**Purpose**

To provide instructions for printing blood product labels in outside of the Blood Component Preparation Functions in Sunquest. BLC is used when a new label is required for a blood product because the current one is unacceptable after print, or has been defaced inadvertently.

**Procedure**

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| **Step** | **Actions** | **Related Documents** |
| **1** | * Open BLC function.
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| **2** | * Scan Unit number if available. Type only if scanning is not available.
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| **3** | * Scan Product Type (Do not let the field auto-fill)
* The system will open a window on the right which populates with all the unit information.
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| **4** | * Select ADD if you want to print a label for an additional product.
* If multiple copies of the same label are required, you must change the number of copies at the top of the screen.
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| **5** | * Select PRINT and labels requested will print.
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| **6.** | * BLC must be performed EVERY TIME A NEW LABEL IS APPLIED.
* Follow the BLC procedure for the product type being labeled.
 | * Blood Label Check (BLC) and Verification
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