

Congresswoman Carolyn Cheeks Kilpatrick

Michigan's 13th District

presents



“Give...Life”



a Town Hall Meeting about Organ Donation

Saturday, March 25, 2006

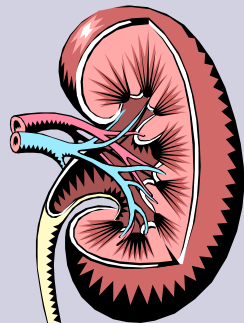
9:00 a.m.-12 noon

at the

Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History

315 East Warren Avenue in Detroit

Come learn more about:



- Why African Americans and other minorities should donate organs
- Myths associated with organ donation
- How to become an organ donor
- Strategies for healthy living

Supporting Organizations: Michigan Surgeon General/Michigan Department of Community Health • Detroit Medical Center • Wayne State University • Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute • Gift of Life Michigan • International Association for Organ Donation • National Kidney Foundation • National Minority Organ & Tissue Transplant Education Program • Curves

Over 90,000 people are waiting for organ transplants. Half of them are minorities. Almost one-third are African American.

Kidney failure occurs more frequently among African Americans than any other race. We represent nearly 40% of those waiting for kidney transplants, yet we are only 12% of donors.

Organ donors are lifesavers. Come learn how to help save our community...one donor at a time.



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