

**UK NEQAS Blood Transfusion Laboratory Practice
EXERCISE PROGRAMME
APRIL 2023 TO MARCH 2024
Pre-Transfusion Testing (PTT)
Italian Exercises**

Exercise type	Exercise Code	Date of Dispatch	Closing date	Latest report date
Antibody screen/identification	23E4	17/04/2023	27/04/2023	09/05/2023
ABO/D grouping, antibody screen/identification, crossmatch and red cell RhK typing	23R5P*	22/05/2023	05/06/2023	16/06/2023
Antibody screen/identification	23E6	19/06/2023	29/06/2023	07/07/2023
Antibody screen/identification	23E7**	17/07/2023	27/07/2023	04/08/2023
ABO/D grouping, antibody screen/identification, crossmatch and red cell RhK typing	23R8P*	18/09/2023	02/10/2023	13/10/2023
Antibody screen/identification	23E9**	23/10/2023	02/11/2023	10/11/2023
ABO/D grouping, antibody screen/identification, crossmatch and red cell RhK typing	23R10P*	20/11/2023	04/12/2023	15/12/2023
Antibody screen/identification	24E1**	22/01/2024	01/02/2024	09/02/2024
ABO/D grouping, antibody screen/identification, crossmatch and red cell RhK typing	24R2P*	19/02/2024	04/03/2024	15/03/2024
Antibody screen/identification	24E3**	18/03/2024	28/03/2024	09/04/2024

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Feto-maternal Haemorrhage (FMH)

Exercise Code	Date of Dispatch	Closing date	Latest report date
2303F	16/05/2023	23/05/2023	05/06/2023
2304F	04/07/2023	11/07/2023	21/07/2023
2305F	12/09/2023	19/09/2023	29/09/2023
2306F	07/11/2023	14/11/2023	24/11/2023
2401F	16/01/2024	23/01/2024	02/02/2024
2402F	12/03/2024	19/03/2024	02/04/2024

ABO Titration (ABOT)

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23ABOT2	24/04/2023	09/05/2023	22/05/2023
23ABOT3	10/07/2023	24/07/2023	04/08/2023
23ABOT4	16/10/2023	30/10/2023	10/11/2023
24ABOT1	15/01/2024	29/01/2024	09/02/2024

Direct Antiglobulin Testing (DAT)

Exercise Code	Date of Dispatch	Closing date	Latest report date
23DAT2N	22/05/2023	30/05/2023	24/06/2023
23DAT3N	18/09/2023	25/09/2023	20/10/2023
23DAT4N	20/11/2023	27/11/2023	29/12/2023
24DAT1N	19/02/2024	26/02/2024	22/03/2024

DAT samples will be distributed together with the R exercises, but constitute a separate exercise with a different closing date.

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Red Cell Genotyping (RCG) **pilot**

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23RCG2	26/06/2023	17/07/2023	26/08/2023
23RCG3	11/09/2023	02/10/2023	06/11/2023
23RCG4	13/11/2023	04/12/2023	11/01/2024
24RCG1	11/03/2024	01/04/2024	11/05/2024

Point of Care Testing (POCT)

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D typing	23RCG2	26/06/2023	17/07/2023	26/08/2023
	23RCG3	11/09/2023	02/10/2023	06/11/2023
	23RCG4	13/11/2023	04/12/2023	11/01/2024
	24RCG1	11/03/2024	01/04/2024	11/05/2024

PTT 4 exercise schedule

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ABO/D grouping, antibody screen/identification, crossmatch and red cell RhK typing	23R5*	22/05/2023	05/06/2023	16/06/2023
	23R8*	18/09/2023	02/10/2023	13/10/2023
	23R10*	20/11/2023	04/12/2023	15/12/2023
	24R2*	19/02/2024	04/03/2024	15/03/2024

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Extended Red cell Phenotyping (ERP)

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23ERP2	26/06/2023	10/07/2023	04/08/2023
23ERP3	11/09/2023	25/09/2023	20/10/2023
23ERP4	13/11/2023	27/11/2023	22/12/2023
24ERP1	11/03/2024	25/03/2024	23/04/2024

ANTenatal antibody Titration (ANT) pilot

Exercise Code	Date of Dispatch	Closing date	Latest report date
23ANT3	17/07/2023	27/07/2023	23/10/2023
23ANT4	23/10/2023	02/11/2023	22/01/2024
24ANT1	22/01/2024	01/02/2024	18/03/2024
24ANT2	18/03/2024	28/03/2024	15/07/2024

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