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Haematological Disease

Applies to the Living Tissue Donor, Deceased Tissue Donor, Cord Blood Donor and Bone Marrow and PBSC Donor Selection Guidelines

Please modify the entry as follows:

Obligatory

Must not donate if:

- a) Malignant.
- b) Clonal disorder such as primary polycythaemia (rubra vera), essential thrombocythaemia or monoclonal gammopathy of unknown significance (MGUS).

Discretionary

If polycythaemia or thrombocytosis is secondary to a non-malignant/clonal condition, accept.

See if Relevant

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Additional Information

Clonal disorders result from the proliferation of a single cell. Because they have the potential to become malignant they are treated in the same way as malignancy.

Reason for Change

Monoclonal gammopathy of unknown significance (MGUS) has been added as an example of a clonal disorder.

'Additional Information' has been added.



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