

# Maximum Surgical Blood Ordering Schedule – Univeristy Hospital Monklands (UHM)

These are agreed local tariffs. In the event that the patient has a coagulopathy, please discuss requirements with Consultant Haematologist. These local tariffs are 'flexible' and discussion with the transfusion laboratory is encouraged should requirements vary for an individual patient.

GENERAL SURGERY	Units
<b>Splenectomy</b>	
Traumatic	4
Non-traumatic	G&S
All other general surgical procedures (including Hiatus Hernia; Laparotomy (planned); Gastrostomy/Ileostomy/ Colostomy; Cholecystectomy & common bile duct exploration; Liver biopsy; Bowel Obstruction; small/large bowel Fistula repair; Fistula Creation <b>All laparoscopic procedures excluding appendicectomy</b> )	G&S
Simple procedures (including Anal procedures; Open hernia repairs; Haemorrhoidectomy)	Nil
COLORECTAL SURGERY	Units
All Colorectal Surgery (including Rectopexy; Panproctocolectomy; Colon Resection; Abdominal perineal resection; Rectum – pouch; resection / excision etc.)	G&S
OMF (Oral & Maxillo-Facial)	Units
All <b>MAJOR Oral</b> Surgery procedures (including Major Flaps and Facial Reconstruction)	G&S

UROLOGY	Units
Open Total Nephrectomy	4
Open Partial Nephrectomy & Cystectomy (including Laparoscopic)	2
Laparoscopic Nephrectomy (Partial & Total)	G&S
Radical and Laparoscopic Prostatectomy	
Laparoscopic Cystolithotomy Open Prostatectomy	
Other urology procedures: (including Transurethral Bladder Tumour/Prostate resection, Bladder Neck Incision, Percutaneous Nephrolithotomy , Colposuspension Diverticulectomy, Fistula Repair, Cystolithotomy, Pyeloplast, Pyelolithotomy, Ureterolithotomy, Ureterolysis)	G&S
Cystoscopy Type Procedures, Ureteric stents and Genito-scrotal Surgery	Nil
ENT (Ear, Nose & Throat)	Units
All <b>MAJOR ENT</b> procedures (including Parathyroidectomy; Thyroidectomy; Neck Dissection, Laryngectomy, Pharyngectomy, Exploration of Neck etc)	G&S
Intermediate and Minor ENT procedures (including Tonsillectomy, Adenoidectomy, Grommets, Mastoidectomy, Dacryocystorhinostomy, Sinus surgery, Subglottic stenosis, Panendoscopy)	Nil

**Known Bleeding Disorder**  
If the patient has a known bleeding disorder (e.g. Haemophilia) and surgery is listed as "Nil", patient requires a **G&S**.

**Notes:**

- Further discussions with consultant surgeon and lab will be required if:
  - Patient is anaemic
  - Clinical situation is unfavourable
  - Procedure is not listed
- If a patient has antibodies, compatible blood will be matched or on standby
- A current **Group & Save (G&S)** sample can be converted to a Cross-match, **within 30 mins (new form required)**
- Group specific blood is available **within 10-15 mins**
- FFP (fresh frozen plasma) is thawed **within 30 mins** (valid transfusion sample is required for blood group). Please ensure a baseline coagulation sample is sent
- *Platelet stocks are extremely limited and may take 1 hr for delivery from Glasgow or Edinburgh*