

# Can I send a text message to say thank you?

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### What the recipients are told?

- Age range and gender
- Centre specific
- Good practice: provide letter writing leaflet at discharge
- Moving forward: 1<sup>st</sup> letter from recipient will include leaflet for donor families



#### What are the donor families told?

- Feedback at 15 days post donation
- Pin badge
- 1 year anniversary card
- Can request follow-up at any point after donation
- Failure to provide follow-up data is monitored



## Should we actively encourage letter writing?

- Needs to be actioned by donor family / recipient
- Personal choice, timing
- Inspiration needed?
- Realistic expectations

### <u>Guidelines</u>



- Not a protocol or policy....it's guidance
- Process explained
- Explicit awareness
- Use of social media guidance needed
- Supportive material













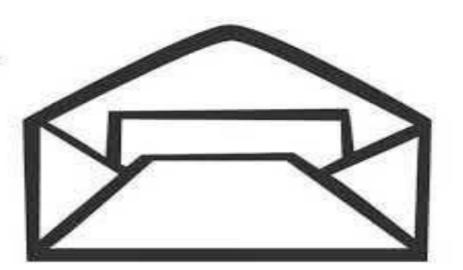


- Share case studies- learn from experience
- The cycle of grief
- Resilience
- DRD input
- Patient experience



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### **Living Donor Co-Ordinator perspective**



### **Any questions?**

