

**Beebe Healthcare**  
**Margaret H. Rollins School of Nursing**  
**Nursing 202 – Advanced Concepts of Nursing**

**Unit 1 Part 1 – Day 2 Class Preparation Assignment**

*Review Beebe Healthcare's Transfusion of Blood and Blood Components in order to respond to the following questions.*

1. List least two topics that a care provider is responsible for understanding in regard to a blood transfusion procedure.

**Ordering/ requesting blood products from blood bank, transfusion process**

2. Consent is required **before** placing a request for a blood product, except for in emergent circumstances.
3. In emergent and life-threatening situations, **uncrossmatched RBCs** blood requested by a provider will be provided by the blood bank within 7 minutes of the verbal request.
4. According to Beebe's policy, the patient should have a peripheral IV **22** gauge or larger for routine blood administration.

5. True or False. Blood products can be sent through the pneumatic tube station.

**True**

6. What specific tubing is needed when administering blood products?

**Y type infusion set**

7. The most fatal transfusion events occur because oversights are made during the **Pretransfusion positive identification checks**.

8. True or False. If the patient is wearing a hospital ID band, is alert and oriented, and can verbalize their information, a two-nurse check is not required.

**False**

9. The blood transfusion should be set at 50 mL/hr for the first **15 minutes**.

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10. After the initial volume is infused and no signs of adverse reactions are apparent, at what rate should the nurse set the blood when administering red blood cells?

125ml/hour