

International Rare Donor Panel

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Rare Donor Program

Country: Austria

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Rare Donor Program		
Rare Donor Program	Yes or No	
National Regional or Facility based	regional	
Number of Rare Donors	>400	
Definition of Rare	>= 1:500	
Are the donors listed in the International Rare Donor Panel	partly	
Frozen Inventory	yes	
How are Rare Donors found	prospective genotyping programs; patient antibody investigations	
Number of Rare Donor Units used per year	5-25	
ISBT Rare Donor WP Blood Shipment form used	no	
Outcome of incompatible transfusion form used	no	
Most difficult types to find	U-; FY3-; O _h	
Phenotypes confirmed by molecular testing	as donors are identified by genotyping, confirmation typing is serological	

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Phenotype	Total Active Donors	Group O	O Positive	O Negative	Other ABO/Rh
GE:-2,-3					
Jk(a-b-)	4	2	2	0	2
Ко	0	0	0	0	0
Kp(b-)	3	2	2	0	1
MkMk	0	0	0	0	
Rh:-34					
U-	0	0	0	0	
PP1Pk-					
SC:-1					
En(a-)	0	0	0	0	
At(a-)	0	0	0	0	
Di(b-)	0	0	0	0	
Jr(a-)	1	0	0	0	1
Rh null					
Vel(-)	2	1	1	0	1
D	0	0	0	0	
Oh	0	0			

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Country/Region: How are your rare donors found?

	Yes / No	Method	Comments
Extended phenotyping donors	partly		
Extended genotyping donors	yes	Multiplex SSP PCRs	Jungbauer C, Hobel CM, Schwartz DW, Mayr WR. High- throughput multiplex PCR genotyping for 35 red blood cell antigens in blood donors. Vox Sang . 2012 Apr;102(3):234-42.
Family studies	yes	in very rare phenotypes only	
Antibody investigations	yes	when identified by patient typing	
Other			





Red Cell Product Specifications

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	Donor Selection	
Donation	Volunt	ary
Age or Weight Restrictions	18-70 years;	>= 50 Kg
Donation Interval	Men up to 6 donations per year, women 4-5 do	nations/year; donation interval >= 8 weeks
Sexual Activity Precautions	STDs	
_	not more than 3 different sexual partners within 3 month: unprotected sex with new sexual partners within the last four weeks	
Travel Exclusions	Dengue	4 weeks deferral
area endemic for the listed —	Ebola	4 weeks deferral
infectious illnesses	Malaria	6 month deferral
_	West Nile Virus	28 days deferral or WNV-NAT
Lifestyle	Acupuncture, piercing or tattoo	
	Drug use (Non-prescribed injected)	
	Incarceration	
CJD restrictions	Stays in the UK > 6 month between 198	30 and 1996; transfusions in the UK
Covid restrictions	COVID19 vaccine administration	48 hours deferral
	COVID infection	14 days deferral, 28 days in severe cases
	Household contact	No deferral

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Mandatory Infectious Diseases Screening of Blood Products		
	Screening test	Risk of blood transfusion transmission
HIV	Ab and NAT	
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HBV	HBs Ag and NAT	
Syphilis	Ab	
HTLV (1 & 2)	-	
СМУ	-	
Zika Virus	-	
West Nile Virus	NAT during season; NAT or 28 day deferral	
Babesia	-	
Trypanosoma cruzi (T. cruzi) Chagas Disease	-	

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Provides details of antibody and nucleic acid testing 7 Mark tests as NA when not required Include details of any additional testing required

Red Cell Blood Product		
Description	Red Cells, Leucocyte-Depleted in Additive Solution	
Anticoagulant	Citrate (CPD)	
Additive Solution	SAG-M	
Leukofiltration	yes	
Average volume	287 ml	
Storage Temperature	4°C +/- 2	
Transport Temperature	< 10 °C	
Storage Duration	42 days	
Irradiation Policy	Patient dependent, individually	
Other	haemoglobin content > 40 g, haematocrit 0.50 to 0.70, < 1.0 × 10e6 leucocytes	





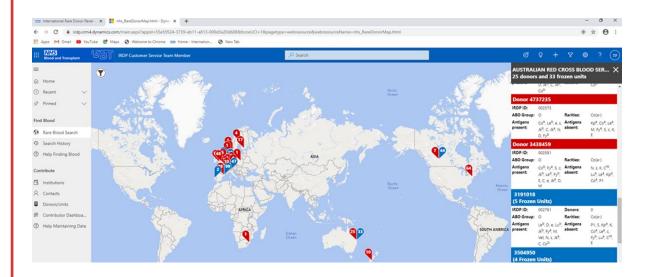
Frozen Inventory

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General Information		
Freezing Method	High glycerol low freezing rate (HGM) method	
Frozen Expiry (years)	Up to 30	
Storage Temperature	< - 60 °C	
Can inventory be issued and sent frozen	Theoretically yes (dry shipper available)	
Thawing Method	Waterbath 37°C, automated washing system (ACP-215)	
Thawed Expiry (days)	1	
Additive Solution	SAG-M	
Irradiation Policy	Patient dependent, individually	
IUT and Neonate use	individual decision of the prescribing physician	
Supply out of date Policy	individual decision of the prescribing physician	

Product Specifications		
Volume	> 185 mL	
Supernatant Haemoglobin	< 0.2 g per unit	
Haematocrit	0.35–0.70	
Haemoglobin	> 36 g per unit	
Osmolarity	Max. 20 mOsm/L above osmolarity of resuspending fluid	
Residual leucocyte content	< 1.0 × 10e6 leucocytes	
Sterility	Sterility No growth (frequency of sampling as determined by SPC)	
Other		





Ordering and Shipping

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	Exporting
Request form available	no
Government Requirements	no
Regulatory Requirements	-
Rare Donor Program Requirements	-
Other	Correspondence with the Austrian Red Cross, Vienna Blood Centre Red Cell Reference Lab

	Importing
Government Requirements	
Regulatory Requirements	Intended use for a named patient and justification why the importation is indispensable in the present case
Rare Donor Program Requirements	
Other	