

## Surgical Critical Care Forum

# Donation after Circulatory Death (DCD) in Trauma

## Enhancing Clinical Opportunities and Outcomes

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3<sup>rd</sup> floor conference room****Thursday, July 3, 2025****9 – 10 a.m.****To claim credit,  
text  
to 703.260.9391****Target audience:**

- Surgical Critical Care Fellow
- Surgical Residents
- Trauma and Acute Care Surgery Nurses

**Learning objectives:**

- **Review** clinical triggers for potential organ donation evaluation referrals.
- **Discuss** the roles and responsibilities of trauma physicians in the DCD process, including communication with clinical coordinators and families.
- **Explain** the legal and ethical framework of **First-Person Authorization (FPA)** and its implications for trauma physicians when caring for registered organ donors.
- **Discuss** recent data and outcomes from recent DCD donors in trauma cases.
- **Apply** best practices to improve collaboration between trauma teams and organ procurement organizations (OPOs).

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