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Your reference
RMB/KS/M1/A/1
Our reference
ADVP/HAS/1.1
Date
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Dear Michael

BLOOD DONATION - AIDS

Further to our telephone calls reference:

Group O Plasma reduced blood. Pack No 003 358 S8
Taken 27 March 1984. Transfused 2 April 1984

Recipient

Mr **GRO-A**
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General Practitioner - Dr S A Beaton, Manor Way Surgery, Lee on the Solent, Hants.

Further follow up investigation of this patient has revealed that he has a mild iron deficiency anaemia with a normal white count and no evidence of lymphopenia.

RIA for anti HTLV-3 was undertaken by Dr Tedder at the Middlesex Hospital and has been found to be positive.

Investigation of T-cell subsets was undertaken at Queen Alexandra's Hospital, Portsmouth with the following results:

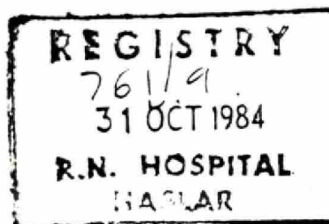
K 12% λ 3% Helper T-cells 30%
Suppressor T-cells 54% Ratio .55
Pan T 78%

Dr John Craske, Consultant Virologist at Withington Hospital, Manchester has been informed of these findings as the plasma of the same donation was used for Factor VIII preparation.

The General Practitioner, Dr Beaton, has been informed of these findings and has undertaken to interview the patient.

Yours sincerely

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