

NATIONAL BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE AND  
SCOTTISH NATIONAL BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE

ANTI-HIV SCREENING OF BLOOD DONATIONS IN THE  
UNITED KINGDOM

OCTOBER 1985 - SEPTEMBER 1986

NUMBER OF DONATIONS TESTED 2577417  
NUMBER ANTI-HIV POSITIVE 55 (.002%)

FEBRUARY 1986 - SEPTEMBER 1986

NUMBER OF NEW DONORS TESTED 276685  
NUMBER ANTI-HIV POSITIVE 14 (.005%)

OF THE 55 CONFIRMED ANTI-HIV POSITIVES

1. MALES 46  
FEMALES 9

2. AGE RANGES

	MALES	FEMALES
UNDER 20	4	5
20-29	27	4
30-39	11	
40-49	3	
50-59	1	

3. OF THE 51 DONORS INTERVIEWED TO DATE, 48 WERE FOUND TO BE IN A HIGH RISK CATEGORY WITH RESPECT TO AIDS INFECTION AND 3 DENY BEING IN ANY OF THESE CATEGORIES.