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Welcome Message
from Carol Wilson,
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CBBS President



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April 15

Verifying blood product orders in the laboratory - revisited

March 26

Using a rapid test to prevent transfusion of platelets that contain dangerous levels of bacteria [ADDENDA](#) Apr. 9



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Work up for a febrile or other adverse event in association with autologous blood administration [ADDENDA](#) Mar. 19

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Release of uncrossmatched RBC units - update [ADDENDA](#) Mar. 13

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Shelf life of a volume reduced RBC product [ADDENDA](#) Mar. 1 & 8



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Blood donations by individuals who are allergic to disinfectants used in arm preps [ADDENDA](#) Feb. 21 & 23; Mar. 26 **NEW**

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April 18

[Campaigner wins tainted blood case](#) - A composer who contracted HIV and hepatitis C through an NHS blood transfusion has won a High Court challenge over compensation levels. (BBC News, UK)

March 22

[TraQ March Newsletter](#) (Transfusion Quality Management Program Canada) and latest BLOG *You can't always get what you want* (Musings on HIV's discovery & how ads become news) ([On Traq](#)). ([On Traq](#)).

December 4

[Africa struggles to keep transfusions life-saving](#). The rate of HIV infection from blood transfusions is high, but a network of social clubs is working to educate volunteer donors (The Star, Canada)

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