



## NATIONAL BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE

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### AUTOLOGOUS TRANSFUSION REFERRAL LETTER

Dear Colleague,

This patient has requested Autologous Transfusion for his / her operation. I have discussed this with the patient, with appropriate reference to " Guidelines for Autologous Transfusion " and am of the opinion that he / she is medically suitable for the procedure.

I would be grateful if you would see him / her with a view to making the necessary agreements.

Patient's ID Card No. ....

Patient's Name (Mr / Mrs / Ms) .....

Patient's Address .....

Patient's Date of Birth .....

Ward .....

Hospital .....

Hospital Number .....

Date of Admission .....

Date of Operation .....

Planned Procedure .....

Underlying Pathology .....

Requested Number of Donations ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) (maximum is 5)

Haemoglobin (g/dl) ( \_\_\_\_\_ )

Signature of Referring Consultant Clinician: .....

Name of Referring Consultant Clinician: .....

(BLOCK LETTERS)

Date .....

The *National Blood Transfusion Service* operates under the following laws; The Human Blood and Blood Components Act 2005; EU Directive 2002/98EC and EU Directive 2004/33EC. All data is collected and processed in strictly in accordance to the Data Protection Act 2001, the Human Blood and Blood Components Act 2005, other subsidiary legislation and the Privacy Policy of the Department, a copy of which is available on demand.

The sensitive data\* we are requesting is required for the purpose of this application. You are not obliged to give this information if you do not wish to. However, you should be aware that, should you not provide such information, the department cannot process this form. You are entitled to see the information, related to you, should you ask for it in writing and we endeavour to satisfy this request in a reasonable time. Any communications are to be addressed to the **Data Controller – National Blood Transfusion Service**.

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