

BLOOD TRANSFUSION ARTEFACT RECORD	
NUMBER	AA-033
ITEM / TITLE	A BOTTLE OF DESICCATED NORMAL HUMAN PLASMA IN A SEALED METAL CAN – ELI LILLY AND Co.
PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION	A sealed gold-coloured metal can with black writing – stated to contain a bottle of Desiccated Normal Human Plasma and a bottle of water (the can is damaged but unopened) – produced by Eli Lilly and Company, Indianapolis, U.S.A.
OTHER INFORMATION	<p>The can is labelled:  <b>DESICCATED NORMAL HUMAN PLASMA</b> – <i>Representing 250 cc original normal plasma. To which has been added as a preservative 1:35,000 'Merthiolate' (Sodium Ethyl Mercuri Thiosalicylate, Lilly) U.S. Govt. License No.66. No U.S. Standard of Potency.</i>  <i>Contains also:</i>  1 Double-ended Needle (see No.3)  1 Intravenous Needle (see No.6)  1 Clamp (see No.11)  <b>ELI LILLY AND COMPANY – INDIANAPOLIS, U.S.A.</b></p> <p>The reverse of the can is labelled:  <b>STANDARD ARMY AND NAVY PACKAGE OF NORMAL HUMAN PLASMA DRIED</b></p> <p>The INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE lists 19 points and also a diagram, which identify that the can contains a Bottle Of Dried Plasma and a Bottle of Water (for reconstitution).  Note: An 'opening key' should be attached to lid – not present.</p>

