





11th EuBIS Seminar and Training

'Good practices in blood components and medicinal products referring to GPG and GMP'

Quality management and inspection criteria for blood establishments and pharmaceutical products

6th – 8th of March 2019, Florence, Italy



Programme

organised by the EuBIS Academy
in cooperation with the Centro Nazionale Sangue (CNS)
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Welcome

Dear participants,

Quality management and inspection of blood establishments are a key stone in achieving best practice and guaranteeing the safety of blood and blood components for transfusion of patients. The European Blood Inspection System (EuBIS), initiated under the Public Health Programme of the European Commission, Directorate General SANCO, has developed a manual and training guide containing standards and quidelines for quality management and the inspection of blood establishments.

Based on the EuBIS manual and quide the EuBIS Academy has organised training seminars and courses in order to promote knowledge in the area of quality and safety of blood and blood components throughout Europe and worldwide. Following the 1st International seminar during the ISBT congress in Berlin, Germany, the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th Year Anniversary International Seminar and Training Course have been organised in cooperation with the Centro Nazionale Sangue, Ministry of Health in Rome (Italy, 2011), the Belgium Red Cross Flanders in Leuven (Belgium, 2012) the Irish Blood Transfusion Service (Dublin, 2013), the Turkish Red Crescent in cooperation with PIC/S (Istanbul, 2014), the Saudi Society for Transfusion Medicine / Saudi Food & Drug Authority (Ryadh, 2015 and Jeddah 2016), the Centro Nazionale Sanque (CNS) in Rome (2016), the joint workshop with PIC/S (Rome 2015, Hongkong 2016), the ISBT developing Country Award EuBIS workshop and training at the National Institute of Haematology and Blood Transfusion (NIHBT, Hanoi, Vietnam 2017) and the Centro Nazionale Sangue (CNS) in Rome (2018) and in Palermo (2018) the training has received extensive international reputation with participants from EU member states (Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Germany, Luxembourg, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, The Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom) and world-wide (Columbia, El Salvator, Norway, Switzerland, Kosovo, Kuweit, Turkey, Brazil, Curacao, Algeria, Lebanon, Morocco, Macedonia, Nigeria, Singapore, Saudi Arabia, Yemen, Qatar, South Africa, South Korea, Vietnam, Ukraine, United State of America).

The 11th International EuBIS Seminar and Training Course is organised by the EuBIS Academy in cooperation with the National Italian Blood Center (CNS) under the patronage of the Regione Toscana and funded by the Istituto Superiore di Sanità (ISS) will be a further milestone in the objectives of EuBIS to give assistance in promoting its mission 'from good to best practice in transfusion medicine'.

On behalf of all EuBIS Project participants, Collaborating partners and the Academy trainers, we are happy to welcome you in Florence and hope that we will have an exciting training including fruitful discussions and extensive exchange of ideas.

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Seminar and training – From Good Practice (GP) to Good manufacturing Practice (GMP) – blood components and medicinal products

The seminar will build on previous EuBIS training courses with the scope to train on the impact of the <u>new</u> <u>regulation</u> of Good Practice for blood and blood components in the European Union.

The seminars will comprise lectures and group work in a face-to-face fashion based on cases covering several aspects of GP and GMP such as: GP Guidelines, Inspection/Audit, Validation, Change Control, Corrective actions, Risk Assessment.

Previous participation in a EuBIS/Catie course is beneficial but not a prerequisite.

Training course language: English

Participants are offered an examination (optional in English or Italian) with an additional certificate of successful participation on the test by the EuBIS Academy / CNS.

Training course participants:

- Qualified as inspectors by a Competent Authority
- Individuals working in a blood establishment in the area of quality management.

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EuBIS inspection manual and guide

The training is performed based on the EuBIS manual and EuBIS Guide developed under the Public Health Programme co-funded by the European Commission, Health and Consumer Protection Directorate General, Public Health and Risk Assessment Directorate, DG Sanco Grant Agreement No. 2006202. (2003-2008)

The manual and guide comprise common standards and criteria for the inspection of blood establishments and have been developed based on the European blood legislation and cross referenced to GMP, EDQM, PIC/S standards and the GP guidelines referred to in Directive 2016/1214.

Further information on this manual including updated versions is available from the project Website of **EUBIS (European blood inspection system)** (<u>www.EUBIS-europe.eu</u>).

Supported by the European Blood Alliance (EBA)

The **EuBIS Inspection Standards and Criteria EuBIS Inspection Training Guide**

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CATIE facilitator manual

Educational Material

For the educational material of this course parts of the exercises have been based on the CATIE Facilitator manual developed by the CATIE consortium under the contract No. 2011/S 167-27519 of the Executive Agency for Health and Consumers (EAHC) and the Directorate General Sanco (DG Sanco).

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Wednesday, the 6th of March 2019

Room: Hospital Careggi, Florence

9:00-10:00 Preparing the Meeting Office and Venue (Tanja Knoth, Andrea Aguzzi)

10:00 Registration Office / Participants

Tanja Knoth, Andrea Aguzzi

10:30-12:30 Seminar I – Quality management and inspections

EuBIS Manual and Training Guide

10:30 Opening and Welcome

Dr. Monica Calamai, Director CRSCD, Regione Toscana

Dr. Simona Carli, RBC Regione Toscana Prof. Dr. Giancarlo M. Liumbruno, CNS

Dr. Simonetta Pupella, CNS Prof. Dr. Christian Seidl, EuBIS

Introduction of the participants 'Break the Ice'

Dr. Fewzi Teskrat

11:15 – 12:00 Common regulatory requirements and quality standards

(EuBIS manual and guide) and updated cross-references to GMP/GP guidelines.

Prof. Dr. Christian Seidl

12:00 – 12:30 The GP Guidelines (Directive 2016/1214): Essential elements of quality management

of blood establishments amending Directive 2005/62/EC.

Dr. Simonetta Pupella

12:30 - 13:30 Lunch break

13:30 – 16:30 Workshop 1 – Training exercises

13:30-15:30 Exercise 1 – Classification of Non-compliances ('real cases')

Facilitator: Dr. Jose Manuel Cardenas

Introduction

<u>Group Work (non compliances – 'Real Life' Cases)</u>

Plenary Discussion

15:30-16:00 Coffee break

16:00-16:30 General requirements for risk identification and analysis

Dr. Margarida Amil







Thursday, the 7th of March 2019

Room: Hospital Careggi, Florence

09:00 Registration Office / Participants

Tanja Knoth, Andrea Aguzzi

9:30 – 10:00 Seminar II – Quality management and inspections

EuBIS Manual and Training Guide

9:30-10:00 Good practice for blood components and source plasma for fractionation

with reference to the EuBIS manual and guide (GMP and GP guidelines)

Dr. Jose Manuel Cardenas

10:00-10:30 Coffee break

10:30 – 16:30 Workshop 2 – Training exercise

10:30 -12:00 Exercise 2 – Analyse - Act and React (Risk Assessment)

Facilitator: Dr. Alex Aquilina

Introduction

Group Work (6 Cases) assisted by trainers

- Licensing and Authorisation
- Validation and Qualification
- Facility Management
- Change Control
- Storage and Distribution
- Collection and Labelling

Plenary Discussion: Reporters and Comments

12:00 - 13:00 Lunch break







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Room: Hospital Careggi, Florence

13:00-14:00 Exercise 3 – Personal and Organisation (Job description)

Facilitator: Dr. Fewzi Teskrat

<u>Individual Work (2 job description testing and collection of blood)</u>

Plenary Discussion: Reporters and Comments

Facilitator – Learning points and summary of exercise

14:00-14:30 Coffee break

14:30 – 16:00 Exercise 4 – Communication skills – Inspection completion (BE/CA)

Practice your skills (Role Play)

Facilitator: Dr. Fewzi Teskrat, Dr. Alex Aquilina

Introduction: Case and background information by Dr. Jose Manuel Cardenas

Group C: Observers

Briefing: Dr. Alex Aquilina and Dr. Fewzi Teskrat

Group A (BE): group representing blood establishment Group B (CA): group representing competent authority

Role play (group BE / group CA) Opening meeting – Findings – Closing meeting

Plenary: Comments by observers

Facilitator – Learning points and summary of exercise

16:00 - 16:30 - 'Fresh up' what you learned

Facilitator: Dr. Simonetta Pupella, Prof. Christian Seidl

20:00 Joint Dinner (EuBIS Academy and Participants) – tbc







Friday, the 8th of March 2019

Room: Hospital Careggi, Florence

09:00 Registration Office / Participants

Tanja Knoth, Andrea Aguzzi

09:30 – 10:30 MC-'EXAMINATION' (optional) (English or Italian)

Facilitator: Prof. Dr. Christian Seidl, Dr.ssa Simonetta Pupella

Individual work: Test with multiple-choice question related to the training workshop

in English or Italian Language

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

11:00 – 15:00 Workshop 3 Training exercises

11:00-12:00 Exercise 5 – Inspection completion

Report observations, prepare the closing meeting and prepare/evaluate an action plan

Facilitator: Prof. Dr. Christian Seidl

Introduction

- Blood Collection Donor department
- Blood Testing Laboratory Department
- Blood Processing
- Blood Storage and distribution

Cases /Examples of observations (real life) will be presented.

Based on these cases/examples a <u>response of the BE to the CA report</u> is given to the participants. Participants are asked to evaluate the action plan and prepare corrections/modifications if required.

Participants are asked to classify these, write a statement and use those reports to prepare the closing meeting summarising the findings of the inspection report.

Group Work (assisted by trainers)

12:00-13:00 Lunch break







Friday, the 8th of March 2019

13:00-14:00 Exercise 5 – Inspection completion (continued)

Report observations, prepare the closing meeting and prepare/evaluate an action plan

Facilitator: Prof. Dr. Christian Seidl

- Blood Collection Donor department
- Blood Testing Laboratory Department
- Blood Processing
- Blood Storage and distribution

<u>Plenary Discussion</u>: Reporters and Comments

Facilitator – Learning points and summary of exercise

14:00-14:15 Break

14:15-15:15 Exercise 6 – Case work-Observations by BE of non-conformance of apheresis plasma units

- Risk identification and analysis - SAE/SAR

Facilitator: Dr. Simonetta Pupella

Introduction: Case background and principle of SAE/SAR

Individual work (assisted by trainers)

Plenary Discussion: Reporters and Comments

Facilitator – Learning points and summary of exercise

15:15 - 15:45 Coffee break

and EuBIS training course evaluation form

15:45 – 16:00 Concluding remarks and EuBIS Training Certificates

Dr.ssa Simonetta Pupella Prof. Dr. Christian Seidl

16:00 End of meeting



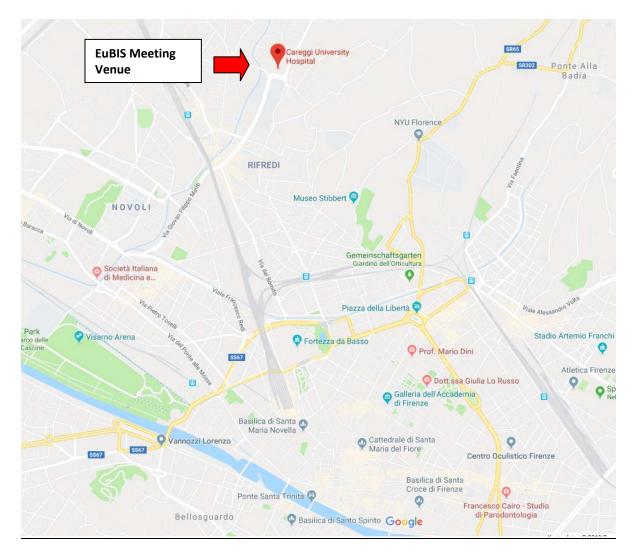




Meeting Venue

Hospital Careggi, Florence

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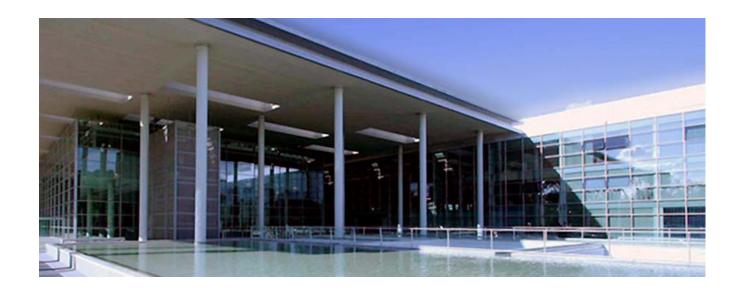




Meeting Venue (MAP) – indicated by RED point

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Development of pan-European standards and criteria for the inspection of blood establishments (EU-Blood-Inspection) – EUBIS

Ensuring that 'patients who receive blood transfusion in the European Union are given safe blood' is a major objective within the framework of public health on the national and European level.

The objective of EuBIS is to set out a methodology for inspecting blood establishments based on the European Commission's directive requirements related to ensuring the quality and safety of blood.

It is the result of a collaborative effort of representatives from 27 governmental institutions, blood establishments and competent authorities participating in the EuBIS project co-funded by the European Commission under area 2.2.4 of the Public Health Programme (2003-2008) — Call 2006 — addressing the quality and safety of blood.

The project has developed a manual and guide to assist

- blood establishments in need to optimise their quality system and self-inspection process related to the EU blood directive.
- blood establishments to prepare for regulatory inspections by competent authorities, and
- competent authorities, which wish to use the manual and training guide as a reference for the implementation process of the European blood legislation related to regulatory inspections.

Using commonalities between Member States and the requirements and definitions given by the EU blood legislation, the manual and guide summarises good practice standards. The implementation of these standards will improve the safety of blood.

An electronic form can be ordered via the EuBIS website

(www.eubis-europe.eu).

Project cooperation with other European initiatives or organisations related to inspection schemes of pharmaceutical products and tissue and cells: The project is aware of other European initiatives or organisations that have developed inspection standards used in the area of pharmaceutical products and tissues and cells.

The EuBIS and EU-Q-Blood-SOP Manuals have been distributed by request to more than 300 blood establishments, competent authorities and governmental institutions in 52 countries in Europe and world wide.

Austria, Ethiopia, Australia, Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Island, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovak Republic, Slovenia, Croatia, Spain, United Kingdom, Abu Dhabi, Afghanistan, Argentina, Brazil, Canada, Chile, China, Croatia, Dubai, Egypt, Guatemala, Hong Kong, Israel, Indonesia, India, Kuwait, Korea, Nigeria, Japan, Marocco, Mexico, Montenegro, Palaestine, Pakistan, Peru, Philippines, Rep. of Macedonia, Russia, Switzerland, Saudi Arabia, Quatar, South Afrika, Turkey, Sri Lanka, USA

<u>EuBIS Training Courses</u> are announced for pre-registration under the projects homepage (<u>www.eubis-europe.eu</u>):







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