

Enrolling as an Organ and Tissue Donor

When you register to vote, you'll also have the option to enroll in the New York State Donate Life Registry (Registry), a confidential database of people who have signed up to donate their organs, eyes and/or tissues after their death.

Transplantation is a remarkable success story, and the need for organ, eye and tissue donors continues to grow. In New York State, there are nearly 10,000 people on the national organ transplant waitlist. Each year, thousands of people die while waiting for a transplant because no suitable donor can be found for them.

You have the power to help solve this public health crisis. If you are age 16 or older, you can register to Donate Life, saving and healing lives at your time of death by becoming an organ and tissue donor. You can leave a legacy that impacts countless lives. One person can save 8 lives as an organ donor, and can help and heal up to 75 more as an eye and tissue donor. All it takes is a few moments of your time to complete the Registry enrollment section of the New York State Voter Registration Form.

To learn more about organ and tissue donation, please visit <https://donatelifenys.org/about/faqs/>. You can also join the Registry online in just moments at <https://donatelifenys.org/register/>