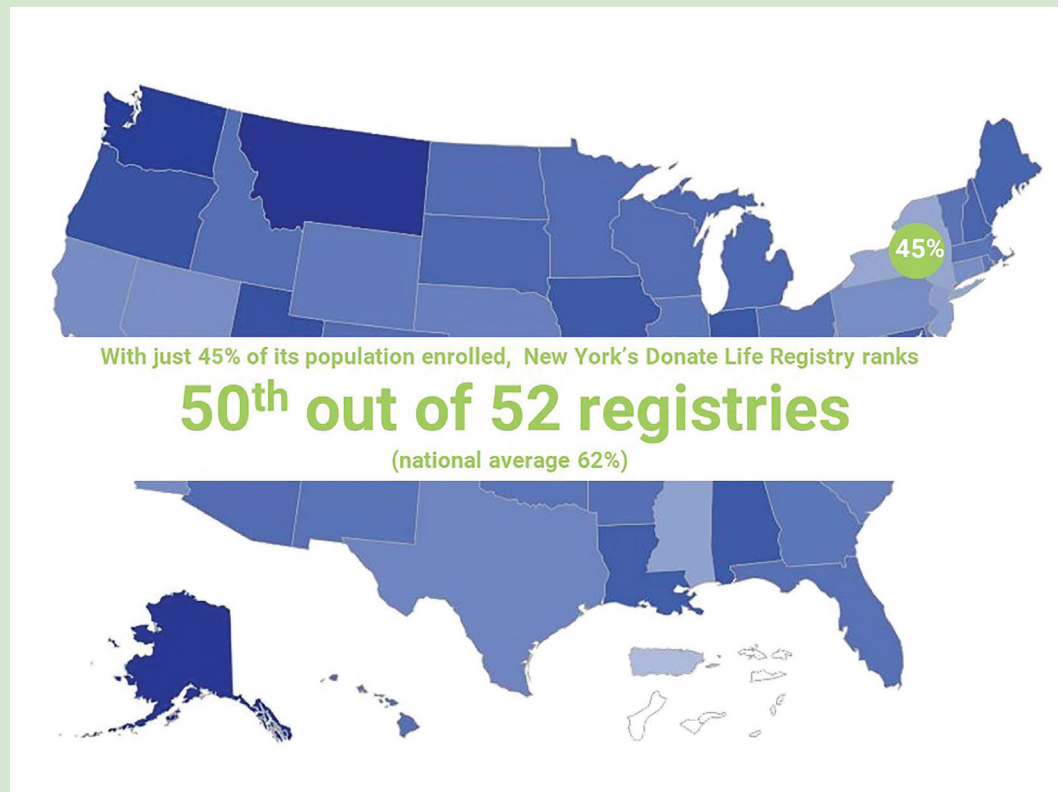


Organ Donation by the Numbers

(as of 1/2022)

One donor can save the lives of 8 people through organ donation and improve the lives of 75 more through eye and tissue donations.

- Number of New Yorkers on organ donation waiting list: Nearly 8,500.
- Number of New Yorkers who have been on the waiting list for 5 or more years: Nearly 1,300.
- Number of New Yorkers who died waiting for a transplant in 2021: approximately 450.
- Registry Participation Rate: 45% of eligible population, ranking 50th out of 52 states and territories.
- New York State has the 3rd highest need for donors but the 3rd lowest donor enrollment rate in the U.S.



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We can, and we must, do better!

9 Easy Ways to Register

- 1 **NYS Department of Motor Vehicles:** applying for a junior driver license, license, non-driver identification card or a renewal of any of these documents.
- 2 **New York State of Health:** applying for health insurance
- 3 **Voter Registration:** registering to vote
- 4 **Department of Environmental Conservation:** applying for a fishing, hunting or trapping license
- 5 **Department of State:** applying for certain professional licenses
- 6 **New York State Donate Life Registry website at www.donatelife.ny.gov**
- 7 **New York State Department of Motor Vehicles website at <https://my.dmv.ny.gov/mydmv>**
- 8 **New York City Municipal Identification Card:** applying for or renewing ID card
- 9 **Printable enrollment form (can be accessed at www.donatelife.ny.gov/download-forms/)**

7 Easy Ways To Promote Organ & Tissue Donation In New York State



1. **JOIN IT:** If YOU have not already enrolled as an organ and tissue donor, register today at www.donatelife.ny.gov/register
2. **HOST IT:** Host a donor registration drive. Donate Life New York State is here to help! Email info@dlnys.org.
3. **LINK IT:** Add a link to www.donatelife.ny.gov/register on your website.
4. **SHOUT IT:** Follow Donate Life NYS on social media and share organ and tissue donation content with your own followers: [facebook.com/donatelifenys](https://www.facebook.com/donatelifenys), twitter.com/donatelifenys, [youtube.com/donatelifenys](https://www.youtube.com/donatelifenys), [instagram.com/donatelifenys](https://www.instagram.com/donatelifenys)
5. **SHARE IT:** Display the link to the NYS Donate Life Registry (www.donatelife.ny.gov/register) on your social media accounts. Ask your friends to share it, too.
6. **DISPLAY IT:** Display registry enrollment brochures and posters at your place of employment. These can be obtained by emailing info@dlnys.org
7. **ENCOURAGE IT:** Send a personal email to friends and family containing the link to the NYS Donate Life Registry (www.donatelife.ny.gov/register).

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