

To: Carter BloodCare Customers
From: Hospital Relations
Date: August 11, 2021
Re: COVID-19 Convalescent Plasma (CCP) Collection and Usage

Background

Due to the increased demand for COVID-19 convalescent plasma, Carter BloodCare intends to resume collection of CCP on August 19, 2021. Based on recent average usage and with limited import opportunities, Carter BloodCare expects demand to outpace availability within the next few days.

Client Action

- Back orders should be expected in the near future.
- Orders will be primarily filled for transfusion.
- Stock orders for CCP will be determined on a case-by-case basis.
- Notify stakeholders of the fee increase for CCP. At a minimum these components will carry a \$500 fee.