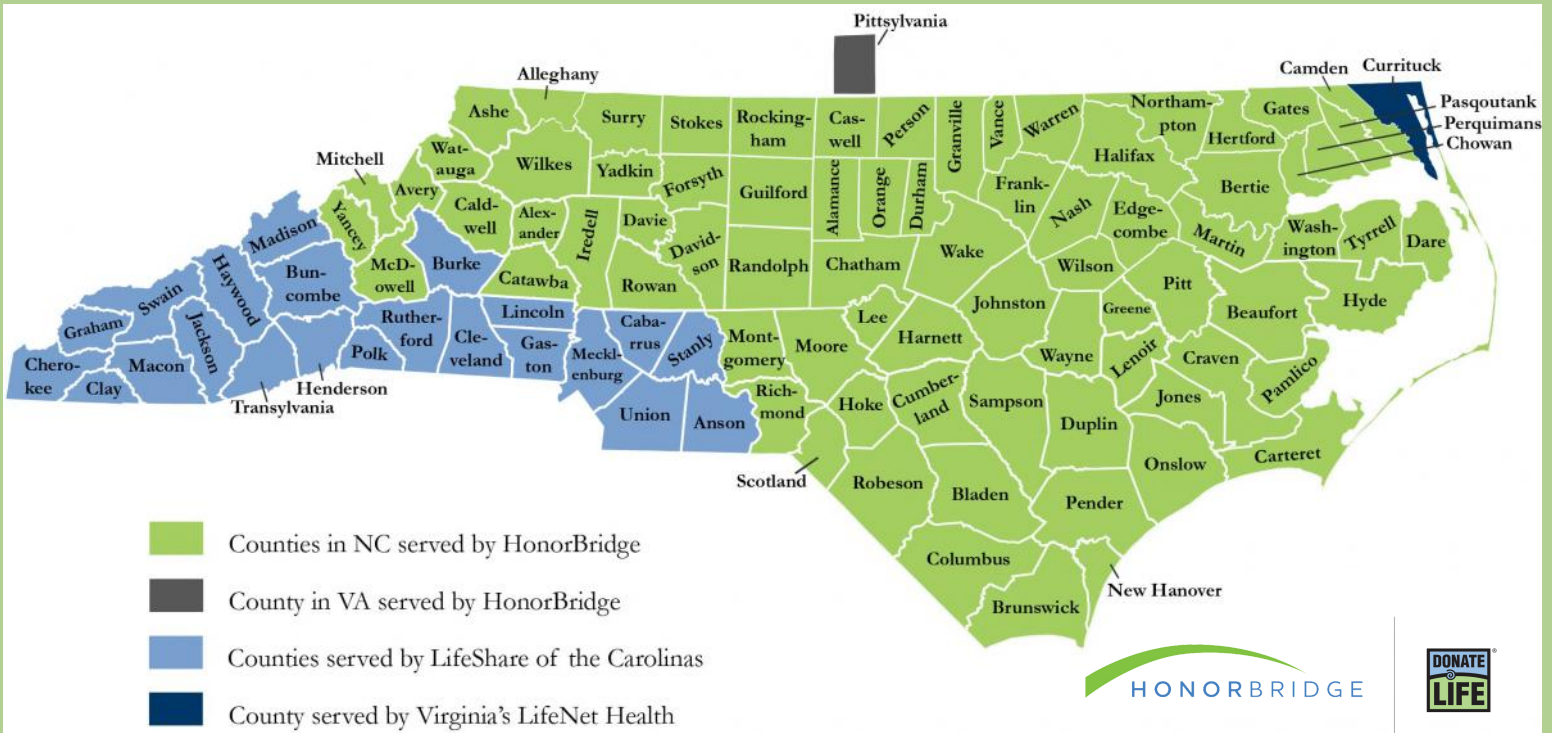


EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES NEWSLETTER

YOUR ROLE IS VITAL

EMS PLAYS A CRUCIAL ROLE IN THE TISSUE AND EYE DONATION PROCESS. BY REFERRING ALL SCENE DEATHS TO HONORBRIDGE WITHIN 1 HOUR OF DEATH, YOU ENSURE ALL NORTH CAROLINIANS THE OPPORTUNITY TO LEAVE A LEGACY THROUGH THE GIFT OF DONATION.



August Top Referring EMS Agencies



Stokes County EMS

Morehead City Fire & EMS
 Beaufort EMS
 Mitchell Medics
 Washington- Tyrrell EMS
 Davie County EMS

Wake County EMS
 Wilkes County EMS
 Carteret County EMS
 Orange County EMS

THANK YOU!

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Recipient Story Spotlight

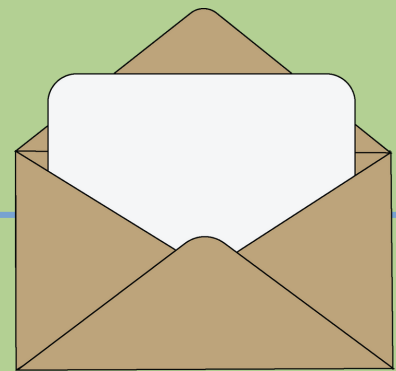
Dear Donor Family,

I am writing you to let you know my gratitude to you and your loved one, who have helped lives such as mine through the gift of tissue donation. Yours is among the compassionate families who made the decision to help others during your time of grief. Please know that I am very sorry for your loss. I wanted to tell you a little about the reason I needed this gift.

I re-tore my ACL and meniscus in my left knee playing dodgeball at practice. I am a rowing coach for high school and middle school girls as well as a preschool teacher. I have raised three children of my own who are all athletes. I have run seven marathons and look forward to returning to running, rowing, biking, swimming, sailing, and paddle boarding with my dog. It may seem like a small thing, the gift of donated tissue, but this gift has made a difference to me by allowing me to quickly return to the children I teach and coach. One week out from surgery, I am making remarkable progress and feel so blessed. I will always remember your generosity.

Thank you,

Sarah



Donor veins can be used to aid in coronary artery bypass graft (CABG) surgery.

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