



## YEAR-END 2006 Organ Donation Snapshot

<b>Organ Transplant Waiting List</b> (registered nationally and at Illinois transplant centers per the United Network for Organ Sharing as of Jan. 3, 2007)				
	Gift of Hope 1/2007	Gift of Hope 1/2006	U.S. 1/2007	U.S. 1/2006
Kidney	3,552	3,302	69,604	64,835
Kidney- Pancreas	181	171	2,394	2,504
Heart	77	75	2,846	2,994
Liver	837	945	17,045	17,388
Lung	70	67	2,879	3,165
Heart- Lung	2	2	140	141
Pancreas	133	141	1,766	1,686
Intestine	6	4	237	205
<b>Total<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>4,672</b>	<b>4,543</b>	<b>94,256</b>	<b>90,317</b>

<b>Organ Transplants Performed</b> (organs transplanted from deceased donors)				
	Gift of Hope 2006	U.S. 2006	Gift of Hope 2005	U.S. 2005
Kidney	424	10,659	389	9,913
Kidney- Pancreas	39	923	52	902
Heart	82	2,191	70	2,125
Liver	249	6,362	230	6,120
Lung	93	1,401	88	1,405
Heart- Lung	0	31	1	35
Pancreas	41	462	31	540
Intestine	6	171	1	171
<b>Total</b>	<b>973</b>	<b>22,200</b>	<b>915</b>	<b>21,211</b>

<sup>1</sup> Totals may differ from sums due to patients included in multiple categories.

<b>Outcome and Performance Measures</b> (established by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services)							
	National objective	Gift of Hope 2006 total organs transplanted	Gift of Hope 2006 rate	National 2005 total organs transplanted	National 2005 rate	Gift of Hope 2005 total organs transplanted	Gift of Hope 2005 rate
Donation rate <sup>2</sup>	75.0%	305	79.8%	7,593	61.6%	310	70.3%
Number of organs transplanted	3.75 per donor	973	3.19 per donor	21,211	3.06 per donor	915	2.95 per donor

<sup>2</sup> The percentage of deaths of all patients medically eligible for donation who become organ donors following brain death or cardiac death. This category includes extended criteria for donation.

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