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INFORMATION ONLY

Form Change – Manitoba Hospital Customers Only – Platelet Immunology Laboratory, HLA Disease Association

Customer Letter # 2024-25

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Dear Colleagues:

Canadian Blood Services has changed the request form for Manitoba Hospital Customers Only for HLA Disease Association Testing. This change, like the change in address for the testing laboratory as indicated in <u>CL 2024-19</u>, will be effective June 3, 2024.

REQUISITION FORM

For Manitoba Hospital Customers ONLY, the requestion indicated below will be required for HLA Disease Association testing:

• HLA Disease Association – Platelet Immunology Laboratory (F801964)

The new requisition will be available on <u>www.blood.ca</u> in the 'Laboratory Services' Section beginning on June 3, 2024.

WEBSITE RESOURCES

The Laboratory Services section of <u>www.blood.ca</u> will be updated on June 3, 2024, to reflect the change:

• Link to the new requisition will be provided.

CONTACT INFORMATION

National Platelet Immunology Reference Laboratory (NPIRL) 100 Parkshore Drive Brampton, ON L6T 5M1 Telephone: (905) 494-5257 Fax: (905) 494-8149 Hours of Operation: Monday to Friday – 0800 – 1600 ET



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Please share a copy of this customer letter with healthcare professionals at your hospital who might be interested in this information.

This customer letter can also be viewed at <u>www.blood.ca</u> in the "Hospital Services" section. If you have questions about this letter, or if you require it in an accessible format, please contact your local hospital liaison specialist.

Sincerely,

Dr. Elaine Leung Medical Director, Laboratory Services, Medical Laboratory & Stem Cell Services