Algorithm for PBM standard 3: Pre operative transfusion allowed only if preoperative anaemia optimisation has been attempted where appropriate.

(Q20) RED CELL transfusion and (Q21-Q5) done within 14 days before surgery

If (Q20) is NO, Excluded

If (Q20) is YES, Meets pre-operative Anaemia Management Standard? PBM1

If Meets is NO, Insufficient information

If Meets is YES, Transfusion Not Appropriate

Q23 (Hb result in box) Was Hb checked within 72 hours before transfusion?

If Q23 is NO, Insufficient information

If Q23 is YES, Transfusion Not Appropriate

Q26 Does the patient have acute coronary ischaemia?

If Q26 is NO, Insufficient information

If Q26 is YES, Transfusion Not Appropriate

Q23 Is Hb < 80g/L?

If Q23 is YES, Transfusion Appropriate

If Q23 is NO, Transfusion Not Appropriate

Q23 Is Hb < 70g/L?

If Q23 is YES, Transfusion Appropriate

If Q23 is NO, Transfusion Not Appropriate