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Computer Inventory Policy - Blood Bank

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I. PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVE:

This document will provide procedure and guidance for the inventory and validation of computer hardware located in the Blood Bank.

II. SCOPE:

The Blood Bank will maintain a Computer Inventory Binder with records of computer hardware, serial numbers, property identification numbers, validation records, hardware location in the Blood Bank.

III. POLICIES:

- A. Any equipment used to document patient data is considered a Medical Device and must be validated before being placed into use.
- B. Only employees with authorized access have the ability to log onto and use the Blood Bank computers. Employees that have received adequate training and have been granted proper security clearance by the Information Technology (IT) department have the ability to access the laboratory and hospital informatics systems.
- C. Beaumont Health computers will automatically lock after a predetermined period of idle time. Additionally, Beaumont Health employees are required to update their login passwords on a regular basis. This helps to prevent unauthorized access to computers and electronic records, and minimizes the risk of data breaches.
- D. Blood Bank computers are maintained by the IT department. All computer software or hardware problems (including barcode scanners) should be reported to IT.
- E. When faulty hardware is detected, it must be removed from the inventory until it can be

replaced or repaired. When computer hardware is defective or in need of service, received, replaced, removed from service, etc. the *Computer System Hardware Inventory Log* must be updated.

- F. The blood bank staff must notify Supervisor or Lead Medical Technologist each time the IT department does software updates or replacement of hardware on a blood bank computer to assure proper computer validation in an expedient manner.
- G. The Blood Bank will perform periodic audits, to assess whether the hardware is in the correct location and to verify that the hardware has been validated, as specified in the Computer Inventory Binder.

IV. EQUIPMENT:

- A. Printers
- B. Barcode scanners
- C. Computers
- D. Keyboards
- E. Mouse

V. PROCEDURE:

A. Receipt of new equipment:

1. Prepare a Computer System Hardware Inventory Log for each hardware component indicating the device's location, manufacturer, model number, serial number, BH asset tag number (if assigned), item description and date installed.
2. Perform qualification checks for printers, barcode scanners and keyboards. Record Validation of hardware on the applicable validation script.
3. Record the date the hardware was added to system, your initials, and the workstation number to which the device has been on *Computer System Hardware Inventory Log*.
4. If a new device replaces a previous device with a BH asset number, indicate the change on the *Computer System Hardware Inventory Log*.

B. Transfer of equipment to new location:

1. Obtain the corresponding *Computer System Hardware Inventory Log* for the device being relocated. See the Attachments Section of this procedure for a listing.
2. Record the date, your initials and the workstation to which the device is being reassigned and indicate that it is in service. It is not necessary to re-qualify the device.
3. Replace its *Computer System Hardware Inventory Log* in the Computer Inventory Log binder.
4. Put the old log in the Archive Section in the Computer Inventory Log binder.

C. Removal of faulty or archaic equipment:

1. Obtain the corresponding *Computer System Hardware Inventory Log* for the device which is to be removed from service. See the Attachment Section of this procedure for a description.
2. If the device is faulty and needs repair service, indicate on the log what problems are being experienced with the device.
3. Physically remove the device from service and leave the *Computer System Hardware Inventory Log* for the System Manager to review.
4. If the equipment is replaced, indicate the replacement on its *Computer System Hardware Inventory Log* and file it in the Computer Inventory Log binder under the Out of Service section.

VI. REFERENCES:

1. AABB Technical Manual, current edition.
2. AABB *Standards for Blood Banks and Transfusion Services*, current edition.
3. College of American Pathologists, *Transfusion Medicine Checklist*, current edition.
4. Symbol® LS 4208 Product Reference Guide.
5. Zebra® DS 3408 Product Reference Guide.

Attachments

[Computer Inventory Policy SOFTBank Keyboard Validation Script](#)

[Computer Inventory Policy Barcode Printer Validation Script](#)

[Computer Inventory Policy Computer Hardware Inventory Log](#)

[Computer Inventory Policy SOFTBank Barcode Programming Guide](#)

[Computer Inventory Policy SOFTBank Barcode Scanner Validation Script](#)

[Computer Inventory Policy SOFTBank Transfusion Tag Validation Script](#)

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Keyboard Qualification Script		
Keyboard Serial Number:		
Tested by:		Date:
Results Reviewed by:		Date:
Results Approved by:		Date:
<input type="checkbox"/> Accepted	<input type="checkbox"/> Rejected	By:

Keyboard Qualification

When a new keyboard is installed or moved to a new location, the accuracy of the keystroke entries must be verified.

OBJECTIVE

1. Prepare hardware inventory documentation.
2. Perform Installation Qualification (IQ) of keyboard.
3. Perform Operational Qualification (OQ) of keyboard.
4. Perform Application Qualification (AQ) of keyboard.

SETUP

1. Computer System Hardware Inventory Log
2. Blood Bank Computer.

SECURITY LEVEL

1. Security equivalent to Technologist (MT).

PROCEDURE

Installation Qualification

1. Record keyboard information on the Computer System Hardware Inventory Log.
2. Record keyboard serial number in the space provided at the top of this script.
3. With the computer powered off, connect the keyboard.
4. Turn the computer on.

VERIFY 1 - The computer recognizes the keyboard is present (no keyboard error message).	Accepted: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Initials:
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Operational Qualification

1. Press the Caps Lock and Num Lock keys on and then off.

VERIFY 2 - Caps Lock and Num Lock lights turn on and off as lock keys are pressed.	Accepted: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Initials:
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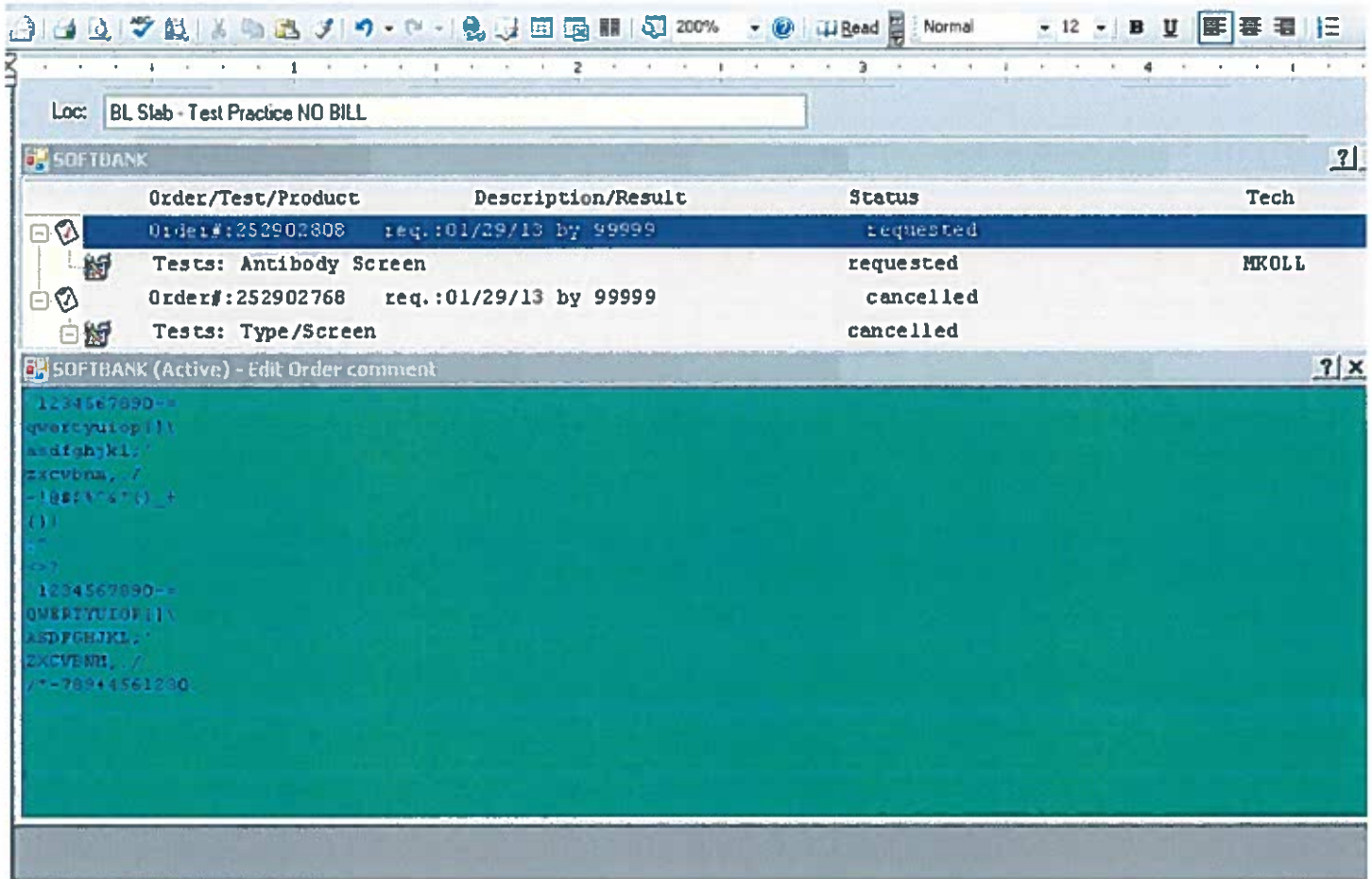
2. Log into the computer at the Ctrl-Alt-Delete screen.

VERIFY 3 - The computer permits access when valid username and password are entered.	Accepted: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Initials:
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Application Qualification

1. Log in to SoftBank TEST2
2. Enter the MRN of Test Patient
3. Order Type and Screen on TEST patient
4. In Patient/Order/Modify, add order comments (F8)
5. With Caps Lock off, starting with top left corner of keyboard and working to the right to the end of the same row, depress each of the character, number and letter keys.
6. Press enter to start a new line.
7. Repeat step 10 for the second row of keys. Press enter to start a new line.
8. Repeat step 10 for the third row. Press enter to start a new line.
9. Repeat step 10 for the bottom row. Press enter to start a new line.
10. Depress and hold the Shift key down, repeat step 10 for the first row. Press enter to start a new line.
11. Depress and hold the Shift key down while depressing each of the last 3 keys in the second row. Press enter to start a new line.
12. Depress and hold the Shift key down while depressing the semi-colon key and the apostrophe key in the third row. Press enter to start a new line.
13. Depress and hold the Shift key down while depressing the comma, period, and question mark keys. Press enter to start a new line.
14. Put the Caps Lock on and repeat steps 10-14.
15. Press ENTER to start a new line.
16. Put the Num Lock on and depress each key on the numeric key pad.
17. Visually inspect the display for accuracy. The completed validation should look like the example on the following page.

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VERIFY 4 - Each key accurately transmits the correct character both in lower and upper case.	Accepted: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Initials:
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- 23. Print Screen the order comment document and attach to its Computer System Hardware Inventory Log.
- 24. Erase the comment and click F12-Accept to cancel the comment.

If keyboard is functioning	Then	Notes
Accurately	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Put a checkmark in the Qualification test completed box on the Computer System Hardware Inventory Log and date the form. Sign and date the "tested by" field at the top of the script. Give all paperwork to the Lead or supervisor for review. 	
NOT accurately	Notify the Lead or the supervisor	Keyboard may need to be replaced

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Keyboard Qualification Script		
Keyboard Serial Number:		
Tested by:		Date:
Results Reviewed by:		Date:
Results Approved by:		Date:
<input type="checkbox"/> Accepted	<input type="checkbox"/> Rejected	By:

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2. Blood Bank Computer.

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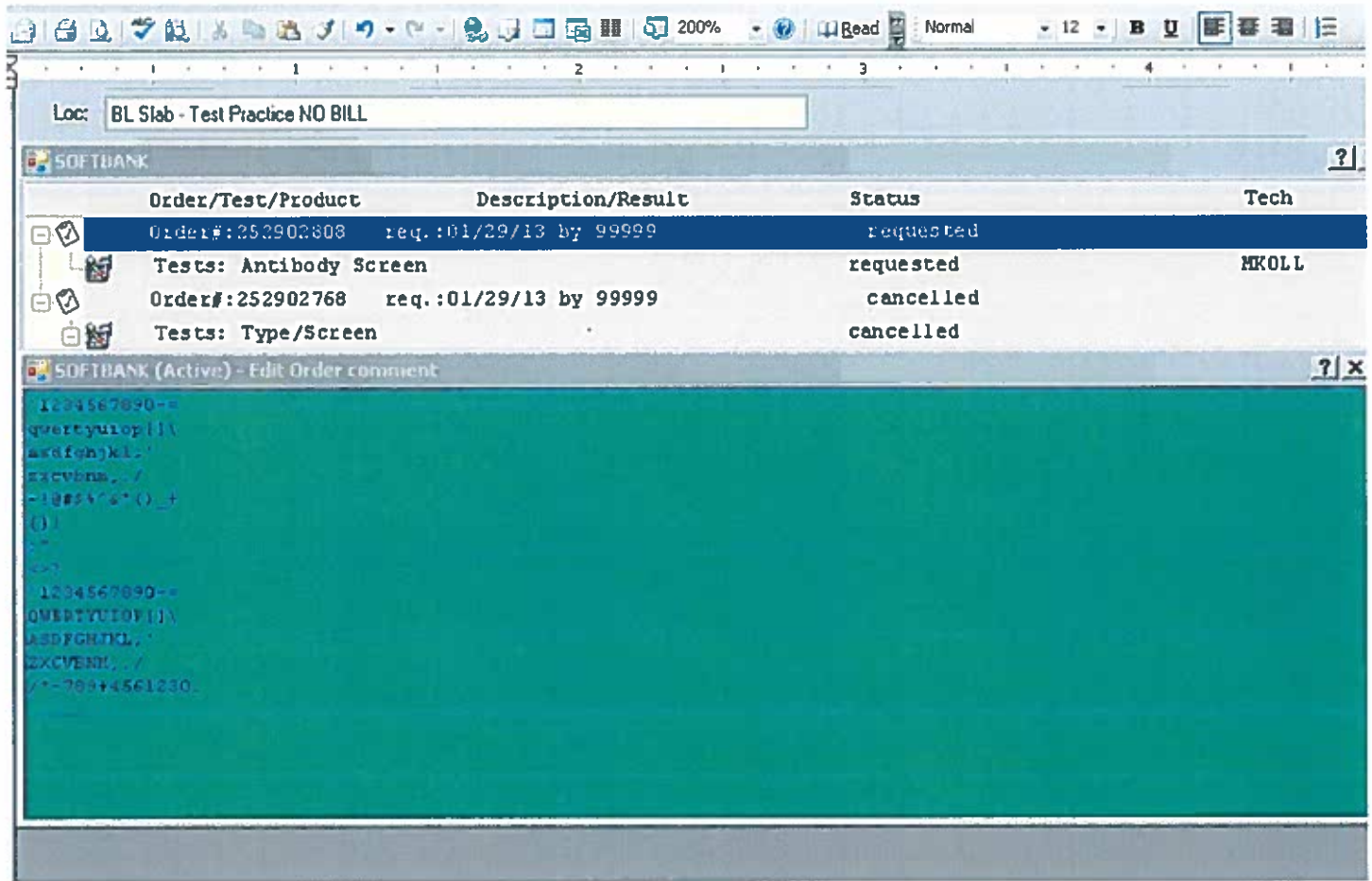
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- 24. Erase the comment and click F12-Accept to cancel the comment.

If keyboard is functioning	Then	Notes
Accurately	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Put a checkmark in the Qualification test completed box on the Computer System Hardware Inventory Log and date the form. 2. Sign and date the "tested by " field at the top of the script. 3. Give all paperwork to the Lead or supervisor for review. 	
NOT accurately	Notify the Lead or the supervisor	Keyboard may need to be replaced

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Barcode Printer Qualification	Software Release Version:
Reviewer's comments: Barcode printer models are qualified for use with the application by the vendor.	Printer S/N:
	Printer Name:
Tested by:	Date:
Results Reviewed by:	Date:
Results Approved by:	Date:
<input type="checkbox"/> Accepted <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected	By:

BARCODE PRINTERS

Barcode Printer Qualification

OBJECTIVE

1. Prepare hardware inventory documentation.
2. Perform Installation Qualification (IQ) of printer.
3. Perform Operational Qualification (OQ) of printer.
4. Perform Application Qualification (AQ) of printer.

SETUP

1. Computer System Hardware Inventory Log
2. Products for modifying (changing) and/or pooling.

SECURITY LEVEL

Security equivalent to technologist or higher including the ability to:

- a. Receive blood products
- b. Modify and thaw products.

Scenario Specific Data

1. Obtain a test patient with a current Type and Screen and an order for one plasma.
2. Receive 1 FFP (product codes must be in system) that are compatible for the test patient.

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PROCEDURE

Installation Qualification

1. Record printer information on Computer System Hardware Inventory Log.
2. Record printer's serial number in box at top of Script.
3. Set up and load printer with label stock according to type of label to be printed. (See User Guide for instructions.)
4. Turn printer on.
5. Verify printer settings. Adjust printer settings as needed to match the table below. (See User Guide for instructions.) Settings may be site specific

Darkness	Print Speed	Print Mode	Media Type	Sensor Type	Sensor Select	Print Method	Print Width
10.0 or >	2 IPS	Tear-Off	Non-Continuous	Web	Auto Select	Direct Thermal	105

VERIFY 1 - Printer settings match and/or have been adjusted to recommendations.	Accepted: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Initials:
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Operational Qualification

1. Perform printer Media Calibration for selected label stock according to User Guide.

VERIFY 2 - Printer recognizes label qualities and no error messages are displayed.	Accepted: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Initials:
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2. Print a Configuration label and a Network Configuration label.

VERIFY 3 - Configuration and Network Configuration labels print.	Accepted: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Initials:
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3. Initial and date labels and apply to reverse side of the Computer System Hardware Inventory Log.

Application Qualification –perform in test system

1. In Inventory, Edit -Change
2. Change one plasma to thawed and print to an ISBT label printer.
3. Label Verify the printed labels.
4. Go to Inventory-Edit-Label and reprint full face labels to printer and perform the label verification step.

VERIFY 4 - Labels print correctly and are visually accurate and legible.	Accepted: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Initials:
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VERIFY 5 - ABO/Rh, Product Code, and Expiration Date /Time scan correctly. Comment: Time will scan as 23:59.	Accepted: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Initials:
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If printers are functioning	Then	Notes
Accurately	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Put a checkmark in the Qualification test completed box on the Computer System Hardware Inventory Log and date the form. 2. Sign and date the "tested by" <u>field</u> at the top of the script. 3. Give all paperwork to the Lead or supervisor for review. 	
NOT accurately	Notify the Lead or the supervisor	

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- Computer
- Monitor
- Mouse
- Keyboard
- Barcode Reader
- Printer

- Qualification test completed
Tech/Date

Location: _____

Manufacturer: _____

Model number: _____

Serial number: _____

BH Asset number: _____

Date	Tech	Action	Workstation	Problem	Service #

- Action Key:
1. Placed in Service
 2. Removed from Service
 3. Moved to new location
 4. Replaced

SOFTBANK BARCODE SCANNER PROGRAMMING GUIDE

The scanner is attached directly to a USB port on the computer. No additional power supply is required.

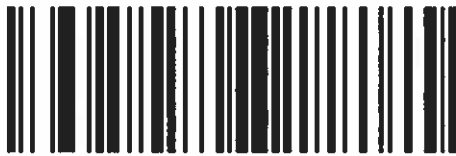
Scan the following barcode in the order listed below.

1.



***North American Standard USB Keyboard**

2.



Scan Suffix

3.



7

4.



0

5.



0

6.



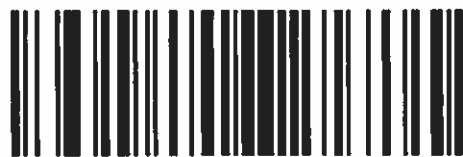
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7.



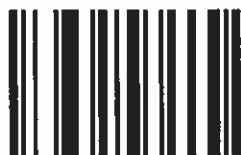
Scan Options

8.



<DATA> <SUFFIX>

9.



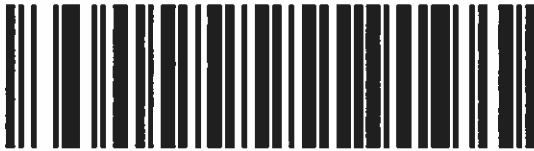
Enter

10.



**Override Caps Lock Key
(Enable)**

11.



Enable Codabar

12.



***Enable ISBT 128**

13.



Code 39 - Any Length

14.



***No Case Conversion**

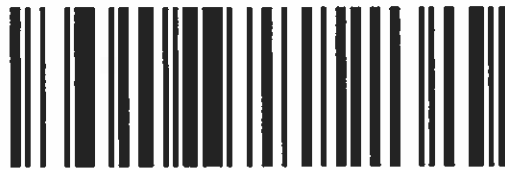
15. Scanner Beep Volume is defaulted to HIGH. If you want to adjust the volume, select one of the following options:



Low Volume



Medium Volume



***High Volume**

16. Perform Barcode Scanner Validation using SOFTBANK Barcode Scanner Validation Script.

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Transfusion Tag Printer Qualification		
Printer S/N:		
Printer Name:		
Tested by:		Date:
Results Reviewed by:		Date:
Results Approved by:		Date:
<input type="checkbox"/> Accepted	<input type="checkbox"/> Rejected	By:

Transfusion Tag Printer Qualification

OBJECTIVE

1. Prepare hardware inventory documentation.
2. Perform Installation Qualification (IQ) of printer.
3. Perform Operational Qualification (OQ) of printer.
4. Perform Application Qualification (AQ) of printer.

SETUP

1. Computer System Hardware Inventory Log,
2. Patient for Crossmatching
3. RBC and Tissue
4. Standard printer settings

SECURITY LEVEL

Security equivalent to technologist with ability to:

- a. perform type and screen and crossmatch
- b. receive blood products and tissues
- c. perform donor confirmatory types

Scenario Specific Data

1. Patient with current completed Type and Screen and orders for product(s) corresponding to the printer to be validated (RBC).
2. Compatible in-date RBC
3. Computer System Hardware Inventory Log

PROCEDURE

Installation Qualification

1. Record the printer information on the Computer System Hardware Inventory Log
2. Record printer's serial number in box at top of Script.
3. Set up and load printer with transfusion tag paper stock.
4. Plug the printer into power supply and network connection.
5. Turn the printer on.

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VERIFY 1 - Printer lights come on.	Accepted: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Initials:
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Operational Qualification

1. Enter the Menu mode for the printer.

VERIFY 2 - Printer goes into Menu mode.	Accepted: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Initials:
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2. Print the menu settings.

VERIFY 3 - Current menu settings are printed.	Accepted: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Initials:
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3. Date printer menu settings report and attach report to F-069.

VERIFY 4 - Current menu settings agree with printer standard.	Accepted: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Initials:
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Application Qualification

If validating RBC, FFP, PLT or CRYO printer:

1. In Soft, crossmatch (select) the RBC product to the test patient. Print transfusion slip to the Transfusion tag printer.

VERIFY 5 - Red Cell transfusion slip prints correctly and legibly, with all pertinent data.	Accepted: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> NA <input type="checkbox"/>	Initials:
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2. Repeat for other products:

VERIFY 6- FFP, PLT, and Cryo transfusion slips print correctly	Accepted: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Initials:
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If printers are functioning	Then	Notes
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