



Organ Donation Journal Club

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SPEAKER

Marcel E. Pincince

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Marcel received his undergraduate degree in Liberal Arts from Providence College in Providence, Rhode Island, and his graduate degree in theology and pastoral care from The Gregorian University and The North American College in Rome, Italy. He served in parish ministry for ten years before beginning work his in vocations and becoming director of the college program. He began working for Donor Network of Arizona in 1998 establishing their Donor Family aftercare program. Presently, he serves as the Director of Donor Family and Advocate Services guiding the *Donation and Family Advocates* in donation conversations. The present focus of his work and study is decision making and meaningful conversation with families in times of emotional crisis and trauma. Marcel has worked across the country with over 30 Organ Procurement Organizations and Hospital Partners speaking about best practices in communication and donation conversations. He has received both the CORAM and Musculoskeletal Transplant Foundation awards for his work in the field of donation.