

**UK NEQAS Blood Transfusion Laboratory Practice
EXERCISE PROGRAMME
APRIL 2021 TO MARCH 2022
Pre-Transfusion Testing (PTT)**

Exercise type	Exercise Code	Date of Dispatch	Closing date	Latest report date
Antibody screen/identification	21E4	26/04/2021	06/05/2021	14/05/2021
ABO/D grouping, antibody screen/identification, crossmatch and RhK phenotyping	21R5*	24/05/2021	07/06/2021	18/06/2021
Antibody screen/identification	21E6	21/06/2021	01/07/2021	09/07/2021
Antibody screen/identification	21E7**	19/07/2021	29/07/2021	06/08/2021
ABO/D grouping, antibody screen/identification, crossmatch and RhK phenotyping	21R8*	20/09/2021	04/10/2021	15/10/2021
Antibody screen/identification	21E9**	18/10/2021	28/10/2021	05/11/2021
ABO/D grouping, antibody screen/identification, crossmatch and RhK phenotyping	22R10*	15/11/2021	29/11/2021	10/12/2021
Antibody screen/identification	22E1**	24/01/2022	03/02/2022	11/02/2022
ABO/D grouping, antibody screen/identification, crossmatch and RhK phenotyping	22R2*	21/02/2022	07/03/2022	18/03/2022
Antibody screen/identification	22E3**	21/03/2022	31/03/2022	08/04/2022

*DAT samples will be sent in the same package if also subscribed to that scheme, report dates extended by one day

**ANT samples will be sent in the same package if also subscribed to that scheme

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Feto-maternal Haemorrhage (FMH)

Exercise Code	Date of Dispatch	Closing date	Latest report date
2103F	18/05/2021	25/05/2021	02/06/2021*
2104F	06/07/2021	13/07/2021	20/07/2021
2105F	14/09/2021	21/09/2021	28/09/2021
2106F	02/11/2021	09/11/2021	16/11/2021
2201F	18/01/2022	25/01/2022	01/02/2022
2202F	15/03/2022	22/03/2022	29/03/2022

*Extended by one day due to the bank holiday

ABO Titration (ABOT)

Exercise Code	Date of Dispatch	Closing date	Latest report date
21ABOT2	19/04/2021	04/05/2021*	12/05/2021
21ABOT3	26/07/2021	09/08/2021	17/08/2021
21ABOT4	25/10/2021	08/11/2021	16/11/2021
22ABOT1	17/01/2022	31/01/2022	08/02/2022

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Direct Antiglobulin Testing (DAT)

Exercise Code	Date of Dispatch	Closing date	Latest report date
21DAT2U/N	24/05/2021	01/06/2021*	25/06/2021
21DAT3U/N	20/09/2021	27/09/2021	22/10/2021
21DAT4U/N	15/11/2021	22/11/2021	17/12/2021
22DAT1U/N	21/02/2022	28/02/2022	25/03/2022

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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)

Exercise Code	Date of Dispatch	Closing date	Latest report date
21RCG2	28/06/2021	19/07/2021	12/09/2021
21RCG3	13/09/2021	04/10/2021	21/11/2021
21RCG4	22/11/2021	13/12/2021	06/02/2022
22RCG1	28/03/2022	18/04/2022	11/06/2022

Point of Care Testing (POCT)

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D typing	21R5B	24/05/2021	07/06/2021	18/06/2021
	21R8B	20/09/2021	04/10/2021	15/10/2021
	21R10B	15/11/2021	29/11/2021	10/12/2021
	22R2B	21/02/2022	07/03/2022	18/03/2022

PTT 4 exercise schedule

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ABO/D grouping, antibody screen/identification, crossmatch and RhK phenotyping	21R5*	24/05/2021	07/06/2021	18/06/2021
	21R8*	20/09/2021	04/10/2021	15/10/2021
	22R10*	15/11/2021	29/11/2021	10/12/2021
	22R2*	21/02/2022	07/03/2022	18/03/2022

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Extended Red cell Phenotyping (ERP) pilot

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21ERP2	28/06/2021	12/07/2021	Pilot schemes report prior to dispatch of next exercise
21ERP3	13/09/2021	27/09/2021	
21ERP4	22/11/2021	06/12/2021	
22ERP1	28/03/2022	11/04/2022	

ANTenatal Antibody Titration (ANT) pilot

Exercise Code	Date of Dispatch	Closing date	Latest report date
21ANT3	19/07/2021	29/07/2021	Pilot schemes report prior to dispatch of next exercise
21ANT4	18/10/2021	28/10/2021	
22ANT1	24/01/2022	03/02/2022	
22ANT2	21/03/2022	31/03/2022	

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