



GUIDELINE	
Blood Transfusions	
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- This guideline has all the links to the [PMH Haematology Transfusion Medicine Protocols](#) including
 - [Consent for Blood Products](#)
 - [Blood Transfusion Consent Information](#)
 - [Blood transfusion – A parents guide](#)
- These guidelines are based on the national and international blood transfusion guidelines and are intended to promote better and safer transfusion practice

Policy


- The [PMH Haematology Transfusion Medicine Protocols](#) has information about:
 - Prescribing Blood Components
 - Requests for Pre-Transfusion Testing
 - Urgent and Emergency Blood Transfusion Requests
 - Issue of Blood Components During Normal Working Hours
 - The Issue of Blood Components from the PMH Transfusion Medicine Unit Outside Normal Hours
 - Checklist before a blood product is issued by / collected from the transfusion medicine unit or satellite refrigerator
 - Pre-transfusion Bedside checks
 - Administration of Blood Components
 - Care and Monitoring of Transfused Patients
 - Documenting the Transfusion
 - The Management and Reporting of Adverse Events
 - Fresh Blood Components

- Plasma Derived Blood Components and Synthetic/Recombinant Products
- Directed Donation Policy
- Receiving Blood With a Patient Transfer

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