



Missouri

Share life.

- ③ Organ and tissue donation is your choice. It is a gift of life.
- ③ You can change or cancel your gift at any time.
- ③ All ages can join the Registry. You do not have to be in the Registry to be a donor.
- ③ The Registry is confidential. Your data is only shared with approved agencies when you are at or near death.
- ③ Joining the registry allows medical staff to:
  - Tell next of kin your choice to be a donor.
  - Obtain social and medical history.
- ③ Medical staff will find out if your gift is safe to use for others. State law gives these staff this right.
- ③ At death, parents or legal caretakers make the final choice for people age birth to 17. A minor who has been given legal adult status has the final decision.
- ③ If there is no record in the Registry, someone you assign, next of kin, guardian, or chosen person can talk for you.
- ③ A suspended, expired, or lost driver license does not cancel your choice to be a donor.
- ③ You must document, as outlined by law, if you do not want others to make a gift for you.
- ③ A donor can save up to 8 lives and help at least 50 more.

## It's Your Choice



Learn more about organ, eye and tissue donation at:  
[www.MissouriOrganDonor.com](http://www.MissouriOrganDonor.com).



Learn More Today

## Register

- ③ To have your name added to the Registry, say **YES** when you apply for or renew your driver license, ID card, or instruction permit, or
- ③ Enroll through the Missouri Organ Donor website, or
- ③ Fill out and submit a paper form. The form is found on the Missouri Organ Donor website. Click on publications. Or, call 888-497-4564.

## Remove

- ③ **Have you said "Yes" to being an organ and tissue donor in the past and no longer want to be in the Registry?**
- ③ **If so, saying "No" at the driver license office does not automatically remove your name from the Registry.** *If you said "No" to the question about being a donor and you have said "Yes" in the past, you will need to go to the website and print the removal form and send it to the Department of Health and Senior Services in order to remove your name from the Registry.*
- ③ **The form is found on the Missouri Organ Donor website.** Click on publications. **Or, call 888-497-4564.**
- ③ Taking your name off of the Registry does not mean you cannot make a gift at the time of your death.

## Change

- ③ Updating your profile lets you say which organs and tissues you do or do not want to donate to another person. Donating to research is also an option.
- ③ To change your record on the website, click on "Update My Profile".

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