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Termination Notice

Press Release

NOTICE TO PUBLIC OF DECERTIFICATION OF

Life Alliance Organ Recovery Agency

Date: September 18, 2025

Title: Notice to the Public of Life Alliance Organ Recovery Agency (FLMP)
De-certification

Notice to Public of Decertification of Life Alliance Organ Recovery Agency (LAORA)

The Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) has determined that Life Alliance Organ Recovery Agency (LAORA) no longer meets the requirements for certification as a qualified organ procurement organization. Notice is hereby given that on December 17, 2025, CMS will terminate the Medicare provider agreement between the Secretary of Health and Human Services and Life Alliance Organ Recovery Agency, 1951 NW 7th Avenue, Suite 220, Miami, Florida, and de-certify LAORA as a qualified organ procurement organization.

No Medicare and Medicaid payments will be made with respect to organ procurement costs attributable to LAORA on or after December 17, 2025.

The Donation Service Area for LAORA will not be opened for competition until the appeals process is completed or LAORA abandons its administrative appeal rights. Pursuant to 42 CFR § 486.316(b), a de-certified OPO is not permitted to compete for its own open area or any other open area. CMS may extend LAORA's agreement temporarily to allow for a transition of the Donation Service Area to another OPO.

While we understand that this involuntary decertification can be challenging for all parties involved, CMS prioritizes safety and care quality and will work to ensure a smooth transition to another organ procurement organization for this donation service area.

Public notice of termination will be posted on the Survey & Certification website at <https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Provider-Enrollment-and-Certification/SurveyCertificationGenInfo/Termination-Notices.html>