

Blood and Transplant

Release notes for OBOS version 9.0.3

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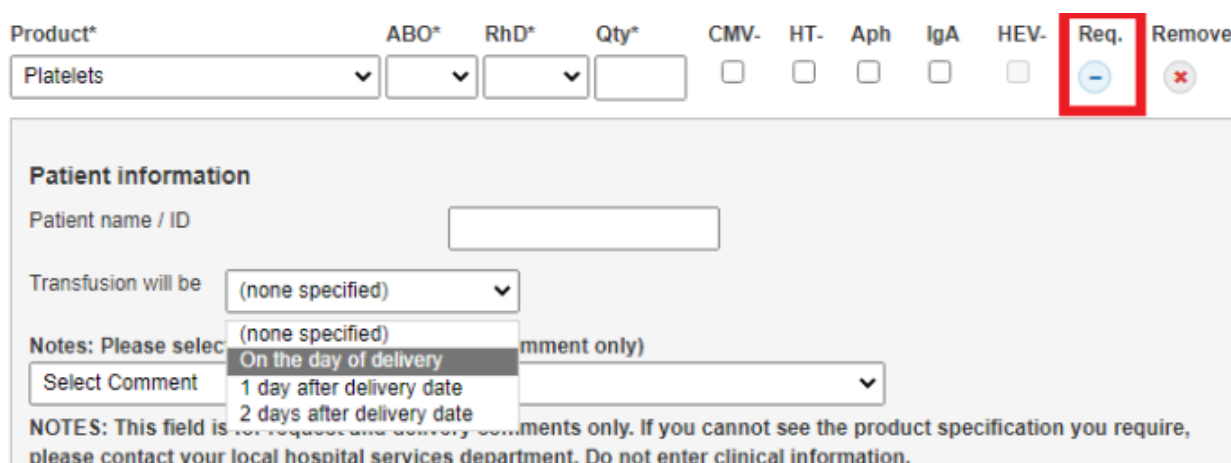
Changes

Transfusion Date – Platelet Standing Orders

We see regular use of the line notes stating 'Delivery today for transfusion tomorrow' within platelet standing orders. Line notes should not be used for requesting component specifications/requirements we have introduced the ability to specify when after delivery the transfusion will occur to ensure adequate shelf life on the component(s). If no specific instruction is required, this will default to 'None Specified' and NHSBT will supply based on FIFO (First in First Out)

Expand the order by selecting the Req option then select if required either

- 1) On the day of delivery
- 2) 1 day after delivery date
- 3) 2 days after delivery date



The screenshot shows the OBOS interface for creating a transfusion order. At the top, there are fields for 'Product*' (Platelets), 'ABO*', 'RhD*', 'Qty*', and checkboxes for 'CMV-', 'HT-', 'Aph', 'IgA', and 'HEV-'. A 'Req.' button with a minus sign is highlighted with a red box, next to a 'Remove' button with a red 'x'. Below this is a 'Patient information' section with a 'Patient name / ID' field. A dropdown menu for 'Transfusion will be' is open, showing options: '(none specified)', 'On the day of delivery', '1 day after delivery date', and '2 days after delivery date'. A 'Notes: Please select' dropdown is also visible, with 'Select Comment' as an option. A note at the bottom states: 'NOTES: This field is for requesting and delivery comments only. If you cannot see the product specification you require, please contact your local hospital services department. Do not enter clinical information.'

NOTE: This does not apply to specialist stock orders (SSO)

Removal of HT option for Group AB frozen components

NHSBT receive orders for group AB frozen components requesting HT neg. As these components do not require this to be selected but means manual change to orders are required when received the HT option will be grey out.

Don't forget there is a full OBOS User Guide and the set of practice orders for use in training which can be found on the Hospitals & Science website via the link at the footer of your hospital home page once logged in to OBOS or at <https://hospital.blood.co.uk/customer-service/obos/>

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