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

Tags

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