Donation Process Flow

Oakwood Healthcare System Hospital contacts
Gift of Life Michigan
800-482-4881

Patient on a Ventilator?

Yes

Organ & Tissue Donation Potential:
Medical Record accessed* - Initial medical suitability determined over the phone

GOL coordinator comes on-site to hospital 24/7/365
Reviews entire current and previous medical record to complete medical suitability determination

Patient becomes potential donor

GOL coordinator approaches family on-site with hospital staff to request organ donation

Family consents for organ donation:
1. Family signs consent form
2. GOL Coordinator onsite copies chart for record

No

Tissue Donation Potential:
Medical Record accessed* - Initial medical suitability determined over the phone

In some cases GOL may request chart to be faxed to complete medical suitability determination BEFORE talking to family

Patient becomes potential donor

GOL telephones family to request tissue donation

Family consents for tissue donation:
1. Family verbally consents over phone
2. Consent form reviewed verbally with family
3. Recorded call serves as document of gift
4. Hospital notified and faxes medical record to Gift of Life

* HIPAA
Sec. 164.512 Uses and disclosures for which an authorization or opportunity to agree or object is not required.

(h) Standard: Uses and disclosures for cadaveric organ, eye or tissue donation purposes. A covered entity may use or disclose protected health information to organ procurement organizations or other entities engaged in the procurement, banking, or transplantation of cadaveric organs, eyes, or tissue for the purpose of facilitating organ, eye or tissue donation and transplantation.

**PUBLIC HEALTH CODE (EXCERPT) Act 368 of 1978-PART 101-REVISED UNIFORM ANATOMICAL GIFT LAW (UAGL)

333.10110 Document of gift; amendment or revocation of gift made under MCL 333.10109; revocation effective before incision made or invasive procedures begun.
Sec. 10110. (1) A person authorized to make an anatomical gift under section 10109 may make an anatomical gift by a document of gift signed by the person making the gift or by that person's oral communication that is electronically recorded or is contemporaneously reduced to a record and signed by the individual receiving the oral communication.

333.10114 Referral of individual to procurement organization; search of records of secretary of state and donor registry; access to records; examination to ensure medical suitability; search for parents of minor donor; rights of person to which body part passes; participation of physician. (5) Unless prohibited by law other than this part, an examination under subsection (3) or (4) may include an examination of all medical and dental records or other sources of medical information pertaining to the donor or prospective donor, including those held by a medical examiner's office, correctional facility, physician's office, or other medical entity.