

# NATIONAL ORGAN AND TISSUE DONOR AWARENESS MONTH

## THE NEED FOR ORGAN DONORS IN ONTARIO.

Currently, over 1500 people in Ontario are waiting for a life-saving organ transplant. And though most of us believe that organ donation is a good thing, just over a quarter of us are registered as donors. Some great strides have been made in Ontario over the past year, but still more needs to be done. You can [Spread the Word](#) by encouraging your friends and family to register their consent to become organ and tissue donors.

**29%**

of Ontarians are registered donors.  
That's 3.4 million out of an eligible  
11.9 million.

**1679**

Ontarians are currently waiting  
for an organ transplant. As of  
December 31, 2015

**11,992**

Ontarians have received a lifesaving  
organ transplant since 2003.