

Blood and Transplant

Release notes for OBOS version 10.0.0

This version supersedes version v 9.0.3

Changes

Logging onto OBOS

OBOS is only accessible via supported web browsers. If you try to log in via an unsupported browser for following message will appear (E.g., Internet Explorer):



First time orders for HLA and HLA/HPA Platelets

Version 10 sees the replacement of FRM558 to request first time orders for HLA and HLA/HPA platelets via OBOS. You will receive instruction from H&I if your patient is eligible to request specialist products following antibody testing. When you select the component required two options will appear. '1st time order' and 'Order for known patient'. Subsequent orders (known patients) process has not changed.

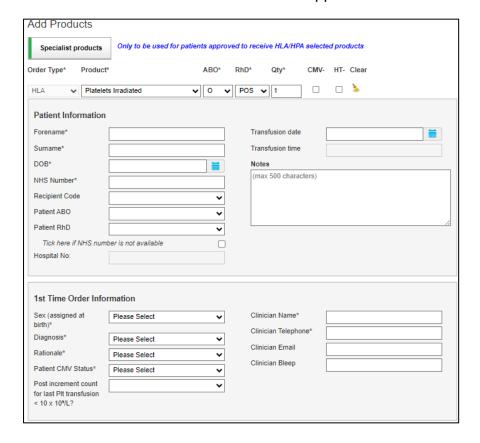


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Additional fields for 1st time order information will appear under the routine fields:



Once the order is sent it will be approved/rejected by an NHSBT consultant, if approved the order will be processed automatically. Standing orders cannot be placed with the 1st time order requests. The process for second and subsequent orders/standing orders remain unchanged.

NOTE: This 1st time ordering does not apply to HPA selected blood products or HLA Red cells requests. Please contact H&I for further guidance for ordering these products.

Transfusion Date - Specialist Stock Standing Orders - Platelets

Following the implementation of transfusion date options for platelet standing order in version 9.0.3, we have now implemented for specialist stock standing orders for HLA and HLA/HPA platelets. You are now able 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)

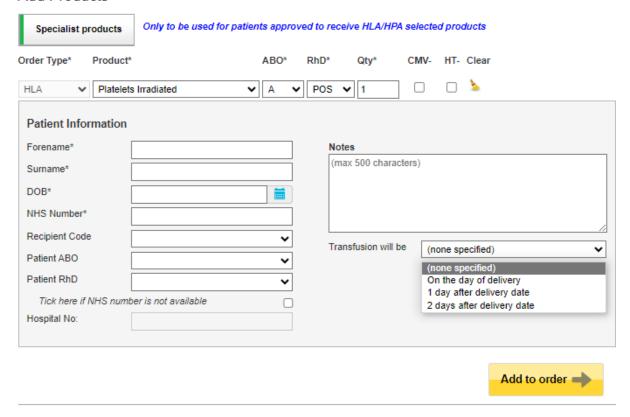
Select if required either:

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

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Add Products



NOTE: This does not apply to HPA selected component orders

Removal of the HEV box for all components.

All components manufactured from UK donations are now tested for HEV. The HEV tick box was disabled/greyed out on 27 January 2020. In version 10 the HEV box has been removed.

Use of personal/non-organisational email addresses for OBOS user accounts

Following the update sent out in April 24 regarding the use of personal/non-organisational email addresses for OBOS user accounts being a security risk. When adding a new user or updating your profile the following comment will appear – 'Please do not use a personal or generic email address'.



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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 OBOS - Hospitals and Science - NHSBT (blood.co.uk)

If you have any queries, comments, concerns, or ideas for improvement on any aspect of OBOS please email OBOS@nhsbt.nhs.uk

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