

**Questionnaire for the general public' knowledge, attitude and willingness  
to human organ donation in China**

Family address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_ Street \_\_\_\_\_ Community \_\_\_\_\_ (detailed address)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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The start date of the survey: 2019 \_\_\_\_\_(month)\_\_\_\_\_(day)

The end of the survey : 2019 \_\_\_\_\_(month)\_\_\_\_\_(day)

Investigator (signature) : \_\_\_\_\_

Date of verification : 2019\_\_\_\_\_(month)\_\_\_\_\_(day)

Instructor of investigation (signature): \_\_\_\_\_

## **Informed consent**

Dear interviewee:

We sincerely invite you to participate in research on the construction of ethics system for human organ donation. The purpose of this study is to understand the knowledge, attitude and practice of Chinese residents on human organ donation, which improves the rate of organ donation, and save millions of patients with organ failure. Since your condition meets the inclusion criteria for this study, we invite you to join this study. Your participation in this research is voluntary. This study has been reviewed by the Institutional Ethics Review Committee. If you agree to participate in this study, please see the instructions below.

**Research Process and Method:**

Please answer the question one by one. There are no wrong answers, you just need to answer the question in detail and truthfully. Any questions in the process of answering can be asked to the researcher. If you have any discomfort during the process of answering, please timely feedback to us. After completing the answer, please submit the questionnaire in time. Please confirm after the researcher is qualified.

**Possible benefits of research:**

At present, the low rate of organ donation is the main problem restricting organ transplantation in China. This study is intended to increase the rate of organ donation, so it is important to do this research well. Respondents may obtain organs and save lives if they need them.

**Research risks and discomforts:**

This research will not cause any harm to your body. The questionnaire will involve some sensitive issues, such as your age, gender, etc. We will keep this information strictly confidential, so you can rest assured to fill out the questionnaire.

**Privacy issues:**

If you decide to participate in this study, your participation and the personal data in the survey are confidential. For example: Your identity and personal information will not be disclosed to members outside the research team unless your permission is obtained. To ensure that research is carried out in accordance with regulations, members of government administrations or ethics review committees can access your personal data at the research unit as required. When the results of this study were published, a commitment to confidentiality was also required. As a subject, you can keep informed of the information and research progress related to this study, and voluntarily decide whether to participate or not. You can choose to notify the investigator to withdraw from the study at any time, and your data will not be included in the study results.

**Contact information:**

If you have questions related to this research, or if you have any discomfort or injury during the research, or if you have questions about the rights of participants in this research, you can contact the research leader at 0577-86689920.

**Informed consent signature:**

By submitting this form, you are indicating that you have read the description of the study, are over the age of 16, and that you agree to the terms as described.

Interviewee signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_year \_\_\_\_month \_\_\_\_day

Investigator signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_year \_\_\_\_month \_\_\_\_day

*(Note: if the subject is illiterate, a witness's signature is required, if the person is incapacitated, the agent's consent is required )*

**Table 1. Demographical and Socioeconomic Questions**

No.	Questions and options	Answer
1	The category of respondents? ① General public ② Donor's family ③ Organ donation coordinator ④ Medical staff ⑤ Member of the Medical Ethics Review Committee	
2	Resident type: ① Urban ② Rural	
3	Gender: ① Male ② Female	
4	Date of birth : ____year ____month ____ day	
5	Ethnicity: ① Chinese Han ② Minority	
6	Marital status: ① Single (Jump to question 8) ② Married ③ Divorced ④Widowed ⑤ Cohabitation	
7	Number of children: ① 0 ② 1 ③ 2 ④ 3 ⑤ ≥4	
8	Are you the only child in your family? ① Yes ② No	
9	Educational background: ① less than primary school (Jump to question 11) ② Middle and high school (including secondary education, Jump to question 11) ③ University and above	
10	Major: ① Medical ② Other	
11	Religion: ① None ② Buddhism ③ Taoism ④ Christianity ⑤ Islam ⑥ Catholic ⑦ Others (Please specify_____)	
12	Occupation: ① Student ② Housekeeper ③ Employees of enterprises and institutions/ Civil servant ④ Self-employed persons ⑤ Rural migrant workers ⑥ Retirement ⑦ Other (Please specify_____)	
13	Which of the following is your monthly income range? (Chinese yuan) (According to the per capita monthly income of Chinese urban residents in 2018 of 3,271 yuan) ① < 3300 ② 3300 -5999 ③ 6000 -9999 ④ >10000	

**Table 2. Personal experience questions**

No.	Questions and options	Answer
14	Do you understand of organ donation? ① Yes, very well ② Yes, some ③ a little bit ④ Never heard (If you choose ④, then jump to question 25)	
15	If so, where did you get your knowledge? ①Newspaper/book ②TV/radio ③The Internet ④Medical institution ⑤Other ways _____	
16	Which medical related media do you mainly focus on? ①Television program ②Network program ③ WeChat public account/Weibo account ④Newspapers, magazines and brochures	
17	How do you feel about the publicity of organ donation in the selected media? ①Good ②Average ③Bad ④I do not know	
18	How often do you see information/news about organ donation on average? ①A year or more ②Six months to a year ③One month to six months ④No more than a month	
19	Would you be interested in organ donation due to media coverage? ①No ②Maybe ③Yes (If you choose ①, then jump to question 24)	
20	What information/news are you most impressed with about organ donation? ①Reports of individual organ donation ②Current status of organ donation ③Ways and procedures for organ donation ④Others _____	
21	Whether you have participated in the dissemination of information about organ donation (such as comments, reposting related Weibo, WeChat articles, etc.)? ① Never participated ② I reposted ③ I commented ④ I reposted and commented	
22	Which media do you think can play a greater role in promoting organ donation? ① Newspapers/magazines/brochures ② Radio/television ③ Internet (such as portal, microblog, WeChat, etc.) ④Interpersonal communication	
23	What do you think is the most inadequate aspect of the media in raising public awareness of organ donation? ①seriously insufficient, seldom see related information ②News content is monotonous and lacking in new ideas ③Others _____	

24	Have you or your relatives or friends had any experience in organ donation: ① Yes ② No	
25	Have you ever cared for organ transplant patients? ① Yes ② No	
26	Are there any medical staff in your family? ① Yes ② No	
27	Have you participated in any volunteer activities (not just about organ donation)? ① Yes ② No	

**Organ Donation Willingness**

**Questions and options**

Answer

1 Would you like to donate your organs? ① No ② Yes