

# Steps to post-mortem eye prep

- 1 Instill two (2) drops of normal saline solution in each eye.  
Use saline vial and draw up in a syringe or use pre-filled sterile saline syringe.
- 2 Tape the eyes shut with paper tape.
- 3 Apply ice bags (ice filled gloves) to each eye.
- 4 Elevate the head using a towel roll.

Note: These steps preserve the option of eye donation and may be taken once the family has left the room.