

## **INFORMATIONAL HEARING**

### **Organ Procurement and Transplantation Oversight: Who is looking out for patients?**

**August 15, 2006, 1:30 – 4:30 p.m.  
State Capitol, Room 4202**

#### **AGENDA**

##### ***I. Opening Statements***

##### ***II. Overview of Recent Issues***

- **David Magnus** Ph.D., Stanford Center for Biomedical Ethics

##### ***III. Organ Procurement & Transplantation Network Administrators***

- **William Lawrence**, J.D., Director of Patient Affairs, United Network for Organ Sharing (UNOS)
- **Thomas Mone**, CEO, One Legacy, on behalf of Donate Life California registry and the four California Organ Procurement Organizations (OPOs)

##### ***IV. Accreditation Agency and Federal and State Regulators***

- U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services (HHS), Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), *declined to attend*
- **Deborah Romero** APRN, BC, CDE, MSN, HCCO Branch Manager, & **Edgardo Japitana** RN, MPA, Western Consortium OPO Coordinator; Federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), Region IX, Div. of Survey & Certification
- **Jennifer Kent**, Deputy Director, Legislative & Governmental Affairs, California Dept. of Health Services (DHS)
- **Barbara Reagan**, Asst. Deputy Director, Dept. of Managed Health Care (DMHC), HMO Help Center

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- **Charles Mowll**, Executive V.P. for Business Development, Government and External Relations, Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations (JCAHO), *declined to attend but submitted written testimony*

**V. Responses from Hospital Transplant Programs**

- **J. Thomas Rosenthal**, M.D., Chief Medical Officer, UCLA Medical Center, Associate Vice Chancellor, David Geffen School of Medicine, University of California Los Angeles, & **William Gurtner**, V.P., Div. of Clinical Services Development, University of California Office of the President
- **Kristin Chambers**, V.P., Northern California Regional Compliance Officer, Kaiser Permanente
- **Debbie Walsh**, Administrator/Chief Operating Officer, University of Southern California University Hospital (owned by Tenet Healthcare Corp.), & **Kristin Soares**, Associate V.P., USC External Relations and Director of State Government Relations, on behalf of USC School of Medicine
- **Conway Collis**, V.P. of Advocacy and Chief Government Affairs Officer, Daughters of Charity Health System on behalf of St. Vincent Medical Center

**VI. Panel 5: Public Comment**