

BLOOD TRANSFUSION ARTEFACT RECORD	
NUMBER	AA-044
ITEM / TITLE	A SILVER METAL TIN CONTAINING TWO GLASS / METAL SYRINGES, TUBING AND THREE-WAY VALVE
PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION	A silver metal tin (approx. 23cm x 13cm x 5cm) with a hinged lid and clasp and a lift-out inner section, containing two 20 cc. glass-metal exchange transfusion syringes, a three-way metal valve, tube connectors and siliconised rubber tubing.
OTHER INFORMATION	<p>The lid of the metal tin is stamped with the word EDWARDS – no other labelling. Undated – origin unknown.</p> <p>The two glass-metal 20 c.c. syringes, the three-way silver metal valve and the connectors have luer taper fittings. The rubber tubing is siliconised – one of the three tubes being smaller than the other two.</p> <p>The two 20 cc. glass syringes are labelled: BRITISH MADE SUMMIT</p> <p><i>Note: This type of equipment was used for the exchange transfusion of a baby.</i></p>

