## Thinking about organ and tissue DONATION?

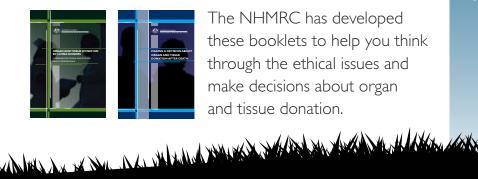


**Australian Government** 

National Health and **Medical Research Council** 

These new guidelines cover a range of ethical considerations and various views surrounding organ donation. The guidelines give helpful background information on when donation is possible and the process of organ donation.

Do you need to make a DECISION?





The NHMRC has developed these booklets to help you think through the ethical issues and make decisions about organ and tissue donation.

Ouestions the booklets address include:

Who can be a donor?

Can children donate?

How are decisions made?

What follow-up medical care is given to living donors?

What alternatives are there?

What do my family and friends think about organ and tissue donation?

How do my religious, moral, spiritual or cultural beliefs fit with organ and tissue donation?

How would I feel if a relative or friend needed an organ?

