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Standard Operating Procedure Manual (SOP) – Transfusion Medicine

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### Deviation From SOP

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Date: 02/18/2020 Affected SOPs: Form BBT-F016

Samples Involved: N/A

**Description:**

Change minimum platelet inventory at Methodist Hospital to 5.

Blood Bank team members working at Methodist should maintain 5-7 platelets on the shelf at all times. If the inventory is below 5, additional platelets should be ordered from Riley Blood Bank.

**Possible Effects:**

Increased platelet availability at Methodist Hospital, which transfuses an average of 8 platelets per day.

Decreased platelet availability at Riley. Inventory will need to be monitored at Riley and additional platelets ordered from suppliers as needed to maintain the minimum inventory necessary. Management will evaluate Standing Orders and make changes as necessary.

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