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Applies to the Tissue Donor Selection Guidelines for Deceased Tissue Donors

Cardiomyopathy

Please add changes shown in red to the 'Obligatory' and 'Reason for Change' sections.

Obligatory

1. Eyes:

Must not donate if:

a) Associated with extraocular muscle paresis, e.g. Kearns-Sayre Syndrome.

b) Not recovered from infective causes.

2. Other Tissues:

Must not donate if:

a) Not recovered from infective causes.

b) **cardiomyopathy secondary to an infiltrative process e.g. amyloidosis, sarcoidosis.**

Reason for Change

The entry has been changed to make it clear that **cardiomyopathy is not an absolute contraindication to donation of cardiovascular tissues.**

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Applies to the Tissue Donor Selection Guidelines for Living Tissue Donors

Cardiomyopathy

Please add changes shown in red to the 'Obligatory' and 'Reason for Change' sections.

Obligatory

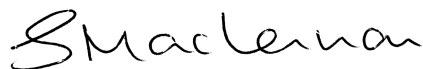
Must not donate if:

a) Not recovered from infective causes.

b) cardiomyopathy secondary to an infiltrative process e.g. amyloidosis, sarcoidosis.

Reason for Change

The entry has been changed to make it clear that **cardiomyopathy is not an absolute contraindication to donation of cardiovascular tissues.**



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