

**Slovenia - More stringent blood donor testing requirements  
2015 Mapping exercise**

Colour key	
	Minimum requirements as set out in the 2004/33/EC Directive
	More stringent testing - legally binding on national level
	More stringent testing - recommended on national level
	Not legally binding and not recommended on national level

Test	Test/ technique	Legally binding	Recommendation on national level	Recommending authority/ service/ association	Type of blood donation (blood for transfusion or plasma for fractionation)	Circumstances for application/ donor profile	Regional differences	Further comments
<b>Basic testing</b>								
Blood group testing	ABO typing	YES	NO	N/A	both	all	NO	
	RhD typing	YES	NO	N/A	both	all	NO	
	Kell*, Rh*, Indirect Coombs Test; Other, please specify(**)	YES	NO	N/A	both	* Kell and Rh(C,c,E,e) at 1st and 2nd successive testing	NO	** testing of units of donated blood, blood components and donor's blood samples may be expanded to determine other Ag. Blood components may be labeled with results of other Ag testings.
HLA testing								
<b>Disease testing</b>								
<b>VIRAL</b>								
HIV 1 and HIV 2	Anti-HIV 1	YES	NO	N/A	both	all	NO	NAT not mandatory for autologous donations
	Anti-HIV 2	YES	NO	N/A	both	all		
	HIV 1p24	YES	NO	N/A	both	all		
	HIV NAT pool or ID							
	HIV NAT ID	YES	NO	N/A	both	all		
	Other technique Anti-HIV 0	YES	NO	N/A	both	all		
Hepatitis B	HBs Ag	YES	NO	N/A	both	all	NO	NAT not mandatory for autologous donations
	Anti-HBc							
	Anti - HBs							
	HBV NAT pool or ID							
	HBV NAT ID	YES	NO	N/A	both	all		
Hepatitis C	Anti-HCV	YES	NO	N/A	both	for all allogenic donations	NO	NAT not mandatory for autologous donations
	HCV NAT pool or ID							
	HCV NAT ID	YES	NO	N/A	both	all		
	Other technique							
Hepatitis E								
HTLV-1								
HTLV-2								
Ebola Virus								
Chikungunya virus								
Cytomegalovirus	CMV/ technique not specified						NO	
	Anti-CMV	NO	YES	Association for Transfusion Medicine of Slovenia and Hematology Association of Slovenia. <a href="http://vestnik.szd.si/index.php/ZdravVest/article/view/646/530">vestnik.szd.si/index.php/ZdravVest/article/view/646/530</a> ; Guidelines for prevention of CMV transmission by transfusion of blood components	whole blood/ blood components for transfusion	testing ID only on demand to issue CMV negative blood components		
	CMV NAT pool or ID							
	CMV NAT ID							
	Other technique							
West Nile Virus*								
Dengue Virus								
Epstein-Barr virus								
Human Parvovirus								
Herpes simplex								
Nonspecific viral infection								
Other pathogen, specify								Additional testing of units of donated blood, blood components and donor's blood samples may be performed due to user requirements or epidemiological situation.
<b>PARASITIC</b>								
Malaria								
Trypanosomiasis								
Babesiosis								
Leishmaniasis								
Toxoplasmosis								
Other pathogen, specify								Additional testing of units of donated blood, blood components and donor's blood samples may be performed due to user requirements or epidemiological situation.
<b>BACTERIAL</b>								
Treponema pallidum (Syphilis)	Technique not specified						NO	
	Microscopy Anti- <i>T. pallidum</i>	YES	NO	N/A	both	not for autologous donations		

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	<i>T. pallidum</i> NAT pool <i>T. pallidum</i> NAT ID Culture Other technique							
Neisseria								
Brucellosis								
Tuberculosis								
Q-fever								
Other pathogen, specify								Additional testing of units of donated blood, blood components and donor's blood samples may be performed due to user requirements or epidemiological situation.
<b>FUNGI</b>								
specify pathogen								

\* For West Nile Virus NAT ID, see 2004/33/EC as amended by 2014/110/EU with a deadline for transposition into national law of December 31, 2015