

BLOOD TRANSFUSION ARTEFACT RECORD	
NUMBER	AA-034
ITEM / TITLE	A BOTTLE OF DRIED HUMAN ALBUMIN FOR TRANSFUSION
PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION	A 550ml Medical Research Council glass bottle of 'Salt-Poor Dried Human Albumin for Transfusion' with a silver metal cap cover and green coloured label. Prepared and issued by the Blood Products Laboratory, Lister Institute, Elstree, Herts.
OTHER INFORMATION	<p>The label states:</p> <p><i>This bottle contains 25 grams of human albumin, 330 mg. sodium octoate and not more than 475 mg citrate ion. Total sodium not more than 375 mg., total potassium not more than 50 mg. To obtain a 25% w/v solution add 80 ml. of Water for injections and rock gently to bring the solids into solution. Do not shake. At this concentration solution is slow. For the preparation of solutions containing less than 15% w/v albumin reconstitution should be with 5% Dextrose Injection. Reconstituted albumin MUST BE DISCARDED if not used within 3 hours.</i></p> <p>STORE BELOW 25°C IN A DARK DRY PLACE</p> <p><i>Enter these details in patient's notes and quote in any enquiry.</i></p> <p><u>DO NOT USE if after adding fluid, a gel forms or solution is incomplete.</u></p> <p><i>Batch: (unreadable)</i></p> <p><i>Prepared: AUG 1977</i></p> <p><i>Expiry Date: JUL 1982</i></p>

