# **Donate Life Northwest**

### Mission:

To save and enhance lives through the promotion of organ, eye and tissue donation.

### Vision:

To ensure that everyone waiting for an organ, eye, or tissue transplant receives one.

# Organization:

Donate Life Northwest, currently housed in OHSU space, is incorporated as a private nonprofit organization with 501(c)(3) tax status. Funding sources include grants, corporate sponsorships and contributions, individual gifts and member agency support.

# Programs: Student Outreach, Community Outreach, DMV Outreach & Hispanic Outreach

**Trained speakers** – Every year Donate Life Northwest reaches thousands of people through informative and thought-provoking presentations. Trained guest speakers include transplant recipients and candidates, living donors, healthcare professionals and donor families.

## Organ, eye and tissue donation curriculum tools -

Copies of Discover Donation (DVD/PowerPoint) and curriculum on organ and tissue donation, are available free to high schools and universities. Our state standard aligned curriculum offers comprehensive information on donation and the role each of us can play in saving or enhancing the lives of others.

**Student Service Opportunities** – There are numerous ways for students to get involved with Donate Life Northwest and gain valuable experience professionally and personally. Teachers and students are welcome to submit their own ideas or contact us for possible short or long-term projects.

**Discover OHSU!** – Discover OHSU! partners with Donate Life Northwest to provide information regarding organ, eye and tissue donation and careers in transplantation and donation. This program is available to high school and college students interested in science, health science, or health career programs. Students attending Discover OHSU! hear from both a professional in the healthcare field and a personal story speaker.

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