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1. General Information				
Name of CBB	Florence Cord Blood Bank			
CBB Director	Riccardo			
CBB Director	Saccardi			
Address	Largo Brambilla, 3			
Address	50134			
Address	Florence			
Phone Number	+39-0557947672			
Website	www.cbbtoscana.it / www.aou-careggi.toscana.it/internet/index.php? option=com_content&view=article&id=477&Itemid=951⟨=it			
Date CBB Started Collecting Cord Blood Units (month/day/year)	06/22/1994			
Number of Public Cord Blood Units	2,148			
Planned Number of Public Cord Blood Units Stored in 2015	120			
Lists on BMDW	Yes			
Affiliated with National Stem Cell Donor Registry	Yes			
Registry Affiliation	IBMDR			
2. Cord Blood Units in Inventory				
Current Processing Method	Liquid+ red auto			
Current Processing Method	Vapour+ red auto			
Previous Processing Method	Liquid+ red manual			
Previous Processing Method	Vapour+ red manual			
Previous Processing Method	Liquid+ plasma only			
Previous Processing Method	Vapour+ plasma only			
Year Current Process Method Started	2008			
Percent of Units Plasma and RBC Reduced (manual)	24			
Percent of Units Plasma and RBC Reduced (automated)	74			
Percent of Units No Volume Reduction	2			
3. Accreditations, Licenses and Certifications				
FACT-Netcord	No			
AABB	No			
Competent Authority/ National Health Authority	Yes			
Name of Competent Authority	CNT/CNS			
Audited by National Stem Cell Registry	Yes			

ISO	Yes		
Other	IND Qualification, FDA listed		
4. Cord Blood Collection			
Current Collection Practice Is the collection In/Ex -Utero or both?	Both		
Current Antiseptic	Chlorhexidine		
Current Antiseptic	Betadine		
Collection Bag	Double needle		
Agitation during Collection	Manual		
5. Conditioning/Transport from Collection Site to CBB			
Secondary Bag Used	Yes		
Transport Conditions	Qualified transporter		
Transport Conditions	Insulating transport container		
Transport Conditions	Passive refrigeration system		
Transport Conditions	Electronic temperature probe		
Transport Conditions	Ground transport		
Temp. for Storage and Transport	Other (lower limit +1-35°C, higher limit +6-30°C)		
6. Pre-Processing Evaluation			
Completed Prior to Accepting a CBU	Medical history, collection report, informed consent		
Current Threshold for Accepting a CBU	Viability threshold CD45		
Method for CD34 Remuneration	ISHAGE guidelines		
External Proficiency Testing for QC of FACS Lab	UKNEQAS		
Post Processing/ Pre Freeze CD34+ Cell Count	Yes		
Time from Collection to Processing	up to 48H		
7. Processing and Packaging			
Pre Freeze Processing Methods- Unit in Inventory	SEPAX		
Pre Freeze Processing Methods- Unit in Inventory	Other: Volume reduction without HES		
Pre Freeze Processing Methods- Current	SEPAX		
Additives Currently in Use	HES		
Current Cryopreservation Method	Conventional CRF		
Current Cryoprotectant Additive	Ready for use DMSO-Dextran		
Current Cryobag	Single bag 80:20		
Current Target Cryopreservation Volume (mL)	26.0		
Current Packaging for Storage	Overwrap		
Current Packaging for Storage	Canister		
Current Packaging for Storage	More than one segment		
8. Testing			
PCR Performed on IgM+ Result	CMV		
PCR Performed on IgM+ Result	Toxoplasmosis		
PCR Performed on IgM+ Result	EBV		

Extra Material Currently Stored	Cord blood DNA			
Extra Material Currently Stored	Cord blood material for DNA extraction			
Extra Material Currently Stored	Plasma/cord blood			
Extra Material Currently Stored	Maternal material for DNA extraction			
Extra Material Currently Stored	Maternal plasma/serum			
Current Post Processing Threshold for Accepting a CBU for Public Use TNC	120			
Current Post Processing Threshold for Accepting a CBU for Public Use CD34 (10^6) Single Platform	NA			
Current Post Processing Threshold for Accepting a CBU for Public Use CD34 (10^6) Double Platform	NA			
Current Post Processing Threshold for Accepting a CBU for Public Use CFU-GM	NA			
Current Post Processing Threshold for Accepting a CBU for Public Use CFU	presence of growth			
Current Post Processing Threshold for Accepting a CBU for Public Use Viability	90			
9. Storage				
Type of Storage Container Used	Conventional storage tank vapor phase			
Type of Storage Container Used	Conventional tank liquid phase			
Monitoring of Storage	Centralized alarm system local			
Monitoring of Storage	Centralized system remote monitoring			
Monitoring of Storage	LN2 level			
Monitoring of Storage	Temperature monitoring			
10. HLA Typing				
Current Level of HLA Typing at Time of Listing	HR			
Current Level of HLA Typing at Time of Listing HLA-B	HR			
Current Level of HLA Typing at Time of Listing HLA-C	HR			
Current Level of HLA Typing at Time of Listing HLA-DRB1	HR			
Current Level of HLA Typing at Time of Listing HLA-DQB1	LR			
Current Level of HLA Typing at Time of Listing HLA-DPB1	LR			
Accreditation of HLA Lab	EFI accredited lab			
Average Turnaround Time for Extended HLA Typing Results in days	8			
Attached Segment Used for Confirmatory/ Verification Typing	Yes			
Units Listed without Attached Segment and have not been Previously Typed on Attached Segment	Yes			
Percentage of CBUs that have an Attached Segment	below 50%			

Confirmatory/ Verification Typing on an Attached Segment is Pre-Release Requirement	Yes
11. Reservation and Cancellation Policies	
What Point is a CBU Reserved for a Patient	Reservation request
Length of Time a CBU can be Reserved in days	60
Reservation Fee	No
Reservation Cancellation Fee in Absence of Shipment Request	No
Can Reservation be Extended	Yes
Is a Unit Report Provided on a Unit that is Reserved for Another Patient	No
Is TC Informed when CBU is Released	Yes
12. Release and Shipment	
Hemoglobinopathy Screening Performed Prior to Release	Yes
Criteria to Ship a CBU Viability and Cell Count	40
Criteria to Ship a CBU HLA Identity Testing	Yes
Current Packaging for Shipment to TC	Metal canister
Current Packaging for Shipment to TC	One attached segment
Time Between Shipment Request and Sending CBU	1-2 weeks
Fee for Shipment Cancellation	Yes
Dry Shippers Validated to Maintain Temperature of at least -150 for 48 hours Beyond Expected Arrival	Yes
Electronic Temperature Data Logger on All Dry Shippers	Yes
Who Selects Transport Company	CBB
Who Selects Transport Company	The transport company (currently World Courier) is selected by IBMDR; some Transplantation Centers select the transport company for DNA.
Shape of Transport Container	Mushroom
13. Adverse Events Reporting	
Who are S(P)EARS Reported To Competent Authority	Yes
Who are S(P)EARS Reported To Internal Report	Yes
Who are S(P)EARS Reported To National Registry	Yes
Who are S(P)EARS Reported To Transplant Center	Yes

14. Pictures of cord blood units in the inventory



15. Infectious Disease Marker (IDM) CURRENTLY performed.



Holiday Calendar