

# MAKE YOUR MARK

## DONATION AND TRANSPLANT BY THE NUMBERS

### THE NEED

**115,000**  
nationally



**3,400+**  
in the Upper Midwest



waiting for life-saving organ transplants

### THE IMPACT



ONE PERSON can save and heal up to **75 LIVES** through organ, eye and tissue donation.



**ORGANS** that can be donated include heart, lungs, liver, kidneys, pancreas and intestine.

**TISSUES** that can be donated include eyes, skin, bone, heart valves, veins and connective tissue.

More than **1 million** people need tissue transplants each year, and nearly

**50,000** people have their vision restored through cornea transplants every year.

### HOW YOU CAN HELP

More than **2.6 million** Minnesotans have registered to be an organ, eye and tissue donor.

**IF YOU SUPPORT DONATION,  
DO TWO VERY IMPORTANT THINGS:**

Register to be a donor on your driver's license, state ID card or online at [www.DonateLifeMN.org](http://www.DonateLifeMN.org)



Tell your family about your decision to be a donor.

**BEHIND THE NUMBERS** Meet some of the faces behind the numbers by scanning the QR code below with your smartphone or tablet.



REGISTER TO BE AN ORGAN, EYE & TISSUE DONOR TODAY AT [WWW.DONATELIFEMN.ORG](http://WWW.DONATELIFEMN.ORG)