

Most patients who go on to become organ donors start their journey in the emergency department (ED). Deceased donation is important, not just for those people waiting on the transplant list, but also because many people in the UK have expressed a wish in life to become organ donors after their death. The overarching principle of the NHSBT Organ donation and Emergency Department strategy <sup>5</sup> is that best quality of care in organ donation should be followed irrespective of the location of the patient within the hospital at the time of death.

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