

PATIENT BLOOD MANAGEMENT

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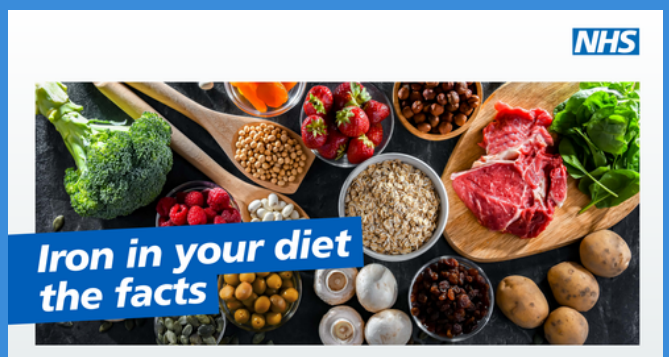
CELEBRATING EXCELLENCE IN TRANSFUSION PRACTICE



Anwen Davies represented the South East Transfusion Practitioner Group (SETPG) at the SHOT Symposium with their winning poster, "Slow and Steady Wins the rACE." The poster showcased eight years of work improving compliance with NICE QS138, ultimately enhancing patient care. Benchmarking transfusion metrics—central to this work—is a fully accepted recommendation of the Infected Blood Inquiry.

FIT TO DONATE - NOW LIVE IN DONOR CENTRES

The Fit to Donate: Haemoglobin and Iron Tips video is now being made available across all donor centres. To support this initiative, collection teams have received printable slides featuring key messages from the video.

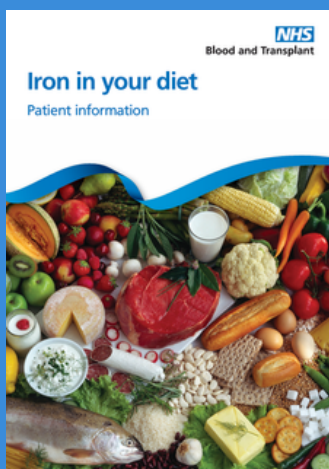


These can be laminated and placed at rest tables, alongside a QR code linking directly to the video—perfect for donors who prefer to browse on their phones during their rest period.

This engaging resource aims to raise awareness and support donors in maintaining healthy iron levels.

[Top tips for making sure your blood has enough iron - YouTube](#)

PATIENT INFORMATION LEAFLET REVIEW



The Iron in Your Diet patient information leaflet is now under review and will soon become a shared resource across the UK and Northern Ireland. The PBM team welcomes feedback on its content, structure, and format.

If you have suggestions or ideas to enhance this leaflet, please email: pbm.team@nhsbt.net.uk

PBM POP-UP SUCCESS

Frances Sear recently visited Addenbrooke's Hospital in Cambridge, where the Transfusion Practitioner team, joined by Dora Foukaneli, showcased an engaging PBM and transfusion safety display.



The event encouraged meaningful conversations, raised awareness, and highlighted the team's commitment to improving patient outcomes through education and support.

ELEARNING PLATFORM TRANSITION

All content currently hosted on the eLearning for Health (eLfh) platform will be migrating to the Learning Zone in October 2025. As a result, the eLfh platform will be discontinued, and access to Blood Transfusion Training and other NHS Blood and Transplant modules may be temporarily disrupted.

To avoid losing progress or certification records, please ensure you complete any ongoing modules and download your certificates and data before the end of September.

Further updates will be shared soon—stay tuned!

