OR SET-UP

Donation Coordinator ____________________________________________________________

Surgical Recovery Coordinator __________________________________________________

Position

• Supine, arms tucked at side

Skin Prep

• Betadine scrub (or other prepping solution) chin to pubis, bedside to bedside

Drapes

• Square off with towels, drape for exposure of chin to pubis (more drapes available for DCD case)

Sutures/Needles/Blades/Sponges

• Blades: #11, #10, #15
• Sutures: 1 package each of silk ties 3-0, 4-0; silk stick ties available; 5-0 Prolene on a RB-1 needle; #2 retention suture on cutting needle, 1 pkg of 5 Ethibond on a V-40 needle.
• 1 package of umbilical tape and large vessel loops, more available
• 2 packs of lap sponges (more available)
• 1 package of 4 x 8 sponges

Instruments and Equipment

Laparotomy Tray:

• Finochietto rib spreader or other suitable chest retractor
• 2 pencil cauterized with scratch pads (not needed for DCD case)
• 2 each Yankauer and Poole suction tips and tubing (1 more poole and tubing available)
• Small, medium, and large hemoclips, available
• Bone wax
• Retractors
• Large, sharp towel clips (8)

Vascular tray that supplies the following:

• Regular, medium, and long right angles
• Assortment of vascular clamps
• Medium and long Metzenbaum scissors
• Mayo scissors
• Regular and fine needle holders
• Medium and long DeBakey pickups
• 15 liters of sterile normal saline slush (see “Creating slush”)
• 6 liters cold sterile normal saline in pour bottles
• Sternal saw or Lebsche knife and mallet (test run sternal saw)
• Defibrillator (external and sterile internal paddles available but not open)
- Asepto or bulb syringe

**Back Tables**

Access these printable diagrams for *each organ back table set-up*. Small back table for each organ to be recovered with:

- Sterile, waterproof cover for draping
- Large sterile basin
- 2 fine DeBakey forceps
- 1 regular Metzenbaum scissors
- Suture and ties per surgeon request

**Unsterile area**

- Unsterile ice available
- 3 rolling, adjustable IV poles
- 2 suction machines with 4-5 canisters each if no Dornoch or Neptune Suction available.
- 2 cattery machines (not needed for DCD cases)

**Staff**

- 1 circulating nurse
- 1 scrub nurse or surgical technician
- Anesthesiologist and/or nurse anesthetist (not needed on DCD cases with no lungs)

The LifeSource Surgical Recovery Coordinator will provide their own perfusion tubing, cannulas, staplers, sterile containers, and packaging materials.