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### Every three days someone dies waiting for a lifesaving organ.

One organ donor can help eight people get back to life.

#### What are you waiting for?

Register your consent today at **beadonor.ca** 

## Register today to help someone in need

Every three days, a person dies waiting for an organ transplant. By registering to become an organ and tissue donor, your death has the power to save or change someone's life.

#### Facts About Organ and Tissue Donation

- 1 organ and tissue donor can save up to 8 lives and enrich as many as 75.
- The first and foremost duty of health care professionals is to save a life. Only when a life cannot be saved does organ and tissue donation become an option.
- Everyone has the potential to be an organ and/ or tissue donor, regardless of age or health.
- The majority of religions support organ and tissue donation or respect an individual's choice.
- Organ and tissue donation should not affect funeral arrangements.
- Your donation decision is confidential and will not affect your medical care. Your donation decision will only be disclosed at the end of life.
- You can change or withdraw your consent to donation at any time.

#### Registering is easy

#### You can register:

- Online at **beadonor.ca**
- In person at any ServiceOntario centre
- By mailing the Organ and Tissue Donor Registration form available at **beadonor.ca/register**

## Register, then talk to your family

By registering your consent to donation now, you save your family the burden of making the decision for you.

After you've registered, talk to your family about your decision to save lives.

Ontario Health (Trillium Gift of Life Network), an agency created by the Government of Ontario, is responsible for planning, promoting, coordinating and supporting organ and tissue donation across Ontario and improving the system so that more lives can be saved.

> To register or to learn more, visit *beadonor.ca* or call 1 800 263 2833.

