

RISK ALERT

TO: See Distribution List

FROM: Risk and Safety Team

REF: CAG

DATE: 3rd August 2016

SUBJECT: Trust Risk Management Alert – TRM/2016/006 – Fannin Blood Giving Sets

IMMEDIATE ACTION	✓
ACTION	
UPDATE	
INFORMATION REQUEST	

There has been an incident involving Fannin blood giving sets. It has been reported that a giving set has been observed leaking from the chamber whilst in use.

Please can all staff ensure that when using these giving sets that they are closely observed for any leaking. If any leaking is found, it is essential that the transfusion is stopped immediately, the medical staff advised and patient monitored.

Please also retain the giving set, inform the Transfusion Practitioner and complete an incident form “

Action Reported:

- 1 = Not Relevant to Division/Directorate/Business Group.
- 2 = Relevant and Action Plan being Drawn Up or Guidelines in place
- 3 = Relevant and Action Plan Completed.

If you have any queries regarding this Alert, please contact Chris Poole, Transfusion Practitioner.

Regards,

Risk & Safety Team

Your Health. Our Priority.