



Community Tissue Services®

Organization Profile

- Background:** Community Tissue Services is an independent, not-for-profit organization. Community Tissue Services is a division of Community Blood Center, which has served the blood needs of the Miami Valley region for forty-five years. Community Tissue Services serves donor families, physicians, hospitals and its community partners by providing education, recovery, processing and distribution of quality tissue grafts.
- Mission:** At Community Tissue Services, our mission is to save and enhance lives.
- Oversight:** The tissue bank is regulated by the Food & Drug Administration (FDA). Community Tissue Services complies with the American Association of Tissue Banks (AATB) standards for tissue banking. AATB sets standards for donor screening, testing, recovery, processing and distribution.
- Accreditation:** Community Tissue Services is accredited by the American Association of Tissue Banks (AATB) and ISO 9001:2008 Registered. A list of accreditations and licensures is located on our website.
- Founded:** Community Tissue Services was founded in Dayton, Ohio in 1986 to fulfill the needs of the local community for tissue allografts. Today, Community Tissue Services has grown into a national network with locations throughout the United States.
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- Regional Offices:* Fort Worth, Texas; Fresno, California; Indianapolis, Indiana; Memphis, Tennessee; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Portland, Oregon; and Toledo, Ohio. *Satellite Offices:* Boise, Idaho and Medford, Oregon
- Officers:**
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| David Smith, M.D. | Chief Executive Officer |
| Diane Wilson | Chief Operating Officer, Tissue Services |
| Art Kurz | Chief Business Development Officer |
| Julie Belden | Chief Financial Officer |
| Don Frericks | Chief Administrative Officer |
| James Alexander, M.D. | Medical Director |
- Services:** Community Tissue Services serves the public through recovery, processing and distribution of human tissue donations used for transplantation.
- Employees:** Community Tissue Services employs over 300 people nationwide
- Clients:** Community Tissue Services clients include donor families, physicians, hospitals, and its community partners. Community Tissue Services distributes tissue grafts to over 2,000 hospitals nationally and internationally.
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