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# Clopidogrel

### This change applies to the Whole Blood and Components Donor Selection Guidelines

This is a new entry.

*Obligatory*

**Must not donate**

*Additional Information*

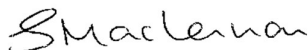
Clopidogrel is an antiplatelet drug which is used in the treatment and secondary prevention of cardiovascular disease and stroke. Occasionally Clopidogrel is used for primary prevention in patients who are intolerant of or hypersensitive to aspirin. The risk of bruising after blood donation while on Clopidogrel is not known, so any donor on this medication should be deferred, even if they are otherwise eligible.

*Reason for Change*

This is a new entry.

Please also make the following A-Z Index changes:

Add entry:  
Clopidogrel – direct to this entry



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