

Connecting the Dots... Hospitals in Action

SHARING BEST PRACTICES
TO INCREASE DONATION

Registration Form

(Please print)

Name _____
(Please include all credentials.)

Title _____

Daytime telephone _____

E-mail _____

Hospital _____

Lunch will be provided. Please indicate any special dietary needs:

- Vegetarian
 Other (please specify) _____

Please complete and submit the registration form to your hospital's
Gift of Hope liaison by **Friday, Oct. 17.**

Or, register online by visiting the Medical Professionals section of
www.giftofhope.org.

You will receive a program agenda and directions to the Marriott Oak Brook
via e-mail closer to the program date.



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Hosted by  **gift of hope**SM
Organ & Tissue Donor Network

Thursday, Nov. 6, 2008

8:00 a.m. – 4:15 p.m.

Marriott Oak Brook • Oak Brook, Ill.

Experience peer teaching and learning at its finest

**This program will provide a framework for your team—
in collaboration with your Gift of Hope liaison—to identify
and implement best practices in organ and tissue donation.
By the end of the program, participants will be able to:**

1. Summarize the role of senior leadership when integrating donation as a part of the hospital's mission.
2. List three best practices that can be adapted for use to improve donation rates within their hospitals.
3. Review current practices in donation after cardiac death and identify procedures that could be modified for use in their hospitals.
4. Identify possible resources within the hospital that could be utilized to participate in various aspects of the donation process.

Registration opens at 7 a.m. A continental breakfast will be available.
Lunch will be provided at noon. The program begins at 8 a.m. and ends at 4:15 p.m.

Morning Topics

Welcome/Opening Remarks

Jerry Anderson, *President/CEO*
Gift of Hope Organ &
Tissue Donor Network

Building Effective Hospital/OPO Relationships: A Leadership Imperative

John DeNardo, *President/CEO*
University of Illinois
Medical Center at Chicago

Medal of Honor/ TissueDonation Awards

Jerry Anderson
Cathy Grossi, *Assistant Vice President,
Health Policy & Regulation*
Illinois Hospital Association

Key Roles of the ICU

James Doherty, MD, *Trauma Surgeon*
Advocate Christ Medical Center

Elliott Cohen, MD, *Intensivist*
Condell Medical Center

Raeann Fuller, RN, CCRN,
Nurse Manager, Intensive Care Unit
Condell Medical Center

Karen Cameron, RN, BSN, CPTC,
Clinical Training Coordinator
Gift of Hope Organ &
Tissue Donor Network

Donation Process Overview

Clint Moore III, *Clinical Ethicist*
Advocate Lutheran General Hospital

Rev. John Wilson, PhD, *Trauma Services,
Critical Care Chaplain*
Advocate Lutheran General Hospital

A Look in the OR

Jeanette Coronel, RN, *Clinical Educator*
Mount Sinai Hospital

Karen Cameron

Donation After Cardiac Death in Practice

Cathy Leipold, RN, MS, CCRN,
APN-CNS, *Critical Care*
Carle Foundation Hospital

Afternoon Topics

Two Sides of the Story

Tim Joos, *Donor Father*

Steve Ferkau, *Lung Transplant Recipient*

Tissue Matters

Rev. Linda Pierce, *Chaplain*
Northwest Community Hospital

Kyle Pilz, MMS, PA-C, *Physician
Assistant of Brian Cole, MD, MBA*
Midwest Orthopaedics at Rush
Rush University Medical Center

Ensuring the Best Family Support/Care

Jana Lacera, RN, BSN, MSA,
Director, IRB/Bio-Ethics
Community Healthcare System

Making the Most of Your Donation Committee

Vivian Spence, *Assistant Manager,
Intensive Care Unit/Surgical
Intensive Care Unit*
Trinity Medical Center

Betty Mushynski, RN, BSN, TNS,
Manager, Clinical Operations
Advocate Christ Medical Center

Debra Gibbons, RN, TNS, CCRN,
Clinical Operations Assistant
Advocate Christ Medical Center

Suzanne Heslop, RN, TNS, CCRN,
Clinical Operations Assistant
Advocate Christ Medical Center

Linda Kraiko, RN, *Director of Nursing*
St. Margaret Mercy Healthcare Centers

Commitments/Closing Remarks

Roxane Cauwels, *Hospital Development
Regional Manager*
Gift of Hope Organ &
Tissue Donor Network

Who should attend

This conference is geared toward hospital teams composed of professionals who influence donation practices at their organizations, such as: senior leaders, intensivists, attending physicians, critical care clinicians, pulmonologists, medical directors, nurse administrators, house supervisors, OR staff, quality managers, respiratory therapists, risk management personnel, pastoral care staff, palliative care staff, and social workers.

Contact hours

An application for approval of nursing contact hours has been submitted to the Illinois Nurses Association Approver Unit.

For more information about the contact hours, please contact Gift of Hope Clinical Training Coordinator Karen Cameron at 630/758-2735 or kcameron@giftofhope.org.

Special awards presentation

At this year's program, we will recognize our national Medal of Honor winners and our top tissue donor hospitals.