

## MEDICATION DEFERRAL LIST

**DO NOT STOP taking medications prescribed by your doctor in order to donate blood. Donating while taking these drugs could have a negative effect on your health or on the health of the recipient of your blood.**

**PLEASE TELL US IF YOU...**

Are being treated with any of the following types of medications:	or have taken:	which is also called:	anytime in the last:
<b>Anti-platelet agents</b> (usually taken to prevent stroke or heart attack)	Feldene	piroxicam	2 days
	Effient	prasugrel	3 days
	Brilinta	ticagrelor	7 days
	Plavix	clopidogrel	14 days
	Ticlid	ticlopidine	
	Zontivity	vorapaxar	1 month
<b>Anticoagulants</b> <b>or</b> <b>“blood thinners”</b> (usually taken to prevent blood clots in the legs and lungs and to prevent strokes)	Arixtra	fondaparinux	2 days
	Xarelto	rivaroxaban	
	Fragmin	dalteparin	
	Lovenox	enoxaparin	
	Pradaxa	dabigatran	
	Eliquis	apixaban	
	Savaysa	edoxaban	
	Coumadin, Warfilone, Jantoven	warfarin	7 days
Heparin, low molecular weight heparin		7 days	
<b>Acne treatment</b>	Accutane Amnesteem Absorica Claravis Myorisan Sotret Zenatane	isotretinoin	1 month
<b>Multiple myeloma</b>	Thalomid	thalidomide	
<b>Rheumatoid arthritis</b>	Rinvoq	upadacitinib	
<b>Hair loss remedy</b>	Propecia	finasteride	
<b>Prostate symptoms</b>	Proscar	finasteride	
	Avodart Jalyn	dutasteride	6 months
<b>Immunosuppressant</b>	Cellcept	mycophenolate mofetil	6 weeks
<b>HIV Prevention (PrEP and PEP)</b>	Truvada, Descovy, Tivicay, Isentress	tenofovir, emtricitabine dolutegravir, raltegravir	3 months
<b>Basal cell skin cancer</b>	Erivedge Odomzo	vismodegib sonidegib	24 months
<b>Relapsing multiple sclerosis</b>	Aubagio	teriflunomide	
<b>Rheumatoid arthritis</b>	Arava	leflunomide	
<b>Hepatitis exposure</b>	Hepatitis B Immune Globulin	HBIG	12 months
<b>Experimental Medication or Unlicensed (Experimental) Vaccine</b>			
<b>Psoriasis</b>	Soriatane	acitretin	36 months
	Tegison	etretinate	Ever
<b>HIV treatment also known as antiretroviral therapy (ART)</b>			Ever