

**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. Submit to Mrs. Helsel's Dropbox by **0830 on Wednesday 2/7/24**.

1. List least two topics that a care provider is responsible for understanding in regard to a blood transfusion procedure.
  - [Explanation of transfusion](#)
  - [Options of alternatives to transfusion](#)
  - [Ordering/requesting blood/blood product](#)
  - [Transfusion process](#)
  - [Collect of pre transfusion sample](#)
  - [Outcome](#)
  - [Management of adverse events](#)
  
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](#) 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.

(\*\*\*) **NOTE**): BB Technologist compares information on the blood product transport request form with that on the patient product crossmatch or component label and sends the product to the designated patient care location tube station.
  
6. What specific tubing is needed when administering blood products?  
[Y tube blood solution pump set with 170 to 260 micron filter](#)
  
7. The most fatal transfusion events occur because oversights are made during the [pre-transfusion positive identification verification checks](#).

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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.
  
9. The blood transfusion should be set at 50 mL/hr for **the first 15 mins for adverse reactions**
  
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?

**125 mL/hour or as rapidly as tolerated by the patient for Red Blood Cells**