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NORTH EAST REGIONAL TRANSFUSION COMMITTEE

Regional Transfusion Team Meeting

Friday 16th November, 2012. 1:30pm


Present

- Adil Iqbal (AI)
- Hazel Tinegate (HT)
- Denise Watson (DW)
- Janice Robertson (JR)

Apologies

- Sue Wardle (SW)
- Robin Coupe (RC)

1.	Minutes of previous meeting 19.10.2012 Minutes were agreed as true record. Can now be posted on website as "Confirmed".	Action JR
2.	RTC Matters. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• RTC membership. Request Dr Alan Sweenie joins as anaesthetic link.• Meeting 07.11.2012. Minutes Omit previously circulated documents to reduce size of document.	AI JR
3.	Education <ul style="list-style-type: none">• RTC study day 2012. Event well received. Summary of evaluation in progress.• Nurse Authorising Education Event. Haem day – Tuesday 27th November 2012 15 delegates confirmed, final preparations underway.• Quality Audit Training Workshop Wednesday 6th February 2013. 14 delegates registered to date.• Pre-Assessment Nurses DW to contact the 2 Pre assessment nurses who noted interest in being part of the working party• Patient Blood Management DW informed group that a working group is being set up. Await more prescriptive information but consider subject is covered by existing events.	 DW
4.	Audit Wrong Blood in Tube. Message 'Stand by me'. Data presented at NEQAS, and RTC. AI briefly discussed at the last NBTC meeting. Claire Harrison who has since stepped down as the chair had suggested he do a short presentation at the next meeting. Repeat survey of Transfer of Blood with Patient. Dr Henning Pauli expressed interested in joining group. Where do platelets go? Andrew Charlton presented at RTC meeting. Generic report to be modified for individual trusts.	

	<p>Massive Haemorrhage in the North East AI to lead working group. Dr Reuben Saharia expressed interested in joining group. AI to request member of obstetrics team from James Cook and Yvonne Scott from Newcastle Hospitals join group. Arrange face to face meeting for mid December 2012.</p> <p>National Comparative Audits Medical use of blood. Ongoing. Blood Sampling and Labelling. 14,000 forms received. Anti-D. Deferred till Spring 2013.</p>	<p>AI</p> <p>JR</p>
5.	<p>Newcastle Centre News Change of use for many rooms in the centre to enable enhancement of donor suite.</p>	
6.	<p>Website HT to compose item on 'Focus trial'.</p>	HT
7.	<p>Budget</p> <p></p> <p>2012-13 .xls</p>	
8.	<p>RTC Blood Conservation link. Organisational survey to be forwarded to TP's in paper format. Include 'Which best describes your hospital transfusion practices for elective surgical patients' 'MBOS or Blood on demand'</p>	JR
9.	<p>AOB HT requested Dr Marina Karakantza be invited to December meeting DW requested update of RTT project plan.</p>	<p>JR</p> <p>JR</p>
10.	<p>Date and time of next meeting. Friday 14th December – Lecture Theatre Room 301 Circulate doodle for January – June 2013 meetings</p>	JR