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**Meet Some Heart Transplant Recipients**

Dan S. Had a rare congenital heart defect that required open heart surgery as an infant. In his mid-30's his heart started to fail. A life-saving transplant allowed him to return to work and help support his wife and two sets of twin daughters. Dan, a non-athlete prior to his transplant, took to running half-marathons and participated in long distance cycling events as well as triathlons. He enjoyed each day of life extended through a heart transplant watching his girls grow up.

Richard H., a two time heart transplant recipient, used his time post-transplant to help the Second Chance Heart Transplant Support Group raise awareness and financial support. At a time in his life when most others were retired and relaxing, Richard decided to give back in recognition of his donor. He was a long time chairman of the Second Chance organization.

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*There are approximately 3,400 people  
nationwide waiting for a Heart Transplant  
at any given time with an average of 2,500  
heart transplants done each year.*

## OUR MISSION

- To provide patient and family support through sharing of medical experience among members and monthly meetings with educational speakers,
- To educate the community with information and examples of successful life after transplant on matters relating to organ transplantation and donation,
- To raise funds in support of patients in financial need through a grant program that has given out over \$670,000 (through 2015),
- To provide in-hospital patient support with inspirational books, fun social events and patient visitations

### Second Chance has chapters at:

**Hahnemann University Hospital**

**Jefferson University Hospital**

**Temple University Hospital**

**Hospital of University of Pennsylvania**

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Derek F.'s heart was damaged from treatment for cancer. He received his life saving transplant and has been making the most of his new life ever since. He frequently is asked to speak about his experience and has never once said no. Derek has renewed his love of sports and is competing in marathons, triathlons and the Transplant games. He does all of his athletic events to honor his donor.

Amy S. was unable to walk more than a few feet without needing a rest. While waiting for her transplant, her only son got engaged. Her life saving transplant allowed her to dance at her son's wedding.

Jim G. is living a fulfilled life post- transplant since 1994. He has written a book to help other transplant recipients and those waiting. He met and married a 'donor mom' whose 13 year old son, Christopher, became an organ donor when killed in a bicycle accident. They volunteer a lot of their time to promoting organ donation with their life stories. Jim is a leader at both the national and local levels and hosts many social functions within the transplant community.

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