

# LEON COUNTY E.M.S.

## Standard Operating Guideline

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Title:           Transporting Donor Organs  
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### I. PURPOSE:

To provide rapid transportation to and from the airport for organs donated for transplant.

### II. GUIDELINE:

The request to transport organ procurement teams and donated organs to / from the airport is to be considered of high importance. The fee for services provided by Leon County EMS is the responsibility of the organ procurement team.

### III. PROCEDURE:

- LCEMS dispatch will obtain the required information including the expected time that services will be needed. System Status Controllers (SSC) will make payment arrangements with the requesting organization in accordance with current payment policies.
- LCEMS dispatch will assign a unit to provide the requested services at the location and time requested.
- All responses and transports will be done Code 2 unless otherwise directed by the SSC or on-duty supervisor according to the needs of the team.
- Airport transports of an organ harvest team with a harvested organ onboard are acceptable candidates for emergency transport mode (refer to SOG 215.00).