

Guidelines for the Blood Transfusion Services

Appendix I - Serious Adverse Events of Donation – UK Blood Services Definitions

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SAED categories	
01	Death within seven days of donation
02	Hospital admission within 24 hours of donation
03	Injury resulting in a fracture within 24 hours of donation (including fractured teeth)
04	Road traffic collision within 24 hours of donations
05a	Problems relating to needle insertion persisting for more than one year (this mainly includes suspected or confirmed nerve and tendon injuries)
05b	Problems relating to needle insertion requiring hospitalisation/intervention (this mainly includes vascular complications)
06	Acute coronary syndrome diagnosed within 24 hours of donation
07	Anaphylaxis (component donation)
08	Haemolysis (component donation)
09	Air embolism (component donation)
10	Other event related to donation resulting in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hospital admission, • Intervention, or • Disability or incapacity lasting more than one year and not included above