### Ordering High Titer Convalescent Plasma for an Immunocompromised Patient With Active COVID-19

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| High titer Convalescent Plasma (CP) has received Emergency Use Authorization (EUA) from the US FDA to treat immunocompromised (IC) patients. It can be administered in either the outpatient or inpatient setting. | Convalescent plasma from patients who were vaccinated and recovered from a breakthrough infection (ie, VaxPlasma or VaxCCP) is very high titer, polyclonal, and covers emerging COVID-19 variants that have escaped monoclonal antibodies. VaxPlasma is replacement therapy for immunosuppressed patients who have challenges making natural antibodies and/or responding to COVID-19 vaccines. | To order VaxPlasma for an IC patient: 1. Contact the local blood collector (eg, OneBlood, Vitalant) that serves your hospital. 2. Ask how to order blood products. If this is going to be an outpatient infusion, an outpatient infusion center will need to be identified. 3. If there is no VaxPlasma available at your locale, request they facilitate a search for it. 4. Use CMS billing: HCPCS code C9507 for administering in the outpatient setting. | Generally: Start with administration of 2 units of VaxPlasma from separate donors and, if possible, with concurrent administration of remdesivir. Monitor PCR cycle time results before and after treatment. If this is done, measure PCR cycle time 7 days after administration. If PRR cycle times are below 30 after 7-10 days, it is reasonable to transfuse and additional 1-2 units of VaxPlasma and repeat the PCR CT testing in 7 additional days. | Slide deck: Efficacy of VaxPlasma in the treatment of COVID-19, including its utility in IC patients. (https://bit.ly/3QwFfL3)  
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