Have you informed your family members & caregivers of your participation in the **RUSH Minority Aging Research Study Organ Donation Program**?

### I AM AN ORGAN DONOR

**What do I tell my family?**

Say to your family:

- I am a research volunteer with the Minority Aging Research Study with Rush University Medical Center;
- I have been a participant for ____ year(s);
- I joined the study because....;
- I am enrolled or am thinking about enrolling into the organ donation program and the reason(s) why I joined are...
- Here are my final arrangement plan(s) and I trust you to carry-out my final wishes because....

**What should my family do at the time of passing?**

**Step 1:** **IMMEDIATELY CALL 1 (866) 761-7810**

* (regardless of the time of day or night).
- Inform the operator that your loved one is a participant with the Minority Aging Research Study organ donation program.

**Step 2:** Call the **funeral home** that was pre-identified by the participant. The funeral home will provide the transportation of the participant to Rush.s

**Will my family be charged for the organ donation to Rush?**

The Rush Minority Aging Research Study will pay only the transportation cost(s). Transportation cost(s) may include delivery to Rush University Medical Center pathology department and to final destination.

**What happens if I move or change my contact information?**

**In the event of any major life changes** such as address change, hospitalizations, change in your emergency contacts, etc. call Rush Minority Aging Research Study at **(312) 942-8753**