

Pre-operative anaemia in elective cardiac surgery: a UK National Survey

Survey Questions

After selecting which hospital/Trust respondents worked in, the five questions asked were:

1. On average, how long before elective cardiac surgery do patients have their Haemoglobin measured?
2. In general, where are anaemic patients treated?
3. Are ALL anaemic patients corrected pre-operatively?
4. Do you have a guideline for optimising haemoglobin levels?
5. If yes, which of the following does it include? (oral iron, i.v. iron, folate, vit. B12, EPO, blood transfusion, Haematology referral)