

CALL BEFORE YOU EXTUBATE – 1-877-223-6667

Organ Donation Potential

Call Lifeline of Ohio within 60 minutes when patient meets clinical triggers.

Patient must be:

- Vented and heart beating
- Imminent death or non-survivable injury

Tissue / Eye Donation Potential

Call Lifeline of Ohio within 60 minutes of cardiac time of death.

** approved hospitals may use iReferral portal*

A

Any GCS with anticipated family meeting to discuss:

- Terminal de-escalation of care (code status change, vasopressors, etc.
- end-of-life discussions

or

B

GCS 5 or less off paralytics

or

C

Family initiates donation conversation

Patient should not be released to funeral home or coroner until donor evaluation is completed by Lifeline of Ohio.

- Please do not mention donation or Lifeline of Ohio to patient's family.
- Lifeline of Ohio will evaluate all donation potential and huddle with the care team before speaking to the family.

If organ donation is ruled out, patient's cardiac time of death still must be reported in order to evaluate for tissue and/or eye donation.