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What training is needed to work in this field?	Working knowledge of human anatomy. Some healthcare or similar experience helpful. Some college coursework required.
What is a typical week like or what do you spend most of your time doing in your job?	Public education as to the benefits of whole body donation. Acquisition and processing of human cadaver donations. Distribution of human tissues for scientific and educational applications.
What is the job outlook for this field?	The growing popularity of this donation option should produce jobs in the administrative as well as technical sides. However, much of the work is contracted to mortuary programs. Jobs in this field should adjust and become more prevalent in the coming years.
What are the benefits of working in this field?	Helping donors and their families find cost free alternatives to traditional funerals while providing much need human tissue samples for the benefit of medical science and education. Body donation provides human models as an alternative to animal models for scientific study.
What advice or other information do you want to share with someone considering this field?	It is a fulfilling and admiral mission!