

Summary of Incidents Related to Transplant Cases - Previous Recommendations

Year first made	Action	Recommendation
2013	British Committee for Standards in Haematology Transfusion Task Force in association with the British Transplant Society	Guidelines should be developed that cover the procedures, particularly communication protocols, necessary for managing female transplant patients who are of childbearing potential, where RhD positive transplants have been given to RhD negative recipients. This should be a standard for all transplant centres
2012	Clinical transplant teams; Transfusion Laboratory managers, Hospital Transfusion Teams	To minimise transfusion errors, a written transplant programme detailing key dates and blood group information, should be developed for each transplant recipient. This should be sent, with written confirmation of receipt, to the transfusion laboratory in the hospital where the transplant is being undertaken, the shared care centre and its transfusion laboratory
2012	The BCSH Transfusion Task Force; the British Society of Blood and Marrow Transplantation (BSBMT)	Guidelines should be developed that cover the procedures, particularly communication protocols, necessary for managing transplant patients, especially where ABO/RhD mismatched transplants have been given. This should be a standard for all transplant centres