

COLLEGE CHALLENGE TOOLKIT



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VISIT [DONORS1.ORG](https://donors1.org) FOR MORE INFORMATION

Gift of Life Videos

Show Don't Tell!

Overview Video

An introduction video to Gift of Life Donor Program



Religion and Organ Donation

Hear from transplant recipients and donor families about how faith guided them through their donation/transplant journey

The Transformative Story of Tissue Donation- Carrie's Story.

After being diagnosed with a rare genetic disorder, Carrie received the gift of donated tendon grafts in her shoulder that allowed her to live a normal life.

Sprinting Ahead After Transplant- Onyi's Story.

Onyi Kenine received a life-saving liver transplant as an infant and it has never held her back from living a normal, healthy life. Her donor is always on her mind as she lives the best life she can.

Life After Loss- Anthony's Story.

Donor Mom , Melanie Penna, shares the story of her son Anthony, who in his passing gave the gift of life to others. His legacy lives on in the hearts of those who loved him and now even those who never knew him.

"It Took a Simple Yes to Save Their Lives- Markita's Story.



When Markita said yes to organ donation, she found comfort knowing that her son Marquis would give others a second chance at life.

One Family, Many Gifts: Rafiah's Story.

A liver transplant gave Rafiah Cheeks a second chance at life. He and his family are so grateful to his donor hero and their family. When their mother died, they donated her tissue and corneas, giving others the gift of life.

Stories & Articles

Read All About It!

Gift of Life Stories Webpage

Here, donor families, transplant recipients and others share inspiring stories about how donation and transplant transforms lives.

Featured Stories

Waiting for a Kidney Transplant: Brianna's Story

Brianna, a bright student with a passion for music, was shocked to be diagnosed with kidney failure during her senior year of high school and placed on the kidney transplant waiting list.

Organ donation giving young Phillies fan a chance at a normal life

CJ Adams, 12-year-old heart recipient, shares how his transplant saved his life and allowed him to continue being a kid. He even threw out the first pitch at a Phillies game!

Welcome Baby Benjamin: Penn Medicine Birth Marks a Milestone in Uterus Transplant Clinical Trial

Birth is Penn's first as part of its innovative Uterus Transplant Clinical Trial, and second in the US following deceased donor transplant.



Waitlist Patients Showcase Strength During Transplant Waitlist

Three kidney waitlist patients share their experiences.

Kidney Recipient Dylan Cherishes New Lease on Life

Dylan Contreras likes to say he has two birthdays. One is the day he was born. The second is the day he received his life-saving kidney transplant.





NOW IS YOUR CHANCE
LIVE & GIVE

Onyi, athlete, student, liver recipient, Wilmington, DE

SAVE LIVES.

BECOME AN ORGAN DONOR.

Register today, and you can help save as many as eight lives and help countless more through organ, tissue and cornea donation.



Make a difference in a meaningful way.

Register today at

registerme.org/studentssavelives



GIFT of LIFE
DONOR PROGRAM
THE REGION'S ORGAN & TISSUE TRANSPLANT NETWORK



A Donate Life Organization

Digital Brochures



Know The Facts!

10 Reasons to Say Yes to Organ Donation

- *Organ donors save lives. Learn of 10 reasons to say yes and how that decision saved lives here.*

Also available in Spanish.

Myths & Misconceptions

- *Sometimes, myths and misperceptions about organ, eye, and tissue donation can prevent someone from signing up. You can help bust the myths about organ donation—and help save lives—by learning and sharing these facts.*

Fact Sheet

- *An up-to-date guide to Gift of Life and organ and tissue donation.*

Social Media!

#GiftofLife

Social Media Graphics

- *Download these social media graphics to use for a variety of posts.*



Top Hashtags

#OrganDonor
#DonateLife
#GiftofLife
#DonorHero



Social Media Post Language

- *Not sure what to say in your post? Use these social post examples!*

*Follow Gift of Life:

Facebook: @donors1

Instagram: @donors1

LinkedIn: @Gift of Life Donor Program

TikTok: @donors1

Helpful Websites

[Donate Life America](#)

[Donate Life PA](#)

[Gift of Life](#)

[National Kidney Foundation](#)

[Pennsylvania Dept. of Education](#)

[Pennsylvania Dept. of Health - Organ Donation Awareness](#)

[TRIO](#)
([Transplant Recipients International Organization, Inc.](#))

[UNOS](#)
([United Network for Organ Sharing](#))

[U.S. Dept. of Health & Human Services](#)