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Re: Your request made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

I'd be grateful if you could provide me with details of which hospital(s) within your trust area:

1. Have medical staff/surgical team trained to carry out bloodless surgery.

This is something that we are not aware of. Surgeons aim for minimal blood loss during all surgery

2. Have autologous blood transfusion and patient's own cell salvage equipment available.

DRI (Doncaster Royal Infirmary) only - Bassetlaw do not have their own cell saver although for elective cases I do believe they can arrange with DRI about transferring across.

3. Keep stocks of synthetic blood transfusion substitutes.

It is only DRI that stocks the recombinant clotting factors. If a patient presented at Bassetlaw we could send across but it is more likely the patient would be transferred to DRI. Beriplex is available at both DRI and Bassetlaw.