

# *American Association of Tissue Banks*

*Herewith certifies  
that the Institution named here*

## *Tennessee Donor Services Nashville, Tennessee*

*has met the Association's accreditation requirements and  
is hereby accredited for Donor Eligibility Assessment  
and Authorization; Recovery of Musculoskeletal, Skin,  
Cardiac, and Vascular Tissue for Transplantation; and  
Storage of Skin for Transplantation*

*August 22, 2017 – July 6, 2020*

*In witness whereof the undersigned officers, being duly authorized, have caused this Certificate to be issued and the  
Corporate Seal of this Association to be affixed hereon this the 29<sup>th</sup> day of August 2017*



*Daniel DeChapman*

*Chairman*

*J. S. Wilson*  
*President & Chief Executive Officer*

*Accreditation # 00194/3*



**American Association of Tissue Banks®**

August 29, 2017

Jackie Warn  
DCIDS Director of Quality and Compliance  
Tennessee Donor Services  
1600 Hayes Street, Suite 300  
Nashville, TN 37203

Dear Ms. Warn:

On behalf of the Board of Governors, I am pleased to inform you that the American Association of Tissue Banks (AATB) has approved Tennessee Donor Services for accreditation after you had successfully addressed the nonconformities resulting from the inspection. The accreditation covers Donor Eligibility Assessment and Authorization; Recovery of Musculoskeletal, Skin, Cardiac, and Vascular Tissue for Transplantation; and Storage of Skin for Transplantation. Obtaining accreditation by the Association is a most important accomplishment, and we congratulate you and your staff.

The mission of the AATB is to improve and save lives by promoting the safety, quality, and availability of donated human tissue. Our Accreditation Program helps to realize this goal by checking that tissue-banking activities are being performed in an ethical and professional manner consistent with the AATB's *Standards*.

In addition to the special recognition attendant to AATB Accreditation, additional benefits include the following:

- Staff members may attend AATB meetings and workshops at reduced rates;
- Your tissue bank will receive a complimentary copy of future *AATB Standards for Tissue Banking*, when available;
- You may also purchase publications at the membership rate and;
- You may use the AATB Accredited Institution Logo (contact Jason LoVerdi at [loverdij@aatb.org](mailto:loverdij@aatb.org) for logo and information).

Visit our web site at [www.aatb.org](http://www.aatb.org) to see how you can become involved in the various activities of the AATB.

Your accreditation will expire on July 6, 2020. It will be your responsibility to note this date and re-apply in a manner consistent with the current version of AATB's *Accreditation Policies for Transplant Tissue Banks*. You should request the accreditation application approximately 12 months prior to the expiration of your accreditation and you must submit the completed application no later than nine months prior to the accreditation expiration date.

Please accept our sincerest congratulations on your accreditation. We look forward to your participation in and support of the Association's activities. If there is ever any way in which we can assist you, I hope that you will not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Frank S. Wilton', written in a cursive style.

Frank S. Wilton  
President & Chief Executive Officer

Accreditation #00194/3; Accreditation Date: August 22, 2017  
Attached: Certificate



**American Association of Tissue Banks®**

August 29, 2017

Jackie Warn  
DCIDS Director of Quality and Compliance  
Tennessee Donor Services  
1600 Hayes Street, Suite 300  
Nashville, TN 37203

Dear Ms. Warn:

This letter accompanies the accreditation certificate for Tennessee Donor Services to include the accreditation of the following satellite facilities:

**Tennessee Donor Services – Nashville**  
1900 Patterson Street  
Nashville, TN 37203

**Tennessee Donor Services – Tri-Cities**  
110 KLM Drive, Suite 2  
Gray, TN 37615

**Tennessee Donor Services – Knoxville**  
7015 Middlebrook Pike  
Knoxville, TN 37909

**Tennessee Donor Services – Chattanooga**  
651 East 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
University Tower Suite 402  
Chattanooga, TN 37403

**Refer to:** Accreditation #00194/3, Accreditation Date: August 22, 2017

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Jason E. LoVerdi', is written over a light gray background.

Jason E. LoVerdi, MHA, CTBS  
Vice President of Accreditation