

2026 DONATION BY THE NUMBERS



More than **108K people** are waiting nationally



More than **94,000 people** are waiting for a kidney



Every **10 minutes**, another person is added to that list



Nearly **62% of people waiting** are from multicultural communities



Black Americans are nearly **three times more likely** to develop kidney failure compared to white Americans



On average, more than **134 transplants** happen every day in the U.S.



49,000+ organ transplants were performed in the U.S. last year



One organ donor can:

- Save up to **8 lives**
- Heal up to **75 lives** through tissue donation
- Restore sight to **2 people** through cornea donation



In 2025 there were **155k+** new registered donors



Over **170 million** Americans are registered donors nationally



Network for Hope is the **16th largest** OPO, serving Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana, and West Virginia



It only takes **90 seconds** to answer the call. Register today at networkforhope.org.



There are **55** federally designated Organ Procurement Organizations (OPOs) serving communities across the U.S.

(Data sources: HRSA, UNOS, Donate Life America. Statistics reflect most recent national reporting and are subject to change)