“Kidney Village”: The Truth About Trafficking by Lara Mitra

Discussion Questions

1. **What main ideas did Lara want to convey in her Reflection?**
2. **In what ways do the issues of organ trafficking impact Lara personally?**
3. **What are the consequences of people deciding not to become organ donors?**
4. **What statistics did Lara present to strengthen her argument?**
5. **The ethics of organ donation**:

a. If organs are in short supply, who should get them and who should

decide? Is the UNOS system that Lara describes “ethical” and “fair?”

b. Should it be legal to sell organs if they are harvested safely? Why or

why not?