

Transfusion Practitioners Meeting



Wednesday 4th February 2015
NHS Blood and Transplant, Newcastle


Attendance:

Sara Avery (SA)
Vicki Davidson (VD) - chair
Janice Robertson (JRo) – minutes
Janet Ryan (JR)
Debbie Sains (DS)
Rosie Tate (RT)
Jonathan Trattles (JT)
Denise Watson (DW)

Apologies:

Anna Bartholomew (AB)
Debbie Cox (DC)
Karen Nesbitt (KN)
Pauline Patterson (PP)
Sue Wardle (SWa)
Megan Wrightson (MW)

1.	<p>Vicki Davidson welcomed the group and acted as chair</p> <p>Minutes of previous meeting</p> <p>Agreed as a true record</p> <p>Action: Post onto RTC website</p>	JRo
2.	<p>Blood on Board - Update</p> <p></p> <p>Blood on board.pdf</p>	
3.	<p>Training and Education</p> <p>Review of Nurse Authorisation documents</p> <p>Combine red cell and platelet guidelines into one document stating 'blood components', this will incorporate authorisation of FFP if required.</p> <p>Take to RTC for ratification in March.</p> <p>Nurse Authorisation Education Event</p> <p>22nd January 2015 – NHS Blood and Transplant, Newcastle.</p> <p>Event well evaluated.</p> <p>DW requested potential numbers for future events, also details of any other disciplines that may be included i.e. Community Services, Hospital at night and Cardio Nurse Practitioners.</p> <p>Transfusion Matters for Neonates</p> <p>19th May 2015 - Belmont centre, Durham.</p> <p>Facilitated and led by the Northern neonatal network. Flyer sent to neonatal contacts in hospitals.</p> <p></p> <p>Blood Training Flyer.pdf</p> <p>Introduction to Coaching and Action Learning Sets</p> <p>18th and 19th March 2015 - NHS Blood and Transplant, Newcastle</p> <p>Kairen Coffey to facilitate</p> <p>To date, 7 delegates registered for day one / 5 delegates registered for day two.</p> <p>Forthcoming NE RTC Study Day</p> <p>Patient Blood Management, Thursday 8th October 2015 – The Durham Centre</p>	<p>JR</p> <p>DW</p> <p>All</p>

	<p>Northumbria University DW invited to talk on PBM and her role at Northumbria University by the Student Nurse Society. The presentation was well received and DW offered to facilitate a one day educational event for student nurses, which was well received. DW to discuss further with the Regional Transfusion Team.</p>	DW
4.	<p>Mandatory Training Is blood transfusion seen as an element of mandatory training? Yes, with the exception of South Tees – no longer monitored by the trust.</p>	
5.	<p>Update on NPSA SPN 14 competencies Email circulated on behalf of Craig Taylor, requesting views via completion of a quick questionnaire to inform how this is taken forward. Link to survey:- https://www.snapsurveys.com/wh/s.asp?k=142124264037 Group encouraged to complete the survey by the extended deadline of 6th February 2015.</p>	
6.	<p>NCA Consent and patient information findings Report available South Tees have introduced stickers, and transfusion dependant patients sign a consent form which is then valid for 12 months. Newcastle use a section on the information leaflet. CDDFT are auditing what doctors write in the notes, the pathway already incorporates patient consent. Northumbria have included consent in the transfusion chart, will audit in 6 months. Anti-D Report available HT presenting findings at RTC meeting in March 2015 Audit of Sickle Cell Disease Ongoing PBM in surgery Planned for April 2015. Red cell survey HT compiled regional report taken from the national data</p>	
7.	<p>Critical Incidents Critical incidents discussed.</p>	
8.	<p>Gap analysis re: PBM recommendations The Trust Working group should include at least one PBM champion who is not part of HTC. DW happy to assist TP's to review the recommendations and help with action planning. The NBTC PBM working group are looking at developing a PBM scorecard which can be shared. DW to re circulate the PBM recommendations which were released in June 2014 and templates for the PBM Action Plan.</p>	
9.	<p>NHSBT / PBM Practitioner Update</p>  <p>PBM update Jan 2015.pdf</p> <p>Group happy to show wastage as cost on HTC reports</p>	
10.	<p>A.O.B. North Cumbria – TP now in post Emma Ward Rosie Tate announced she will be retiring at the end March 2015</p>	
11.	<p>Date and time of next meeting Tuesday 12th May 2015 – Level 1 meeting room, NHS Blood and Transplant – Janet Ryan to chair. Tuesday 8th September – Room 302, NHS Blood and Transplant.</p>	