

Appendix to witness statement: Statement of expertise

Full name and title

Professor Wendy Anne ROGERS

Professional qualifications

BM.BS Flinders University of South Australia 1983
Dip RACOG Royal Australian College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists 1985
MRCGP Royal College of General Practitioners UK 1987
BA Flinders University of South Australia 1994
BA Hons Flinders University of South Australia 1995
PhD Flinders University of South Australia 1998
FRACGP Royal Australian College of General Practitioners 2000

Current Position

Professor of Clinical Ethics, Department of Philosophy & Department of Clinical Medicine, Macquarie University (since 2009)

Relevant expertise

As an expert in medical ethics, I work across a number of different areas, one of which is the ethics of organ donation. In this capacity, I have been awarded research grants, performed research, presented at national and international conferences, published journal articles and served on national and state committees regarding organ donation.

Research funding

De Lacey, S, Rogers WA, Naffine, N, Braunack-Mayer, A, Richards, B, Ballantyne, A. Consent in the void: moral, legal and community values in decisions about human biological donations (\$105,000) Australian Research Council DP0773141 (2007-9)
Rogers WA, de Lacey S. Donations after Cardiac Death: ethical issues encountered by practitioners (\$50,000) Flinders University Faculty of Health Sciences Partnership Grant (2008-9)

Invited conference presentations

1. 'Cold enough to cut? Challenges in the diagnosis of death for organ donation' (invited speaker, fully funded) International workshop on Death: Philosophy, Therapy Medicine, Centre for the Humanities and Medicine, University of Hong Kong, 23 April 2010.
2. Ethical implications of DCD: Balancing optimal donor organs with quality end of life care.' NSW Health Organ and Tissue Donation Service's DCD Forum "Organ donation after circulatory death: evolving policy, practice, ethics and law." RPA, Camperdown, 16 June 2014.
3. 'The Dead Donor Rule: Time to Reappraise or Redefine?' (invited plenary). Victor Chang Cardiac Research Institute International Symposium on DCD and Heart & Lung Transplantation: A Change of Heart – A Breath of Fresh Air, Sydney 29-31 October 2015.
4. 'Improving Australia's organ donation rate. Ethical and practical issues' (invited speaker, fully funded). 2017 AMA National Conference, Melbourne 27 May 2017.

Invited public lecture

‘Ethical Issues in Organ Donation’. Victor Chang Cardiac Research Institute International Symposium on DCD and Heart & Lung Transplantation: A Change of Heart – A Breath of Fresh Air, Sydney 29-31 October.

Relevant journal articles and other publications

1. Richards B and Rogers WA. Organ donation after cardiac death: legal and ethical justifications for antemortem interventions. *Medical Journal of Australia* 2007; 187 (3): 168-170.
2. NHMRC (Deputy chair of working party). *Organ and tissue donation after death, for transplantation: guidelines for ethical practice for health professionals*. Canberra: Australian Government, 2007.
3. NHMRC (Deputy chair of working party). *Making a decision about organ and tissue donation after death*. Canberra: Australian Government, 2007.
4. NHMRC (Deputy chair of working party). *Organ and tissue donation by living donors: guidelines for ethical practice for health professionals*. Canberra: Australian Government, 2007.
5. NHMRC (Deputy chair of working party). *Making a decision about living organ and tissue donation..* Canberra: Australian Government, 2007.
6. Rogers WA and Richards B. Matters arising: Organ donation after cardiac death: legal and ethical justifications for antemortem interventions. *Medical Journal of Australia* 2008, 188 (3): 188.
7. Naffine N, Richards B and Rogers W. Scaring us all to Death: The Need for Responsible Legal Scholarship on Post Mortem Organ Donation. *Journal of Law and Medicine* 2009, 16: 696-707.
8. Rogers WA, de Lacey S, Avery JC. Donation after cardiac death: community views about ‘decent’ intervals. *American Journal of Transplantation* 2011; 11(3): 583-590.
9. Rogers, Wendy A, Trey, Torsten, Fiatarone Singh, Maria, Bridgett, Madeleine, Bramstedt, Katrina, Lavee, Jacob. Smoke and mirrors: Unanswered questions and misleading statements obscure the truth about organ sources in China. *Journal of Medical Ethics* 2016; 42 (8): 552-553
10. Rogers WA, Robertson MP and Lavee J. Engaging with China on organ transplantation. *BMJ* 2017;356:j665 doi: 10.1136/bmj.j665
11. Rogers WA, Fiatarone Singh MA, Lavee J. Papers based on data concerning organs from executed prisoners should not be published. *Liver International* 2017; 37:769.
12. Rogers WA, Fiatarone Singh MA, Lavee J. Papers based on data concerning organs from executed prisoners should not be published: Response to Zheng and Yan. *Liver International* 2017; 37: 771-772.
13. Rogers WA, Robertson M, Ballantyne A, Blakely B, Catsanos R, Clay-Williams R & Fiatarone Singh M. Compliance with ethical standards in the reporting of donor sources and ethics review in peer-reviewed publications involving organ transplantation in China: A scoping review. *BMJ Open* (accepted 13 Nov 2018).

Relevant committee service

Member, Australian Health Ethics Committee [2003-6]

Deputy Chair, Australian Health Ethics Committee Working Party on organ donation [2004-7]

Member, NHMRC National Donations after Cardiac Death Protocol Development Working Party [2009-10]

Member, NSW Paired Kidney Exchange Advisory Group [2008-9]

Member, Steering Committee of Australians Donate National Organ Donation Collaboratives Planning Group [2007-8]