Glossary of Terms

AATB
American Association of Tissue Banks

ACR
Advisory Council Representative

AGH
Allegheny General Hospital (in Pittsburgh)

CAMC
Charleston Area Medical Center

CNO
Chief Nursing Officer

CoP
Community of Practice

CORE
Center for Organ Recovery & Education

DCD
Donation After Circulatory Death

DMG
Donor Management Guidelines

DNR
Do Not Resuscitate

DRC
Donor Referral Coordinator

DSA
Donor Service Area (as in CORE's DSA - Western PA, West VA, one county in NY)
EBAA
Eye Bank Association of America

EWI
Enterprise Web Infrastructure (Pitt's in-house web hosts)

FDA
Food and Drug Administration

GCS
Glasgow Coma Score

HHS
US Dept of Health and Human Services

HRSA
Health Resources and Services Administration (agency of HHS and our grantor)

ICU
Intensive Care Unit

NOTA
National Organ Transplant Act

ODST
Organ Donor Support Teams

OPC
Organ Procurement Coordinator

OPO
Organ Procurement Organization

OPTN
Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network

OTE
Organ Tissue and Eye

PDSA
Plan, Do, Study, Act
PSL
Professional Services Liaison

UNet
Internet based system to connect transplant hospitals and OPOs together

UNOS
United Network for Organ Sharing (manages US organ transplant system)

UPMC
University of Pittsburgh Medical Center

UPMC Presby
Presbyterian University Hospital (part of UPMC)