

Updates to the June 2024 Circular Of Information For the Use OF Human Blood And Blood Components

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REVIEW THIS PAGE FOR IMPORTANT INFORMATION FROM THE BLOOD SUPPLIER AND UPDATES REQUIRED BY FDA

Blood components collected between 11/28/2018 and 06/11/2021 were tested with a licensed nucleic acid test (NAT) for Zika Virus RNA and found to be nonreactive.

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Cold -Stored Platelets (CSP) are intended for the treatment of active bleeding when conventional platelets are not available, or their use is not practical.

CSP must be stored continuously at 1-6°C to control the risk of bacterial contamination for up to 14 days.

Transfusion services should establish procedures for examining CSP for visible aggregates before transfusion.

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