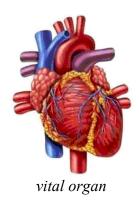
# Are You Sure You Want to be An Organ Donor?



# A GUIDE TO INFORM THE UNINFORMED

Organ donation and transplantation have covertly been turned into a very profitable industry for the sale of body parts!

Problem: vital organs need to come from living donors to be usable.

The life you save by reviewing this information could very well be your own or your family members!

# Preface

Obtaining human organs and tissues from men and women for research, education, therapy and transplant has become a commercial for-profit industry. To be able to successfully transplant hearts, lungs, livers, and kidneys etc they need to come from people who still have a beating heart and are breathing or being artificially ventilated. Legally in the United States removing vital organs would be murder, unless a new definition of death is created. This was done by an ad hoc committee at Harvard in 1968 and they called it 'brain dead'.

This guide is for:

- **Physicians** who have no idea what the unelected Uniform Law Commission is!
- Lawyers who have no idea that the term 'brain dead' was unscientifically created to keep vital organ transplant surgeons from going to jail for murder!
- All Americans who are being victimized by the for-profit medical industrial complex<sup>1</sup>
- The poorly informed men and women who are spending much time and effort trying to increase the number of unwitting organ donors being sacrificed to the "transplantation enterprise"!
- But mostly, those who have consented to or are considering becoming ORGAN DONORS!

Organ donors or potential organ donors who read this guide will become informed. Should they continue to volunteer to be organ donors, they will be giving their "informed consent". God help them!!

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See: Drug-Induced "Iatrogenic" Disorders: The Third Leading Cause of Death in the US and Britain, Global Research.CA; (January 2018)

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As a Registered Respiratory Therapist (RRT) for many years, I had a lot of experience in the Intensive Care Units and Emergency Departments of several hospitals. As a RRT, setting up and monitoring ventilators, running arterial blood gases and actively participating in cardiopulmonary resuscitations were part of my daily job requirements. I also taught both Basic and Advanced Life Support to respiratory therapists, nurses, medical students and practicing physicians through the American Heart Association CPR certification programs.

After retiring from medicine, I became a volunteer Court Appointed Special Advocate for children and learned about statutory codes and the presumed authority they give to government employees and others who are paid (or volunteer) to enforce them.

After witnessing outrageously unjust judicial decisions - such as the imprisonment of fathers who have lost their job and are unable to pay child support - I decided it was time to learn more about the law and the ever growing number of statutes and regulations that are being enforced on an unsuspecting public. Statutes and regulations are written by unelected lawyers - not legislators.

Excerpt (page 5) from law professor Fred Roddell's book: *Woe Unto You Lawyers*"

For the lawyers' trade is a trade built entirely on words. And so long as the lawyers carefully keep to themselves the key to what those words mean, the only way the average man can find out what is going on is to become a lawyer, or at least to study law, himself.

This guide is dedicated to all of the good people who have been or could be in the future victimized by America's transplantation enterprise.

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# THE TRANSPLANTATION ENTERPRISE (INDUSTRY)

In the vast majority of states in America, the "transplantation enterprise" is regulated by the Revised Uniform Anatomical Gift Act (2006). This Act was written by a group of unelected lawyers in 2006. They were (are) members of the Uniform Law Commission and the American Law Institute. There is nothing Constitutional about these men and women writing our laws and they most certainly know that. The laws they write are part of a privately owned (copyrighted) Uniform Commercial Code legal system that has replaced our Constitutional/Common law court system, without our knowledge or consent. The Revised Uniform Anatomical Gift Act (2006) is an example. It was presented to and passed by state legislators in almost every state. The idea of creating a uniform Act is based on inter-state commerce. Organs (body parts) can be extracted from a donor and transported across state lines to be transplanted into a recipient.

# Rules and Regulations Regarding Organ Donors

In an effort to increase volunteer organ donors to meet the needs of the growing number of American's suffering organ failure - due to an unhealthy commercial food supply and a growing number of people taking organ damaging pharmaceuticals<sup>4</sup> <sup>5</sup> - the Uniform Law Commission's National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws wrote their version of the Revised Uniform Anatomical Gift Act<sup>6</sup> at a conference in Hilton Head, South Carolina in 2006. Twelve attorneys, whose names are listed in their report <sup>i</sup>, are guilty of this devious plan to make it easy to sign up to be a donor at the bureau of motor vehicles and quite difficult to reconsider or reverse that decision. These lawyers had

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> "transplantation enterprise" is the term used by bio-ethicists Dr. Truog and Dr. Miller in their 2008 New England Journal of Medicine article titled *Dead Donor Rule and Organ Transplantation*. Definition of enterprise: *a unit of economic organization or activity* 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> See: Drug-Induced "Iatrogenic" Disorders: The Third Leading Cause of Death in the US and Britain by Dr. Gary Knols, GlobalResearch..CA, Jan 17, 2018

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> See: *Big Pharma Exposed*; AntiCorruptionSociety.com; <a href="https://anticorruptionsociety.com/big-pharma-exposed-2/">https://anticorruptionsociety.com/big-pharma-exposed-2/</a>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> See: REVISED UNIFORM ANATOMICAL GIFT ACT (2006) (Last Revised or Amended in 2009) http://www.uniformlaws.org/shared/docs/anatomical\_gift/uaga\_final\_aug09.pdf

little knowledge or understanding of human physiology, neuroscience or cardiology. However, they were well versed in the terminology of the Uniform Commercial Code and the "consent" that is created by those obtaining a driver's license (or renewal) who answer questions and sign their names The people getting or renewing their drivers licenses or state ID's have no awareness that "The signature collected on the signature pad at the workstations for credential issuance [drivers licenses or state IDs] indicate the applicant agrees to and understands the information regarding the issuance."<sup>7</sup>

In 2008 the STATE OF OHIO legislature voted in nearly all of the statutes recommended by the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws regarding the Revised Uniform Anatomical Gift Act (2006) and they are titled: *Ohio Revised Code Chapter 2108: HUMAN BODIES OR PARTS THEREOF*<sup>8</sup>. And after the passage of the Real ID Act in Ohio in 2015, the Ohio Bureau of Motor Vehicles (BMV) instructed their licensing agencies as to its implementation in their *DRIVERS MANUAL, CHAPTER XII, ANATOMICAL DONATION AND LIVING WILL*, which was revised on 12-30-2016. Ohioans who sign the signature pad when they get or renew their drivers license or state ID are completely clueless regarding Ohio Revised Code Chapter 2108 and the Ohio BMV's Drivers Manual Chapter 12. So, there is no way they can "agree to and understand the information regarding" the conditions being enforced on organ donors.

# People don't know about the condition known as 'brain dead'

Most donors think their organs will only be removed after they are officially pronounced dead. They are not told that certain organs like the heart, lungs, kidneys and liver must be removed while the heart is still beating and blood is still circulating. These organs degenerate as soon as they are denied oxygenated blood. So to be able to use them for transplantation they must be removed from what most would consider living donors. To meet the challenge of obtaining vital organs for transplant, a small unelected committee at Harvard in 1967 devised a condition known as 'brain dead'. Patients diagnosed as 'brain dead' could have their vital organs cut out while they were still alive. Of course once their vital organs are removed they are dead.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Direct quote from the Ohio BMV's *Drivers Manual*, Chapter 3, Page 18.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> See: <a href="http://codes.ohio.gov/orc/2108">http://codes.ohio.gov/orc/2108</a>

From the non-profit organ donor advocacy organization Life Connection of Ohio: <a href="https://lifeconnectionofohio.org/faq/">https://lifeconnectionofohio.org/faq/</a>

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## What is brain death?

Brain death occurs after an irreversible, catastrophic brain injury causes all brain activity to permanently stop. Despite all lifesaving efforts, that injury makes the brain swell and obstruct its own blood supply. Without blood flow, all brain tissue dies rapidly. It is possible for someone's heart and lungs to continue to function for a few hours or days with mechanical support, but that function would end when the machine is discontinued.

This information, put out to the public on Life Connection of Ohio's website - which also has links to a sign-up form for the Ohio Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Motor Vehicles, Donor Registry Enrollment program - is **blatantly FALSE**, as is the definition of death in the Ohio Revised Code:

# 2108.40 Definition of death.

An individual is dead if the individual has sustained either irreversible cessation of circulatory and respiratory functions or irreversible cessation of all [??] functions of the brain, including the brain stem, as determined in accordance with accepted medical standards.[??] If the respiratory and circulatory functions of a person are being artificially sustained, under accepted medical standards [??] a determination that death has occurred is made by a physician by observing and conducting a test [the potentially lethal apnea test] to determine that the irreversible [??] cessation of all [??] functions of the brain has occurred.

In reality 'brain death' is unfortunately diagnosed after a catastrophic brain injury has seemingly caused *some* brain activity to be impaired -

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> From bio-ethicists Dr. Truog and Dr. Miller 2008 article in the New England Journal of Medicine titled *Dead Donor Rule and Organ Transplantation*. "Others have claimed that "brain-dead" patients are dead because their brain damage has led to the permanent cessation of function of the organism as a whole. Yet evidence shows that if these patients are supported beyond the acute phase of their illness (which is rarely done), they can survive for many years."

either permanently or temporarily due to a lack of adequate blood flow to *some* parts of the brain. After a serious injury the brain can swell and impair blood flow if the pressure is not relieved, which can be done either surgically or pharmacologically. The only way all blood flow to the brain would cease on someone who is ventilating and whose heart is beating, is to obstruct both carotid arteries. People who have strokes, which impair the blood flow to portions of the brain, can recover some, if not all of their brain function. Many stroke victims need the assistance of mechanical ventilation initially, but given medical support and time, can come off the ventilator. As a Respiratory Therapist I can say without hesitation that people can live with the assistance of a ventilator for hours, days, weeks or months while their bodies recover. Many times once they have recovered sufficiently, the ventilator can be removed.

Since the 1967 unscientific creation of the condition called 'brain death', the fields of neuroscience and neurosurgery have made amazing advancements in the treatment of brain injuries. Neurosurgeons know how to reduce brain swelling and have observed many patient recoveries - some that could even be considered miraculous.

In 2008 bioethicists Dr. Truog of Harvard and Dr. Miller of the National Institute of Health published an article in the New England Journal of Medicine on the ethics of the 'brain death' diagnosis and the "transplantation enterprise" that relied on it. In their article titled *The Dead Donor Rule and Organ Transplantation*, they acknowledged that the 'brain dead' diagnosis based on the patient's inability to breathe without artificial ventilation cannot be considered ethical as the patient could be maintained on the ventilator and allowed to recover to the best of their ability, which is not done for organ donors.

# Excerpts:

"... in modern intensive care units, ethically justified decisions and actions of physicians are already the proximate cause of death for many patients - for instance, when mechanical ventilation is withdrawn. Whether death occurs as the result of ventilator withdrawal or organ procurement, the ethically relevant precondition is valid consent by the patient or surrogate. With such consent, there is no harm or wrong done in retrieving vital organs before death . . .

In sum, as an ethical requirement for organ donation, the dead donor rule has required unnecessary and unsupportable revisions of the definition of death. Characterizing the ethical requirements of organ donation in terms of **valid informed consent** under the limited conditions of devastating neurologic injury is ethically sound, optimally respects the desires of those who wish to donate organs . . . "

These two bioethicists consider the removal of vital organs under the dubious diagnosis of 'brain death' ethical because . . . the patient or surrogate gave their "consent".

In other words, they consider it ethical (moral) to let the acutely ill or injured patient suffocate by removing him/her from the ventilator [apnea test] as long as the patient or his/her surrogate has consented to be an organ donor! Please note the skewed logic here. They are claiming that if you agree to be an organ donor you have consented to give up <u>all chance of recovery</u> - so that someone else can have your vital organs. How many people would knowingly sign up for that? **NONE!** 

# **Bureau of Motor Vehicles**

In addition to this excellent example of **uniformed** consent, the "transplantation enterprise" is using the Bureau of Motor Vehicles to implement other schemes for obtaining uniformed consent to be an organ donor. The Ohio Revised Code (ORC 4506.07) "requires the [driver's license or state ID] applicant to respond to questions concerning the execution of a living will."

# ORC 4506.07

a. "Declaration, life sustaining equipment?

Most living wills express the specific conditions one has chosen NOT to have their life extended by artificial means. However when employees of the BMV ask the question regarding a living will, the one getting a drivers license or state IDs response is merely recorded as them having "a written declaration in regards to . ., . the withholding or withdrawal of life sustaining treatment." This time for the record, one has consented to

having artificial ventilation withdrawn under undefined circumstances. And, this "*declaration*" is then submitted electronically into the state's registry system.

- b. "Health care power of attorney?"

  The one applying for a drivers license or state ID is asked: "Has the applicant executed a valid power of attorney for health care?"
- c. "License indicates above instrument(s) executed?"

  The one applying for a driver's license or state ID is also asked if they wish to have a life support emblem on their license or ID. This emblem indicates they have a living will granting permission for artificial ventilation to be withheld or withdrawn.

#### Conclusion

When folks get their drivers license or state ID they are generally standing in a long line. Many times they are in a hurry to get back to work. The questions asked by the men or woman behind the counter are fired at them rapidly. The applicant has no time to give them much thought. Virtually NONE OF THEM suspect that their answers could cost them their lives should they ever suffer a severe head injury. And, should the applicant have gone to the Life Connection of Ohio website (or others similar) or read the Ohio Revised Code's "definition of death" (2108.40) they would have been given unscientific propaganda regarding 'brain death'.

Essentially none of the people who agree to be organ donors have given "a valid **informed** consent" to do so. Therefore they need to

- Remove themselves from the state's donor registry see sample for Ohio
- Take a permanent marker and write NO over the emblem on their drivers licenses or state IDs
- Never sign (revoke if necessary) advanced directives, living wills or Do Not Resuscitate (DNR) orders
- If married the spouse automatically has medical power of attorney. If not married and over 18 years old, they need to assign someone they trust to be their medical power of attorney (in writing)
- Educate yourself and others, especially loved ones, about the dangerous 'brain dead' fraud being committed by the "transplantation enterprise"

To unenroll from the Donor Registry, find the form for your state. Employees of the BMV can help you locate it. Fill it out and mark the box indicating that you wish to be removed from the registry. Have two people who know you, who are **not** relatives, sign as signature witnesses. Mail it in and keep a copy. Check the state registry online about a week later to make sure you are NOT ON IT! If you are, repeat the process until you are removed.

# Ohio's Donor Registry Enrollment form:

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### Recommendations

#### Websites:

TruthAboutOrganDonation.com LifeGuardianFoundation.org AntiCorruptionSociety.com; Dark Side of Organ Donation

#### **Books:**

The Undead: Organ Harvesting, the Ice-Water Test, Beating Heart Cadavers - How Medicine is Blurring the Line Between Life and Death, by Dick Teresi

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