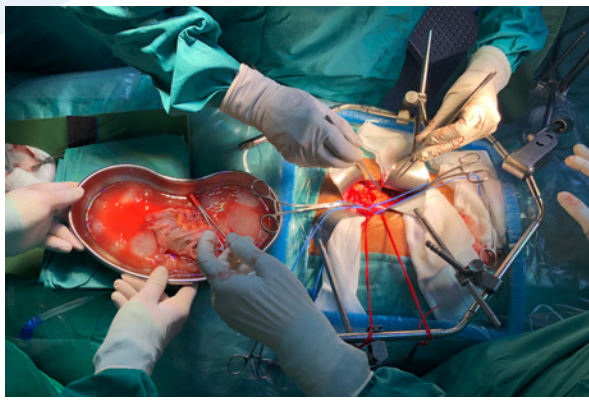


ALLIANCE FOR PAIRED KIDNEY DONATION



40

The number of new pairs added to the APKD network in August.

3200

The number of donor-recipient pairs enrolled in the APKD registry.

SEPT. 2019 APKD NEWS-AT-A-GLANCE

- Dr. Michael Rees will speak at the ESOT (European Society of Transplantation) in Copenhagen, Denmark on September 15 about Global Kidney Exchange.
- Duke University Hospital and Mount Sinai Medical Center have joined the Alliance for Paired Kidney Donation's donor-recipient network.
- We are teaming up with the U.S. Military to start pay-it-forward chains. This **Military Share Program** will benefit civilian and military recipients.
- Italy has joined the APKD, with a transplant scheduled for November.



DR. REES, CLAUS & GITTE 2018



DONOR MARIANNE MADSEN 2018



CLAUS & GITTE 2019

While in Denmark Mike and Susan Rees will celebrate the one year transplant anniversary of Gitte Briel.

GLOBAL KIDNEY EXCHANGE



Participating States

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| Alabama | Mississippi |
| Arizona | Nebraska |
| Arkansas | New Jersey |
| California | New York |
| Colorado | North Carolina |
| Delaware | Ohio |
| Florida | Oklahoma |
| Georgia | Oregon |
| Illinois | Pennsylvania |
| Indiana | Tennessee |
| Kentucky | Texas |
| Louisiana | Utah |
| Massachusetts | Virginia |
| Michigan | Washington |
| Minnesota | Wisconsin |

DONOR PROFILE

PROOF THAT NOT ALL SUPERHEROES WEAR CAPES: As a veteran of the U.S. Navy and a Firefighter by profession, Gregg Tetro has made service and sacrifice to others an essential part of his life. In August Gregg became a superhero to a kidney patient across the country. He traveled with his wife from North Carolina to The University of Toledo in Ohio so he could donate his kidney to Rodney Washington at the Scripps Hospital in La Jolla, CA. Gregg's selfless gift is the start of a new donation chain.

Gregg's chain will go on to save the lives of six people.



In need of coordinator help? The APKD now offers assistance with uploading your compatible and incompatible pairs into the APKD database.

Please contact Susan Rees at susan.rees@paireddonation.org for more information.

Saving lives one pair at a time



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