



WORKPLACE PARTNERS

*Because you have the power to do more
than business as usual...*

Donate Life Connecticut welcomes corporations, businesses and organizations from around the state to offer their employees and customers donation information to give them the *Power to Save Lives* through organ and tissue donation.

The Cost:

Nothing! There is no cost to join the national effort and yet your involvement will save lives.

What We Offer:

Donate Life Connecticut is happy to work with each workplace partner to meet the unique needs of that organization. Workplace educational opportunities can include something as simple as posting informational posters around the office to offering lunch-and-learn presentations by Donate Life Connecticut members and volunteers. Donate Life Connecticut can provide resources for our workplace education efforts including educational literature, donor registration forms, employee communication tools and promotional items.

Join A National Effort:

Donate Life Connecticut proudly participates in 'Workplace Partnership for Life', a national initiative spearheaded by the former Secretary of Health and Human Services, Tommy Thompson in 2001, to increase awareness and organ and tissue donation registration in America.

About Us:

Donate Life Connecticut is a volunteer run non-profit coalition of professionals, donor family members, and transplant recipients that are dedicated to educating the public about the life-saving benefits of organ and tissue donation. Through community outreach, media campaigns and public education, we hope to inspire all Connecticut residents to donate.

It is about Living. It is about Life.



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BENEFITS TO YOUR COMPANY

As a Workplace Partner, you are part of the solution! With over 100,000 Americans (including nearly 1,000 Connecticut residents) waiting for a life saving organ transplant it is essential to increase the number of people registered as organ and tissue donors. There is a national donor crisis, resulting in 18 Americans dying every day simply because an organ did not come in time. Every year over 1,000,000 tissue transplants restore mobility through bone transplants, restore sight with cornea transplants and give life through skin or heart valve transplants. The national need is great.

Through public awareness programs like this, together we can increase the number of registered donors...which will save lives! Donate Life Connecticut commends you for your commitment to saving lives by providing valuable information to your employees and your community...giving individuals the opportunity to decide to give the 'Gift of Life'. Who knows how many lives can be saved!

Furthermore, becoming a Workplace Partner is completely free...the only cost is love!

Benefits

- Demonstrate community citizenship through this no-cost program proven to save lives
- As leaders in the business community, you will help inspire others to offer this simple but important program
- Empower your employees and clients to be part of the solution to the donor crisis
- **Receive a free listing on the Donate Life Connecticut website** (logo usage permission forms to follow)

Spreading the word about organ, eye and tissue donation will increase the number of registered donors and ultimately save lives.



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HOW TO JOIN

STEP 1 : Complete the Workplace Partner enrollment form attached.

STEP 2 : Talk with Donate Life Connecticut's program coordinator to find the appropriate way to bring the pro-donation message to your employees and customers

Some examples of workplace activities include:

- ✓ Host a lunch & learn session for your employees, a Donate Life Connecticut member will make a presentation and answer questions
- ✓ Invite Donate Life Connecticut to participate in your internal health and wellness fair
- ✓ Add a link to www.donatelifect.org and/or add a donation web banner to your website
- ✓ Include an article about donation in your company newsletter (we can help provide a template or a story about one of our volunteer donor families or recipients.
- ✓ Send a paper, electronic or voice mail message promoting donation from the president/CEO.
- ✓ Add a Donate Life message to employee pay stubs or include Donate Life paycheck stuffers.
- ✓ Display educational material on company bulletin boards.
- ✓ Display donor registration cards and donation-related materials in high traffic areas, such as the lobby, cafeteria and break rooms.
- ✓ Add donation literature and donor registration forms to new employee benefit packets
- ✓ Implement a leave policy for employees who donate an organ.



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ENROLLMENT FORM

Yes! Please enroll my company in the Workplace Partners Program!

Business/Organization Name: _____

Nature of Business: _____

Business/Organization Website: _____

Contact Name: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

1. Who we will educate: Employees Customers/Clients Both

2. How we plan to educate (mark all): Email Newsletter Website Link
 Lunch & Learn Session Health & Wellness Fair Brochure Rack

3. YES, we want to include Donate Life Connecticut's logo on our website. Please email us a Donate Life web banner and the website link to Donate Life Connecticut.

4. YES, we want our company's logo and name displayed on Donate Life Connecticut's website, illustrating our commitment to donation education

5. Comments & Special Requests: _____

Please return the completed form to:

★ Donate Life Connecticut
P.O. Box 4000
Woodbridge, CT 06525

★ email: donatelifect@gmail.com
★ fax: 203.389.9902

Thank you for partnering with us, together we can save lives.

For more info, please call 203.387.1549, email donatelifect@gmail.com or visit www.donatelifect.org