

<p>Duck, A., Spencer LG., Bailey, S., Leonard, C., Ormes, J & Caress A-L.</p>	<p>Perceptions, experiences and needs of patients with idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis</p>	<p>2015, United Kingdom, <i>Journal of Advanced Nursing</i></p>	<p>To understand the perceptions, needs and experiences of patients with Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis</p>	<p>Design: Qualitative study Sample: n = 17 (7M/10F), age 23–67; Idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis = 17 Data collection: Semi-structured interviews Analysis: Framework Analysis.</p>	<p>Three main themes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Struggling to get a diagnosis 2) Loss of the life I previously had 3) Living with Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis <p>Quality: Medium</p>
<p>Ivarsson, B., Ekmeahag, B & Sjöberg, T.</p>	<p>Recently accepted on heart or lung transplant waiting lists - patients' experiences of information and support</p>	<p>2011, Sweden, <i>Clinical Transplantation</i></p>	<p>Describes patients' experiences of the information and support received after being placed on the waiting list for a heart or lung transplant</p>	<p>Design: Qualitative descriptive design Sample: n = 21 (11 lung), age 24–65; COPD = 3, Alpha-1 Antitrypsin Deficiency = 2, Immunoglobulin deficiency = 2, PAH = 1, CF = 1, Pulmonary fibrosis = 1, Bronchiolitis obliterans = 1 Data collection: semi-structured interviews Analysis: Qualitative Content Analysis</p>	<p>Two main themes and five subgroups</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Body and mind 2) Information and support <p>Subgroups:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Chronic illness affects the patients 2) Attitudes towards the future 3) Impact of information 4) Support from public organizations 5) Support from the private sphere <p>Quality: High</p>

Ivarsson, B., Ekmeahag & Sjöberg, T.	Heart or lung transplanted patients' retrospective views of information and support while waiting for transplantation	2013, Sweden, <i>Journal of Clinical Nursing</i>	To describe the patients' retrospective experiences of the information and support they received while on the heart or lung transplant waiting list	<p>Design: Qualitative descriptive design</p> <p>Sample: n = 16 (8 lung), age 26–67; COPD = 2, CF = 2, Alpha-1 Antitrypsin Deficiency = 2, Pulmonary fibrosis = 1, Sarcoidosis = 1</p> <p>Data collection: Semi-structured interviews</p> <p>Analysis: Qualitative Content Analysis</p>	<p>Three main themes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Achieving confidence and trust by information and support 2) Experiencing a lack of input and understanding 3) Struggling with a life-threatening illness and an insecure future <p>Quality: High</p>
Ivarsson, B., Ingemasson, R & Sjöberg, T.	Experiences of supportive care when waiting for a lung retransplantation	2017, Sweden <i>SAGE Open Medicine</i>	To describe patients' and next of kin's experiences of supportive care while awaiting lung retransplantation with the objective to highlight a small group in a special situation and with special needs	<p>Design: Qualitative descriptive design</p> <p>Sample: n = 7 (3M/4F), CF = 2, Pulmonary fibrosis = 2, Alpha-1 Antitrypsin Deficiency = 1, Pulmonary arterial hypertension = 1, COPD = 1</p> <p>Data collection: Semi-structured interviews</p> <p>Analysis: Qualitative Content Analysis</p>	<p>Main theme and subcategories:</p> <p>Once again haunted by death</p> <p>Subcategories</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) When life turns against you, and death once again breathes down your neck. 2) The importance of information 3) Perceptions of support <p>Quality: High</p>

McDonald, K.	Living in limbo - patients with cystic fibrosis waiting for transplant	2006, United Kingdom, <i>British Journal of Nursing</i>	To examine the lived experiences of patients with cystic fibrosis and their carers while coping with the rigours of chronic illness while waiting for a lung transplant	<p>Design: Qualitative descriptive design</p> <p>Sample: n = 8 (5M/3F), age 19–40; CF = 8</p> <p>Data collection: Semi- structured interviews</p> <p>Analysis: Qualitative Content Analysis</p>	<p>Four themes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Displacement 2) Disorder 3) Life in limbo 4) Readjustment to wellness <p>Quality: High</p>
Moloney, S., Cicutto L, Hutcheon M & Singer L.	Deciding about lung transplantation: informational needs of patients and support persons	2007, Canada, <i>Progress in Transplantation</i>	To identify the informational needs of patients and support persons during the transplantation journey	<p>Design: Qualitative descriptive design</p> <p>Sample: n = 22 (11M/11F), Age 22–65: ILD = 11, COPD = 7, CF = 3, Graft vs host disease = 1</p> <p>Data collection: Semi-structured interviews</p> <p>Analysis: Qualitative Content Analysis</p>	<p>Three themes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Support from God 2) Dependent on a lung transplantation. Remaining optimistic 3) The need for more information on transplantation <p>Quality: Medium</p>

Naef, R & Bounes, D.	The Lived Experiences of Waiting - A Parse Method Study	2009, Switzerland, <i>Nursing Science Quarterly</i>	To discover the structure of the lived experience of waiting and to generate new knowledge on health and quality of life	<p>Design: Qualitative study</p> <p>Sample: n = 11 (3M/8F), age 32–67; ILD = 6, COPD = 3, Bronchiolitis obliterans = 2</p> <p>Data collection: Unstructured interviews</p> <p>Analysis: Phenomenological-hermeneutic Analysis</p>	<p>Three themes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Anticipating the cherished 2) Arduous constraint 3) Fortifying engagements <p>Quality: Medium</p>
Ullrich, G., Schmidt, S, Scharf, E., Penkert, J., Niedermayer, J & Schultz, W.	Lung transplant recipients' views on the integration of their new organs	2010, Germany, <i>Disability and Rehabilitation</i>	To evaluate these aspects in young adult lung transplant recipients with at least 1-year survival	<p>Design: Mixed method</p> <p>Sample: n = 45 (24M/21F), age 18–42; CF = 27 (19M/8F), Non-CF = 18</p> <p>Data collection: Semi-structured interviews</p> <p>Analysis: Qualitative Content Analysis</p>	<p>Three themes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Grateful for a new life 2) Feelings of guilt for the donor's family 3) Fear of rejection <p>Quality: Medium</p>

<p>Yelle, M., Stevens, PE., & Lanuza, D.</p>	<p>Waiting Narratives of Lung Transplant Candidates</p>	<p>2013, USA, <i>Nursing Research and Practice</i></p>	<p>To investigate the experiences of patients with respiratory disease while waiting for a lung transplant</p>	<p>Design: Qualitative longitudinal design Sample: n = 7 (3M/4F), age 25–68; COPD = 7 Data collection: Semi-structured interviews Analysis: Narrative Analysis</p>	<p>Three themes: Suffering: Waiting affected life. Uncertainty for the future Hope: Waiting for a better life. Trust in God Meaning: There was meaning with the wait Quality: Medium</p>
<p>York, J & Cameron-Traub, E.</p>	<p>Patients' perceived care needs whilst waiting for a heart or lung transplant</p>	<p>2008, Australia <i>Journal of Clinical Nursing</i></p>	<p>To explore patients' experiences of nursing care and how they believed their care needs were, or could be, met by transplant nurses, while on the heart and/or lung transplant waiting list</p>	<p>Design: Qualitative descriptive design Sample: n = 12 (10 lung) and (2 heart/lung), age 21–67; Pulmonary arterial hypertension = 2, Pulmonary fibrosis = 4, CF = 3, COPD = 2, bronchiectasis = 1 Data collection: Semi-structured interviews Analysis: Qualitative Content Analysis</p>	<p>Five themes: 1) Need for information 2) Need for contact with nurses 3) Need for familiarity 4) Need for positive thinking 5) Need for compassion Quality: High</p>

<p>Yorke, J & Cameron-Traub E.</p>	<p>What aspects of nursing care are important to patients on a heart and lung transplant waiting list?</p>	<p>2009, United Kingdom, <i>Progress in Transplantation</i></p>	<p>What aspects of nursing care are important to patients on a heart and lung transplant waiting list</p>	<p>Design: Qualitative descriptive and retrospective design Sample: n = 12 (10 lung) and (2 heart/lung), age 21–67; Pulmonary arterial hypertension = 2, Pulmonary fibrosis = 4, CF = 3, COPD = 2, Bronchiectasis = 1 Data collection: Semi-structured interviews Analysis: Qualitative Content Analysis</p>	<p>Five themes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Information 2) Regular contact with transplant team 3) Regular contact with the nurses 4) Positive attitude and sense of humor 5) Compassion <p>Quality: Medium</p>
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