## **Blood terminology**

## **Vocabulary List for Blood Lecture**

- 1. Blood
- 2. Formed elements
- 3. Plasma
- 4. Erythrocytes
- 5. Red blood cells
- 6. Leukocytes
- 7. White blood cells
- 8. Platelets
- 9. Albumin
- 10. Globulins
- 11. Plasma cells
- 12. Antibodies
- 13. Prothrombin
- 14. Fibrinogen
- 15. Hemoglobin
- 16. Globin
- 17. Heme
- 18. Iron
- 19. Oxyhemoglobin
- 20. Reduced hemoglobin
- 21. Deoxyhemoglobin
- 22. Hemopoiesis
- 23. Hematopoiesis
- 24. Erythropoiesis
- 25. Hemopoietic stem cell
- 26. Hemocytoblast
- 27. Erythropoietin
- 28. Macrophages
- 29. Transferrin
- 30. Ferritin
- 31. Hemosiderin
- 32. Bilirubin
- 33. Bile
- 34. Urobilin
- 35. Stercobilin
- 36. Diapedesis
- 37. Amoeboid motion
- 38. Positive chemotaxis
- 39. Leukocytosis
- 40. Neutrophils

- 41. Lymphocytes
- 42. Monocytes
- 43. Eosinophils
- 44. Basophils
- 45. Granulocytes
- 46. Agranulocytes
- 47. Wright's stain
- 48. Polymorphonuclear leukocytes
- 49. Histamine
- 50. Heparin
- 51. T lymphocytes
- 52. B lymphocytes
- 53. Leukopoiesis
- 54. Thrombopoiesis
- 55. Thrombocytes
- 56. Hemostasis
- 57. Vascular spasm
- 58. Platelet plug
- 59. Coagulation
- 60. Prothrombin activator
- 61. Thrombin
- 62. Fibrin
- 63. Blood clot
- 64. Vitamin K
- 65. Calcium
- 66. Extrinsic path
- 67. Intrinsic path
- 68. Clot retraction
- 69. Fibrinolysis
- 70. Plasminogen
- 71. Plasmin
- 72. Aspirin
- 73. Broad spectrum antibiotics
- 74. Calcium chelators

**Abortive medication** – Drug stopping attack of severe headache.

Acute pericarditis -

Inflammation of heart's sac.

**Adverse effect** – Unwanted effect of medication.

**Albumin** - ABO group (A-B-O GROOP)

Albumin (al-**BYOO**-min)
Bilirubin (**BILL**-ee-roo-bin)
Chemical clotting (**KEM**-i-kuhl **KLAH**-ting)

Embolism (**EM**-boh-lizm) Erythrocyte (e-**RITH**-roh-sight) Hemoglobin (**HEE**-moh-GLOWbin)

Hemostasis (HEE-moh-**STAY**-sis)

Heparin (**HEP**-ar-in) Immunity (im-**YOO**-ni-tee) Leukocyte (**LOO**-koh-sight) Macrophage (**MAK**-roh-fahj) Normoblast (**NOR**-moh-blast) Reticulocyte (re-**TIK**-yoo-loh-sight)

Rh factor (R-H **FAK**-ter) Thrombocyte (**THROM**-boh-sight)

Thrombus (**THROM**-bus) Blood protein.

**Allogeneic blood** - Homologous blood given by a donor.

**Amino acid** - Organic molecules that are building blocks of proteins.

**Antiserum** - Blood serum with antibodies.

**Anemia** - Insufficient red cells or hemoglobin in blood.

**Anisocytosis** - Significant size variation of blood cells.

**Apheresis** - Retention of only needed components of blood for use and returning the remainder back to the donor.

**Aplastic anemia** - Deficiency of red blood cells produced by bone marrow.

**Autologous blood** - Blood taken and given to the same patient to eliminate transfusion problems. **Bilirubin** - Yellowish red fluid in blood and urine.

**Blood cells** - Red cells are called erythrocytes and white cells are called leukocytes.

**Blood components** - Red and while cells, plasma, and platelets. **Blood smear** - Small amount of blood sample placed on a glass for examination.

**Blood group** - Four categories of blood: A, B. AB, and O. **Bone marrow** - Soft cells of bone that produce blood cells and platelets.

BUN - Blood Urea Nitrogen Cardio – Relating to heart. Central venous pressure (CVP)

 It shows amount of blood returning to heart and ability of heart to pump blood into arteries.
 Cerebral perfusion pressure (CPP) – Pressure pushing blood into brain.

**Crenation** - Shrinking of red blood cells.

**Derivatives** - Elements of blood separated.

**Ebullism** – Producing gas bubbles in body fluids due to change in altitude.

Effective accessibility –
Availability of health care (waiting liet)

**Elective surgery** – Surgery that can wait, not emergency.

**Engraftment** - Self-production of blood cells in recipient's **body** after being transfused.

Epicardial – Outside cardiac muscle.

**Erythrocytes** - Oxygen-carrying red blood cells.

**False positive** - Abnormal test results in a blood sample of a normal person not suspected to be sick.

**Ferritin** - Protein that carries iron

FFP - Fresh Frozen Plasma

**Gamma Globulin** - Plasma protein derivatives collected for use against infection.

**Glucose** - Blood sugar **Granulocytes** - White blood cells that defend body against foreign

**Hemodialysis** - Blood cleansing with machine.

**Hemolytic anemia** - Anemia due to loss of red blood cells.

**Hemophilia** - Bleeding problem. **Hemorrhage** - Internal

accumulation of blood.

substances.

**Hematocrit** - Percentage of red blood cells in a sample.

**Hematologic** - Relating to blood. **Hematuria** - Blood in urine.

**Hemoglobin** - Oxygen-carrying red blood cell.

**Hemolysis** - Changes in red blood cells.

Hemostasis - Clotting.
Histamine - Drug used for allergic reactions to dilate blood vessels.

**Homologous donation** - Blood donation for use by any other patient in the hospital.

**Hypercalcemia** - Excessive calcium in blood.

**Hypovolemia** - Low level of blood in the body.

**Hypoxemia** - Low levels of oxygen in blood.

**Immune globulin** - Gamma globulin part of plasma.

**Leukocyte** - White blood cells containing granulocyte, lymphocyte, and monocyte.

**Leukocytosis** - High level of leukocytes.

**Leukopenia** - Also leucopenia. Low level of leukocytes.

**Macrocytes** - Abnormally large blood cells.

Magnesium - Blood salt.

Microcytes - Abnormally sn

**Microcytes** - Abnormally small blood cells.

Phlebotomy - Venipuncture.
Puncturing vein to take blood.
Plasma - Non-cellular fluid part of blood.

Platelets - Smallest blood cells

Blood - Red fluid that carries oxygen and nutrient to the cells and takes away carbon dioxide and waste.  Blood bank - Place where blood is stored for future transfusion	forming clots to prevent bleeding.  Plateletpheresis - Retaining only platelets of blood.  Purpura - Bruise that occurs after receiving blood transfusion.  Refractory anemia - Low levels of red blood cells.  Regurgitation - Backward flow of blood into heart chambers.  Retrospective diagnosis - Posthumous diagnosis, identification of disease(s) historically by using modern methods.  Serum - Part of plasma containing no clotting elements.  Tamponade - Stopping blood flow or hemorrhage by applying pressure or devise.  Transfusion - Providing blood to patients who lost blood due to medical surgery, accident, or any other reason.  Thrombus - Blood clot.  Warfarin effect - Thinning of blood by medication to prevent clotting. Warfarin is the name of medicine
Related Clinical Terminology Anemia (uh-NEE-mee-yah) Differential count (DIFF-er-EN-shul KOWNT) Erythroblastosis fetalis (e-RITH-roh-blass-TOH-sis fee-TAL-is) Hematocrit (hee-MAT-oh-krit) Hemophilia (HEE-moh-FILL-ee-ah) Jaundice (JAWN-diss) Leukemia (loo-KEE-mee-ah) Leukocytosis (LOO-koh-sigh-TOH-sis) RhoGAM (ROH-gam) Tissue typing (TISH-yoo-TIGH-ping) Typing and cross-matching (TIGH-ping and KROSS-match-ing)	