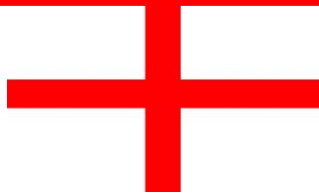




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A Day in the Life of Karen...

NHS Blood and Transplant

What should Bobbee have done?

- Early referral to the Specialist Nurse 03000 20 30 40
- Team approach
- Best units in the country encourage nurse-led referral, backed by NICE guidance 135
- NHS Blood and Transplant Referral Checklist



NHS Blood and Transplant

Identification and Referral of Potential Organ Donors

Identify potential donors as early as possible if either of the following criteria are met.

Patients with severe brain injury if:

- One of more cranial nerve reflexes is absent and the Glasgow Coma Score is 4 or less and cannot be explained by sedation, or
- A decision has been made to perform brain stem death tests.

Patients for whom a decision has been made to withhold life-sustaining treatment

Continue on-going and supportive critical care.

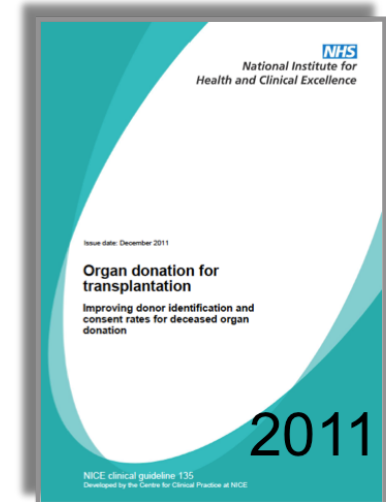
Step 1. Call Organ Donor Referral Line 03000 203040. Provide your hospital name, your name, direct dial number and reason for your call. You will receive a call back within 20 minutes.

Step 2. A member of the organ donation specialist nursing team will contact you and ask a series of structured questions to determine the suitability of the patient to become an organ donor. Providing the information requested will enable the team to undertake a robust assessment, provide a decision about suitability and plan next steps.

Having access to the following information will be useful.

Patient name, DOB, address, NHS/CHI Number, height and weight
Ventilation type, settings, spontaneous breathing rate and ABGs
Past medical history including active infections
Current clinical condition, primary diagnosis, anticipated cause of death and details of events associated with admission
Date (and time if known) of hospital and unit admission
Haemodynamic status including vital signs, haemodynamic support and urine output
Conscious level, sedation, cough & gag reflex and pupil reaction to light
Clinical plan and family circumstances
Current blood results (including pre-admission Creatinine result if available)

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NHS Blood and Transplant

Offer donation / I'll get a SNOD

- Timing of the donation conversation is everything
- Before neurological testing or acceptance of diagnosis/prognosis is never the right time
- You don't always get an adverse reaction like this but an early mention of donation can run this risk

#DontbeKaren





A Day in the Life of Karen...

NHS Blood and Transplant

Park conversation

- Concentrating on each step of the family's journey throughout the day
- Karen acknowledged the question
- Focusing beyond the neurological testing is just speculation



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Deemed consent inclusion criteria

- Margaret fulfils the following:
 - She is over 18 years old
 - She has lived in England for over 12 months voluntarily
 - She has mental capacity
- No Organ Donor Registration
- ? Did she share her decision with her family ?



A Day in the Life of Karen...

NHS Blood and Transplant

Outcome of Amy's conversation

- The conversation doesn't change significantly since pre-legislation
- Talking about the law too early may stop the family engaging
- Specialist Nurses use their experiences to speak positively about the benefits of organ and tissue donation

Take home

- The role of the family will always be central to this conversation
- Organ and tissue donation remains a choice and therefore a gift
- 4 years since the Welsh legislation implementation and NHSBT have learnt lessons:
 - Language
 - Don't lead with the law
 - This type of change takes time
 - Multiple benefits, not just to consent
 - Embracing the change
- Visit our stand

