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Transport of bone marrow or hematopoietic stem cells to and from Austria

This transport contains lifesaving bone marrow or hematopoietic stem cells for a patient in urgent medical need in Austria or in a foreign country.

This document confirms that the import and the export of bone marrow or hematopoietic stem cells is to be considered as freight traffic.

The courier is exempted from showing a negative SARS-CoV-2 test result or a 10 day home quarantine if he/she delivers bone marrow or hematopoietic stem cells to Austria OR enters to Austria to pick up stem cells to export them to a foreign country.

The transport should be allowed to continue unhindered and without delay due to time constraints of the product.

If you have any questions regarding this transport, please the medical director of the Austrian Bone Marrow Donor Registry, Dr. Gottfried Fischer: 24h-emergency number: +43 1 515 61 378.

Thank you for your cooperation.

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