## **Online Donor Account Instructions**

Create Donor Account and Log In

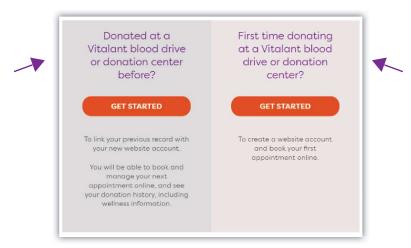
## Create Donor Account

- 1. Visit donors.vitalant.org. Be sure to bookmark this page for future access.
- 2. In the top banner, select "Create an account." Note: Even if you have donated with Vitalant previously, you need to create a new donor account on this new site (a one-time set up).
  - If you are unsure which email address is in your donor record or haven't yet provided it to us, please call **877-258-4825**. Your email address cannot be used by another Vitalant donor. Each donor must have their own, unique email address in their donor record to be able to create a new donor portal account.



**3. Previous donors:** click "**Get Started**" in the box with *Donated at a Vitalant blood drive or donation center before?* 

**First-time donors:** click "**Get Started**" in the box with *First time donating at a Vitalant blood drive or donation center?* 

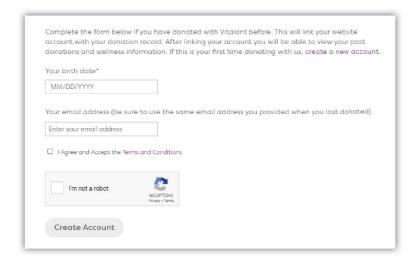




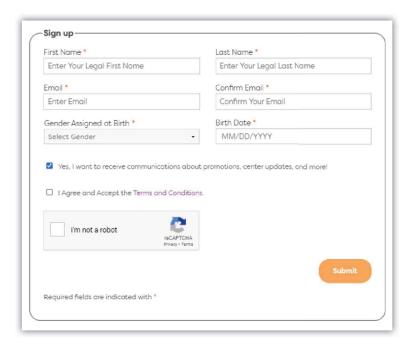




4. **Previous donors:** Enter your date of birth and email address (one that you've already provided to Vitalant that's in your current donor record) and click "**Create Account**."



First-time donors: Complete all fields and click "Submit." Please use your legal name.







5. Once you click "**Create Account**" (or "**Submit**" for first-time Vitalant donors), you will see this message:



**6.** You'll automatically receive an email from **givingblood@vitalant.org** (Subject line: Activate Your Donor Account). This email includes a link you'll need to click to activate your new account.



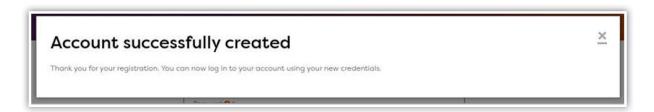
- 7. After you click the link in the "**Activate account**" email, you'll be prompted to set up a password. Enter and re-enter your password and click "Submit."
  - Quick tip: Passwords must be at least 8 characters in length and include upper and lowercase letters, and at least one number and special character. Passwords are case sensitive.



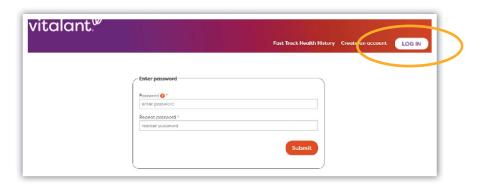


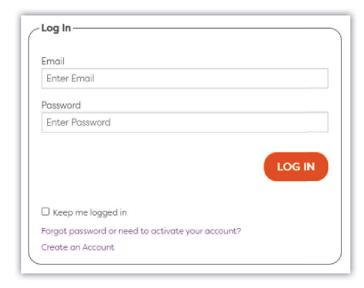


8. After you click "Submit," you'll see this message.



9. Exit this message and click "**Log In**" to use your newly created credentials to log in to your donor account.









10. You'll automatically receive another email from <a href="givingblood@vitalant.org">givingblood@vitalant.org</a>, (shown below, with subject line: Congrats! Your Account Was Successfully Activated) confirming that your new account was successfully activated.



## **Having Trouble?**

If you are a previous donor and do not use the same email address to create your account that you provided to Vitalant when you donated, your account will NOT be linked to your donor record. As a result, you may not be able to view certain things in your online account, like donation eligibility, past donations, points earned (if you opted in to the Donor Recognition Program) and wellness information.

You can fix this by linking your newly-created account to your permanent account.

1. Once you are logged in, click "My Profile."

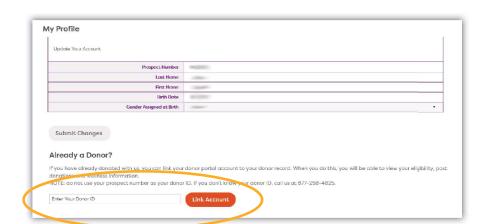






2. Enter your donor ID number and click "Link Account."





- 3. You'll receive an email from **givingblood@vitalant.org** (Subject line: Finish Linking Donor Account).
  - Quick tip: Be sure to click the link within the email to complete the process.





