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E 000	Initial Comments  The following reflects the findings of the Department of Public Health during a Complaint visit  Complaint Intake Number: CA00168152  The inspection was limited to the specific complaints investigated and does not represent the findings of a full inspection of the facility.  Representing the Department of Public Health:  [REDACTED], RN-HFEN [REDACTED], RN-HFEN  1280.1(c) Health & Safety Code Section 1280 For purposes of this section, "immediate jeopardy" means a situation in which the licensee's noncompliance with one or more requirements of licensure has caused, or is likely to cause, serious injury or death to the patient.  DEFICIENCY CONSTITUTING IMMEDIATE JEOPARDY	E 000		
E 264	T22 DIV5 CH1 ART3-70213(a) Nursing Service Policies and Procedures.  (a) Written policies and procedures for patient care shall be developed, maintained and implemented by the nursing service.  This RULE: is not met as evidenced by: Based on interview and record review, the facility staff failed to implement their Blood and Blood Product Administration policy and procedure (CPM.PC.015), in that two licensed nurses (Staff B and Staff C)) did not verify Patient 2's name,	E 264	The Chief Clinical Officer and the Director of Laboratory Services reviewed the Blood and Blood Product Administration policy and procedure. No revisions were indicated.  The Chief Clinical Officer and the Director of Laboratory Services reviewed and revised the transfusion slip.  Nurse B and C were immediately suspended. Upon completion of the investigation, both nurses received a final written counseling. Both nurses subsequently resigned.	10/28/08  11/17/08  11/05/08

LABORATORY DIRECTOR'S OR PROVIDER/SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE'S SIGNATURE <i>Kathy Wong, MSN, RN, CCFP-AB</i>	TITLE Chief Clinical Officer	(X6) DATE January 9, 2009
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E 264	<p>Continued From Page 1</p> <p>date of birth, hospital identification number on the wristband and on the transfusion tag attached on the blood bag in accordance with the hospital's policy and procedure. The failure of facility staff to implement the hospital's Blood and Blood Product Administration policy resulted in Patient 2 receiving blood intended for Patient 1 with a subsequent blood transfusion reaction.</p> <p>Findings:</p> <p>On November 3, 2008, a review of Patient 2's Admission Record, disclosed the patient was admitted to the facility on October 2, 2008 with diagnoses that included sepsis and end stage renal disease. According to the clinical record, Patient 2 had a history of diabetes mellitus, hypertension and psychiatric disorder.</p> <p>A review of the Outcome Notes, dated October 29, 2008, disclosed the following: At 3:45 p.m., transfusion started (06LF96200) indicating the blood unit number, blood pressure (BP) 90/59 heart rate (HR) 66. At 4 p.m., the documentation indicated "stop transfusion, BP 103/62, HR - 80, patient confused, oxygen saturation 96%." At 5:10 p.m., the documentation indicated the BP 88/45 HR 86. At 5:20 p.m., notified house MD BP 86/46, MD visited, patient lethargic."</p> <p>A review of Patient 2's clinical record revealed no physician order for blood transfusion. There was no documented crossmatch tag/transfusion record for Patient 2 on October 29, 2008.</p> <p>A review of the physician progress notes, dated October 29, 2008, disclosed "patient inadvertently received wrong blood approximately 50 cc before transfusion stopped." The note further indicated Patient 2 had respiratory stridor and wheezing. Patient 2</p>	E 264	<p>All registered nurses were required to review the Blood and Blood Product Administration policy and procedure and take a test to demonstrate their understanding of the policy and procedure. All currently working registered nurses (94%) have successfully completed this test. Remaining registered nurses will demonstrate their knowledge of the Blood and Blood Product Administration policy and procedure by successfully completing the test prior to administering blood or blood products.</p> <p>A minimum of 50 transfusions are being concurrently observed for compliance with policy and procedure. Findings are reported to the Chief Clinical Officer and reported to the Quality Management Committee, the Medical Executive Committee and the Governing Board. Concurrent observations will continue until such time as 100% compliance with policy and procedure is demonstrated.</p> <p>Additionally, a blood product administration competency will be performed annually.</p>	<p>12/22/08</p> <p>01/21/09</p> <p>ongoing</p>

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E 264	<p>Continued From Page 3</p> <p>the patient against the blood." Staff D stated Staff B did the 15 minute check, then suddenly realized it was the wrong patient. Staff D stated there "were no issues" within the first 15 minutes and Staff B discontinued the blood transfusion.</p> <p>Staff D was questioned about the remainder of the unit of blood and she stated Staff B changed the blood transfusion tubing and started transfusing Patient 1 with the same unit of blood. When asked if Staff B notified the physician and reported the error, Staff D stated Staff B did not call the physician and did not report the error. Staff D stated that on October 29, 2008, at about 5 p.m., Staff A noticed Patient 2 was cyanotic and having difficulty breathing and notified Staff C, who in turn, notified a Medical Doctor (MD) via telephone at 5:20 p.m., Staff D stated that shortly thereafter, Staff B told the nursing director about the transfusion error.</p> <p>A review of Patient 1's clinical record revealed a physician's order dated October 28, 2008 at 10 a.m.; for a type and cross and transfuse 2 units of packed red blood cells (PRBC), if hemoglobin less than 10, transfuse 1 unit PRBC as needed.</p> <p>A review of the Crossmatch Tag for Patient 1 revealed Patient 1's name and medical record number, the blood type was AB Positive and the Donor type was A positive. The transfusion record section disclosed signatures by Staff B and Staff C dated October 29, 2008 at 3:45 p.m. indicating statement of verification that they had "matched patient name and number on the transfusion tag with the name and number on the patient's band and the donor number on the form with the donor number on the unit of blood."</p> <p>A review of the Outcome Notes documentation dated October 29, 2008 at 6 p.m., indicated,</p>	E 264		

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E 264	Continued From Page 4  "Notified MD transfusion given amount of 200 ml." There was no documentation when the blood was started, the blood unit number and Patient 1's pre transfusion vital signs and vital signs fifteen minutes after the blood transfusion was started.  A review of the Blood and Blood Product Administration policy and procedure (CPM.PC.015 dated as revised on August 2007): "Patient Identification Checks" section disclosed that the person who would transfuse the blood plus another RN or MD must confirm that all the following information agrees - Patient's name, date of birth and hospital identification number on his wristband and on the transfusion tag attached to the blood bag, unit number, unit ABO RH type and type of component on the bag and on attached transfusion tag.  This policy and procedure failure resulted in a preventable blood transfusion error for patient 2. Patient 2, who did not have a physician order for a blood transfusion, received a blood transfusion with the wrong blood type, had a documented hemolytic reaction and expired.	E 264		