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Re: Notification – 24-Hour Box Validation

To Whom It May Concern,

The Blood Center performed a 24-hour box validation to ensure the integrity of the box before implementing the use of the box to ship blood and blood products offsite.

The following were the results for each component type tested:

1. Platelet shipments maintained temperatures of 20 – 24°C.
2. Red Blood Cell shipments maintained temperatures of 1 – 10°C.
3. Fresh Frozen Plasma shipments maintained temperatures of <-18°C.

The results of the validation were acceptable.

The Blood Center continues to check the integrity of the box each year to ensure the deliverance of a quality product to our clients. If you should have any questions, please contact me at 985-340-2323 or by email, lboudreaux@thebloodcenter.org.

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