## NORTH EAST REGIONAL TRANSFUSION COMMITTEE

Regional Transfusion Team Meeting

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> September, 2012. 1:30pm

## Present

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

Apologies

• Robin Coupe (RC)

		Action
1.	Minutes of previous meeting 22.06.2012	
	Minutes were agreed as true record.	
	Can now be posted on website as "Confirmed".	JR
2.	RTC Matters.	
	<ul> <li>Highlight report for NBTC meeting. Update as per discussions, add Blood conservation, publications and abstracts / posters sections then circulate for comments /</li> </ul>	
	amendments.	JR
	<ul> <li>Meeting 07.011.2012.</li> <li>Agenda</li> </ul>	U.I.
	Update as per discussions.	JR
	Request Andrew Charlton speaks on WDPG?	JR
	Request Martin Maley speak on RCI – Molecular RBC typing HT to apply for CPD approval <b>HTC report</b>	JR HT
	Add 'Amount of cell salvage used in your trust', circulate for comments / amendments.	JR
3.	Education	
5.	RTC study day 2012 Meeting to follow.	
	Nurse Authorising Education Event.	
	ITU day – Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> October 2012	
	12 delegates registered to date.	
	Group agreed to provide £6.50 finger buffet for day one of event.	
	Haem day – Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup> November 2012	
	13 delegates registered to date.	
	Interest in the events from other regions. Poster accepted BBTS.	
	Quality Audit Training Workshop	
	Date confirmed for 6 <sup>th</sup> February 2013.	JR
	<ul> <li>Flyer and application form to be circulated next week.</li> <li>Pre-Assessment Nurses</li> </ul>	JI
	Aim to run event in May 2013 following excellent feedback from	
	survey of pre assessment practice. 2 pre assessment nurses	
	have volunteered for working group.	
	Patient Blood Management	
	To be discussed at NBTC meeting.	

4.	Audit         Wrong Blood in Tube.         Data analysis in progress. 50 samples, 50% labelling away from bedside.         Message 'Don't leave me this way'. HT has forwarded summary to Anne         Varey for comment. Possibility of poster.         Repeat survey of Transfer of Blood with Patient.         75 events. Awaiting final data input from CDDFT and Gateshead. Al to chase up CDDFT data.         Where do platelets go?         Data analysis in progress. Draft poster produced.         National Comparative Audits         Medical use of blood. Ongoing.         Blood Sampling and Labelling. Ongoing.	AI
5.	<ul> <li>Anti-D. Deferred till Spring 2013.</li> <li>Newcastle Centre News</li> <li>Current SpR - Debbie Moulton.</li> <li>KPI indicators good compared to nationally.</li> </ul>	
6.	Website No update.	
7.	Budget 2012-13 .xls	
8.	<b>RTC Blood Conservation link.</b> Sue Wardle agreed to be link for North East region. Questionnaire to establish the use of conservation techniques within hospitals to be developed.	SW/JR
9.	<b>Massive haemorrhage audit.</b> JR to copy North West version from survey monkey and circulate for comments.	JR
10.	<b>Presentation by Dave Dawson</b> Draft presentation confirmed as covering requirements for study day. DW to advise Dave Dawson.	DW
11.	AOB None.	
12.	<b>Date and time of next meeting.</b> Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> October – Conference Room. Apologies received from DW. Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> November – Lecture Theatre Room 301 Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> December – Lecture Theatre Room 301	