

Joint Haemovigilance Workshop in England: Draft Programme

13 and 28 May 2026 09:00-16:30

Time	Topic to be covered
08:00-09:00	Registration and tea and coffee
09:00-09:15	Welcome and outline for the day
09:15-10:15	<p>Infected Blood Inquiry (IBI) report, recommendations, and impact on haemovigilance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> National updates from SHOT and MHRA on progress implementing IBI recommendations, followed by discussion on local implications and sustaining meaningful system-wide change. <p>Responding to the IBI: How SHOT is driving change in transfusion safety</p> <p>Overview of the SHOT Transfusion Safety Standards and the Patient 'My Transfusion' App, supporting governance, transparency and patient engagement.</p>
10:15-10:40	<p>Patient powered transfusion safety: Turning partnership into practice</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction to strengthening patient partnership in transfusion practice, followed by facilitated discussion on embedding meaningful engagement at individual and organisational level.
Tea and coffee break	
11:00-12:15	<p>From Incident to Insight: Strengthening learning in transfusion safety</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Joint MHRA and SHOT perspectives on strengthening investigation quality, improving feedback loops and ensuring learning leads to sustained improvement. <p>Making the most of haemovigilance reporting: From data to improvement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Interactive session on maximising the impact of reporting systems – from definitions and questionnaires to benchmarking and dashboards. Includes updates on the Annual SHOT Report, SABRE developments, emerging risks and the STAR reporting assist tool.
12:15-12:30	<p>Beyond Error Reporting: Embedding Learning from Excellence (Lfe) in transfusion practice</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exploring SHOT's Acknowledging Continuing Excellence initiative and embedding positive learning alongside incident reporting.
Lunch break	
13:30-14:15	<p>Key Clinical and Laboratory Themes from the 2024 Annual SHOT Report: What do they mean for us?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Interactive review of major trends, recurring risks and safety messages, with discussion on local implications and participant feedback on SHOT reporting.
14:15-15:00	<p>Case-Based Learning: Clinical and laboratory challenges in transfusion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Five focused case studies covering TACO, transfusion delays, laboratory errors and transfusion reactions, highlighting contributory factors and preventative strategies.
Tea and coffee break	
15:20-15:45	<p>Applying Human Factors & Ergonomics (HFE) in Transfusion: From theory to practice</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practical approaches to safer systems, incident investigation and IT integration, with shared learning.
15:45 – 16:15	<p>Transfusion IT: Learning, gaps and future priorities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> SCRIPT developments, recurring IT-related error themes and key findings from the 2025/26 SCRIPT survey, with discussion on digital safety priorities.
16:15-16:30	<p>Interactive Q&A and feedback for the MHRA and SHOT teams:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Opportunity for delegates to raise questions, share reflections and provide feedback to the MHRA and SHOT teams.
16:30	Workshop close