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Guidance on Requirement for Irradiated Blood

The following patients need irradiated blood

- 1. Patients that have EVER been treated with purine analogues e.g. fludarabine, cladribine etc.
- 2. Patients that have EVER been treated with purine antagonists e.g. bendamustine, clofarabine
- 3. Patients that have EVER been treated with CD52 antibody therapy e.g. MabCampeth
- 4. Aplastic anaemia patients receiving ATG
- 5. Patients of any age that have EVER had Hodgkin Lymphoma
- 6. Patients undergoing autologous BMT or peripheral SCT
- 7. Patients undergoing 'harvesting' of bone marrow or peripheral stem cells for future re-infusion
- 8. Patients that have received allogeneic SCT
- 9. Patients that have immunodeficiency syndromes e.g. Di George syndrome, CHARGE syndrome
- 10. Patients receiving in utero transfusions, and neonatal exchange transfusions if there has been an IUT during the pregnancy