



February 1-28, 2010

Frequently Asked Questions:

Can my event be held in a different month other than February?

Yes. You can hold your event when it is convenient for you. We have suggested February so that hosts feel a sense of camaraderie as others are also holding Gather for Good events that are benefitting Donate Life Northwest. When you decide on your Gather for Good date and kind of event please let us know.

What materials can you send me for my event?

We can provide a variety of resources to help you share Donate Life Northwest's message such as fact sheets, signage, donation/transplant stories and even a DVD which highlights the importance of donation. We can also provide contribution envelopes.

If my guests want to contribute online, how can they make a contribution?

Your guests can contribute online. They should visit www.donatelifenw.org and click on the 'donate' button. Here, they will enter their amount, contact information and payment information. Your guest can also enter your name in the 'referred by' box so that you were responsible for this gift.

Can I create an online fundraising webpage for my Gather for Good event?

Yes. Just visit www.firstgiving.com and create your own personalized fundraising webpage. Select Donate Life Northwest as the organization you are raising funds for and then upload your own photo and type a personal message, and finally email out the link to your personal fundraising webpage to all of your contacts. Contributions made through your personal fundraising webpage come directly to Donate Life Northwest. Having a personal fundraising webpage allows guests to make a contribution who cannot attend your event.

Can I accept matching gifts?

Yes! Some companies offer "matching gifts" to their current and retired employees that are making charitable contributions. Many companies have specific giving guidelines and often require a specific form to be completed before they send a matching contribution. Please send all information to Donate Life Northwest, and we will send back to the company any necessary material required to process this contribution.

Where do I send my Gather for Good contributions I receive at my event?

You may mail contributions directly to the Donate Life Northwest Office:

Donate Life Northwest
Gather for Good
PO Box 532
Portland, OR 97207