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DRAG AND DROP THE FACTS ACCORDING TO THE MYTHS

MYTH	FACTS
If I'm in an accident and the hospital knows I want to be a donor, the doctors won't try to save my life.	
Rich and famous people get moved to the top of the waiting list, while 'regular' people have to wait a long time for a transplant	
My religion does not approve of donation	
My family would be burdened with expenses if I donated my organs.	
I signed up to be a donor. That's all I have to do	
There is a black market for kidneys in the United States—if you need one, you can just buy one.	

FACTS

Every major religion in the United States supports organ, eye, and tissue donation as one of the highest expressions of compassion and generosity.

One's celebrity status does not play a part in the decision. The transplant waiting list is "blind" to ethnicity, gender, and connections.

Tell family and friends about your decision to donate life. Ask them to get the facts, and consider registering as a donor.

Some are afraid that they will not receive the best medical treatment in a life-threatening emergency if they were a known organ donor. Often there is historical mistrust on the part of minorities of medical establishments and institutions.

Generally, people are genetically more similar to people of their own ethnicity or race than to people of other races.

Donation is a consolation to the donor family knowing that their loved one helped to save and heal the lives of others