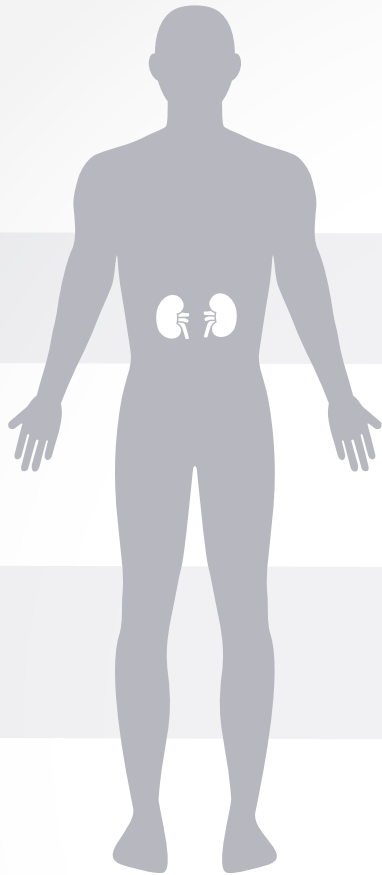


WHY CANADA NEEDS MORE ORGAN DONORS



77% OF CANADIANS WAITING FOR AN ORGAN TRANSPLANT **ARE WAITING FOR A KIDNEY.**

THE MEDIAN WAIT TIME FOR A KIDNEY TRANSPLANT FROM A DECEASED DONOR IS OVER



26% OF ADULT KIDNEY TRANSPLANTS ARE MADE POSSIBLE BY LIVING DONORS.



MORE THAN **45%** OF ALL ADULT LIVING KIDNEY DONORS ARE **NOT A BLOOD RELATIVE OF THE RECIPIENT.**



THE KIDNEY PAIRED DONATION PROGRAM HAS MADE

863

TRANSPLANTS POSSIBLE SINCE 2008.²

YOU CAN BE A PART OF THE SOLUTION.

Consider living organ donation.

Join the Kidney Paired Donation Program Registry. Learn more: kidney.ca/Organ-Donor-Programs

Register your intention to donate your organs through your provincial donor registry. Find out more: kidney.ca/Register

Speak to your family and loved ones to make sure they know and honour your wishes.

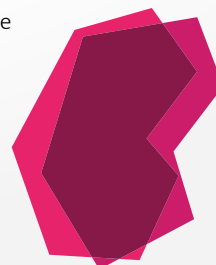
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Important Note: The COVID-19 pandemic has placed unprecedented burdens on Canadian healthcare systems in 2020. Priorities were reassessed and resources reassigned, resulting in an unfortunate decrease in the number of kidney transplants performed.

*Excludes Quebec

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