

Blood Transfusion Bundle

- Rationale for transfusion documented in patients notes**
- Minimum Data Set Identifiable Patient checked**
- Written Instruction provided on Blood Component Transfusion Record including**
 1. Blood component
 2. Date and time
 3. Any special requirements CMV negative etc
 4. Volume to be transfused
 5. Length of time for infusion to run(should be maximum 3hrs)
 6. Any special requirements concomitant drugs frurosemide etc
 7. Signature of prescriber
- Risks and Benefits discussed with parents/carers and leaflet provided**
- Transfusion administration checklist complete**
- Sticker added to form and luggage label returned to blood bank**

References : BSCH guidelines 2009