

RCI Assist



Blood and Transplant

What is RCI Assist?

As part of the integrated transfusion services strategic plan for Transfusion 2024, a referral support tool, RCI Assist, has been developed.

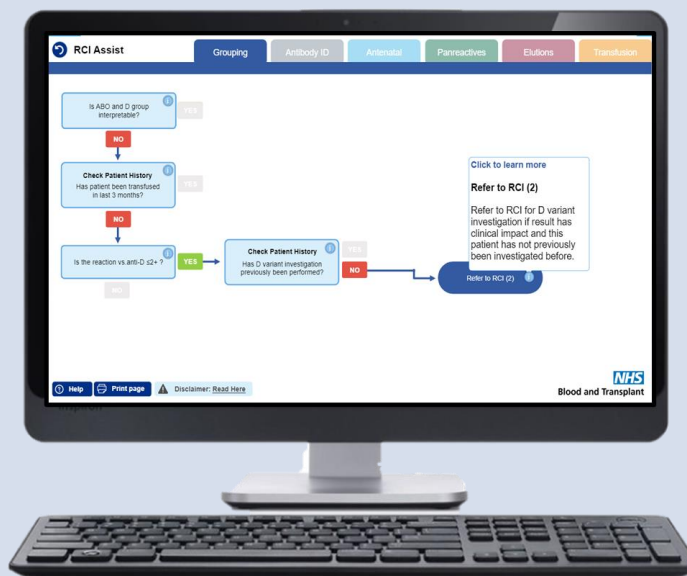
RCI Assist guides users when processing samples in the Hospital Transfusion Laboratory (HTL). RCI Assist contains decision points to either refer cases to Red Cell Immunohaematology (RCI) or resolve in-house and is supported with pop up information to improve HTL staff confidence.

Pathways include:

- Grouping
- Antibody Identification
- Antenatal
- Panreactives
- Elution
- Transfusion



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How it works:



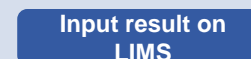
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Reach a decision point and either refer to RCI or result in-house

Accessing RCI Assist:



RCI Assist is available as a link in Sp-ICE

RCI Assist will be available in OBOS from June 2025



For further information on RCI Assist, please visit the [NBTC website](#) or email transfusion2024@nhsbt.nhs.uk