

Referral Reminders

513-558-5000 or 888-558-2558

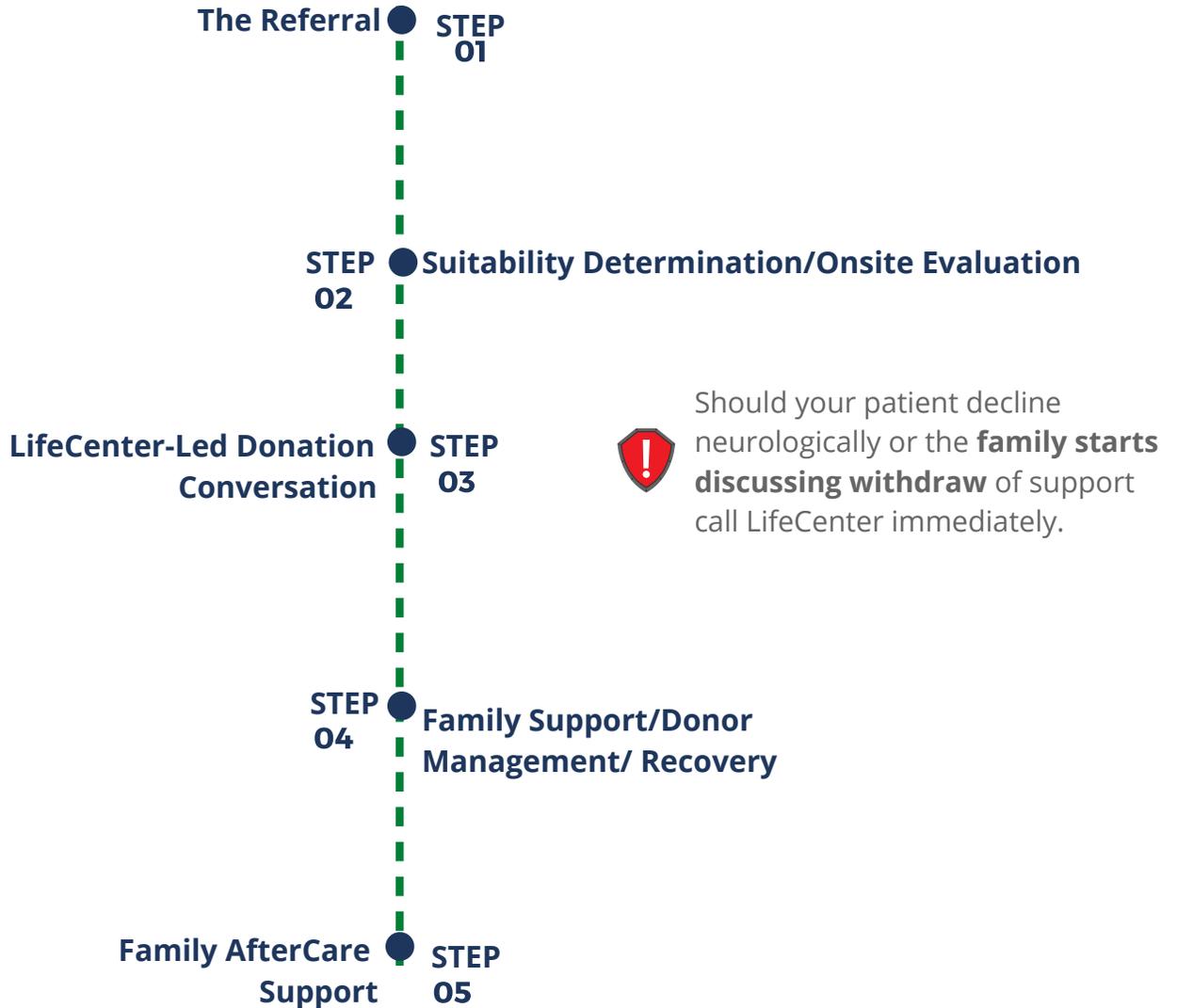
All Cardiac Deaths

One Hour Referral

Vented patients
with GCS of 5 or less

Family discussing
withdraw of support

Immediate Referral



Family of Lisa Connolly
Mother, Daughter, Sister, Organ Donor and Hero.

A member of our LifeCenter team will come to the unit when:

Performing an onsite evaluation after the initial referral was made.

Family mentions donation.

A brain death exam is planned. LifeCenter would like to huddle with the physician and RN prior to the exam.

Family is discussing withdraw of mechanical or pharmacological support.

Patient appears areflexic.

What can you expect from LifeCenter?

Twice per day check ins with the bedside nurse.

LifeCenter staff will check in with you to ensure we have the most up-to-date information on the patient, family dynamics, plan of care, and other pertinent information.

What if the family mentions donation?

Acknowledge the donation comment, but do not address any questions. LifeCenter is the designated requestor for all donation conversations. This means hospital staff are not trained to initiate, ask, or answer family questions about donation.

"That is not my area of expertise but I can certainly contact the proper support staff who can address those questions for you."

Call LifeCenter immediately and inform them the family is discussing donation.

Important Reminders

If you should experience any of the following call LifeCenter IMMEDIATELY:

- **Family starts discussing withdraw of support**
- **Family has decided to withdraw support**
- Code status change from FULL to DNR-CC/A
- Patient declines neurologically
- Physician suspects brain death and/or plans for a brain death exam



DO NOT extubate any patient without notifying LifeCenter first.
Please note in the chart that you called LifeCenter.