



## 2025 Experience in Blood Banking 101

August 19, 2025, 1-4:30 pm

3.0 Contact Hours

### Welcome

Chelsea Tibbetts, Executive Director, Regional Operations



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**Overview of Blood Components**, Johnny Ye, MD, PhD, Transfusion Service Section Director, The University of Kansas Health System; Medical Director, NYBCe at CBC

#### Objectives

1. Describe the transfusion indications and triggers of different blood components.
2. Discuss the indications of blood component modifications.
3. Explain the pros and cons of pathogen reduced platelets.

#### Level of Instruction

Basic



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**Visual Inspection of Blood Components**, Ashley Cunningham, Manager, Component Lab/Product Control and Labeling, NYBCe at CBC

#### Objectives

1. List at least three common visual anomalies in blood products.
2. Describe the visual appearance of bacterial contamination in platelets.
3. Determine acceptability of blood products upon visual inspection.

#### Level of Instruction

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**Introduction to Immunohematology**, Megan Dupont, MLS(ASCP)<sup>CM</sup>SBB<sup>CM</sup>, IRL Lead Technologist, NYBCe at CBC

#### Objectives

1. Compare and contrast common reagents and testing methodologies for pretransfusion testing.
2. Describe common tests performed in the blood bank.
3. Explain the process of antibody identification.

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### Critical Mission of CBC

Dawn Eblen, Business Development Manager, Blood Operations

### Break



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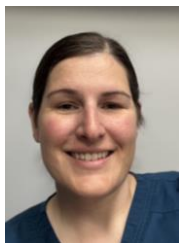
**Common Blood Groups**, Abby Logan, MLS(ASCP)<sup>CM</sup>, Immunohematologist II, NYBCe at CBC

#### Objectives

1. Define characteristics of common blood group antigens and corresponding antibodies.
2. Determine the clinical significance of antibodies to common blood group antigens.
3. Select appropriate units for transfusion when antibodies to common blood group antigens are identified.

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**Apply What You've Learned: Antibody Cases**, Gina Folk, MSHS, MLS(ASCP)<sup>CM</sup>MSBB<sup>CM</sup>, IRL Technical Supervisor, NYBCe at CBC

#### Objectives

1. Discuss strategies involved in antibody identification.
2. Interpret results of antibody testing.
3. Choose appropriate units for transfusion in case scenarios.

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### Optional Tour of Community Blood Center

#### P.A.C.E. CE credit:

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