



Platelets for Neonatal Transfusion - Study 2

PlaNeT-2

Dear GP / Health Visitor,

PlaNeT-2 Two Year Follow Up

Re Baby DOB

PlaNeT-2 Trial No

The parents of the above baby consented to taking part in a neonatal study of platelet transfusions, called PlaNeT-2, whilst their baby was being treated in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit. At that stage they gave permission to allow us to contact you if necessary in order to obtain 2 year neuro-developmental follow up information for the purposes of the trial. For more information on the trial background, please go to www.planet-2.com

As you will be aware, long term follow up outcomes are a very important component of trials in neonates, and so we are trying to collect this information from all the babies who took part in the trial. All the information that we collect will be confidential and will only be used for the purpose of the trial.

As this baby has now reached 2 years after recruitment, we would appreciate it if you would complete the enclosed questionnaire, and return it using the provided pre-paid envelope. I also enclose a copy of the consent form for your information.

We thank you for your support to provide this follow-up data.

If you have any queries, do not hesitate to contact the Chief Investigator Dr Simon Stanworth on 01865 447917 or email simon.stanworth@nhsbt.nhs.uk

Yours sincerely

Dr Gupta
Consultant Neonatologist

Enc: copy original consent form, 2 year follow up questionnaire, pre-paid envelope