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Organ donation is a noble initiative that can save the lives of other individuals: Chief Minister after inaugurating Wakathon on the occasion of 15th National Organ Donation Day

Organ donation is a great initiative that can save the lives of others. Organ donation by one person can save the lives of 8 to 9 people. Therefore, there is a need to increase public awareness about organ donation which is a crucial issue nowadays. Yesterday, on the occasion of the 15th National Organ Donation Day, Chief Minister Professor (Dr.) Manik Saha said this while waving the flag in front of the Rabindra Satabarshiki Bhavan.

At the event, the Chief Minister said that there can be no greater humanitarian service than one person saving the life of another through organ donation. People can have that opportunity service through organ donation. Even after death, a person can save the lives of other people by donating his crucial organs like kidney, liver, lungs, heart etc. The Chief Minister said that our country in some ways is lagging behind in organ donation. One of the reasons for this is - people are not coming forward to donate organs. Therefore, awareness needs to be created among the people about organ donation.

The Chief Minister said, due to the development of the health infrastructure of the state, kidney transplants are now possible in the state. The state government has also taken initiatives for liver transplants. For this purpose, the State Organ and Tissue Transplant Organization was established in 2023. The Chief Minister called on people to come forward in the matter of organ donation. On this auspicious day, the Chief Minister paid tribute to all organ donors and their families. GBP Hospital Medical Superintendent Dr. Shankar Chakraborty also spoke at the event. Health Department Secretary Kiran Gitte, Principal of Agartala Government Medical College, Dr. Anup Kumar Saha and others were present at the event.
