



GS1 and ICCBBA: Working together to ensure compatibility between global standards

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ABOUT GS1 & ICCBBA

GS1 Healthcare **From September 2007...**



GS1 Healthcare and ICCBBA join forces to advance global standards to improve patient safety

Two complementary global standards organizations will collaborate to advance global automatic identification standards in Healthcare to reduce medical errors, enable global traceability, and to increase the effectiveness of the healthcare supply chain.

GS1 Healthcare ... to September 2010



New guideline enables safer delivery control process for plasma derivatives

*Providing guidance on how to bar code plasma derivatives
to improve patient safety and increase supply chain efficiency*

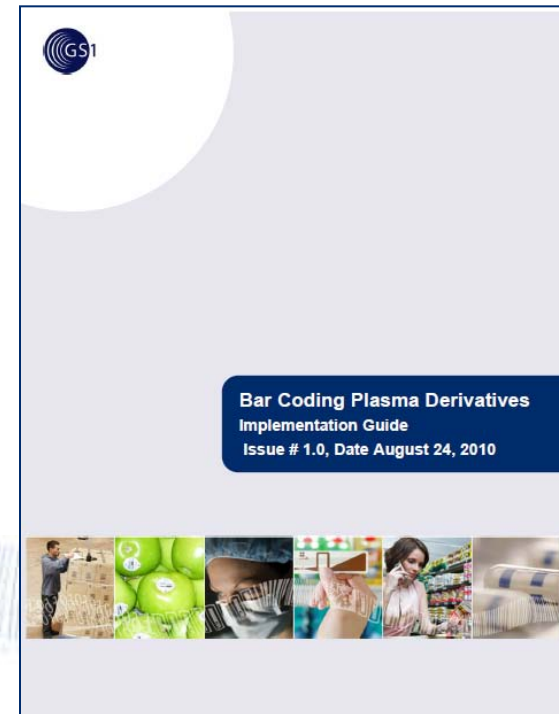


Healthcare Collaboration steps to now

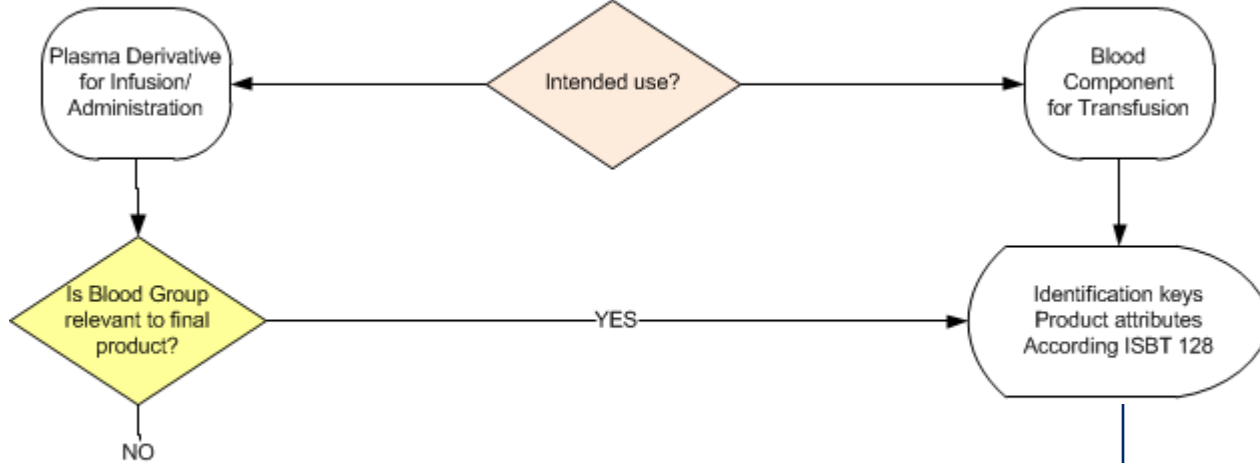

Referencing GS1 labelling for outer packaging (deliveries)



Clarify delimitation for plasma derivatives






CLARIFYING BOUNDARIES

Plasma derivatives

<p>Primary package</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Product identification key (GTIN) • Product attributes 	<p>Secondary package</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Product identification key (GTIN) • Product attributes • Serial number
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Blood and blood components

Primary package

- Product identification key (ISBT-128)
- Product attributes
- Serial number



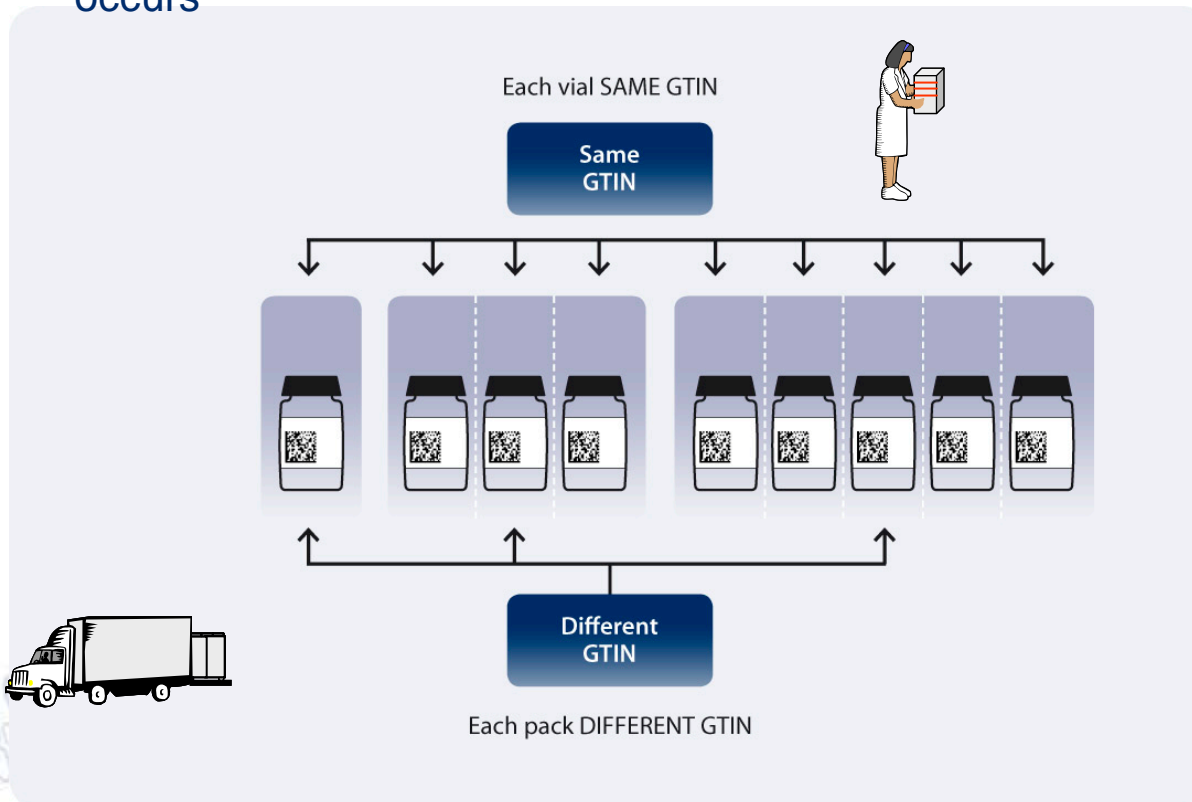
HELPING IMPLEMENTATION

WITH A MID-TERM PERSPECTIVE



Healthcare Understand product hierarchy

- GS1 establishes a hierarchal relationship with different packaging levels
 - impacts IT parameterisation so that the break-down of packaging does not disrupt the information chain.
- ISBT 128 establishes traceability between donor and patient
 - required by regulations to ensure proper notifications if an adverse event occurs

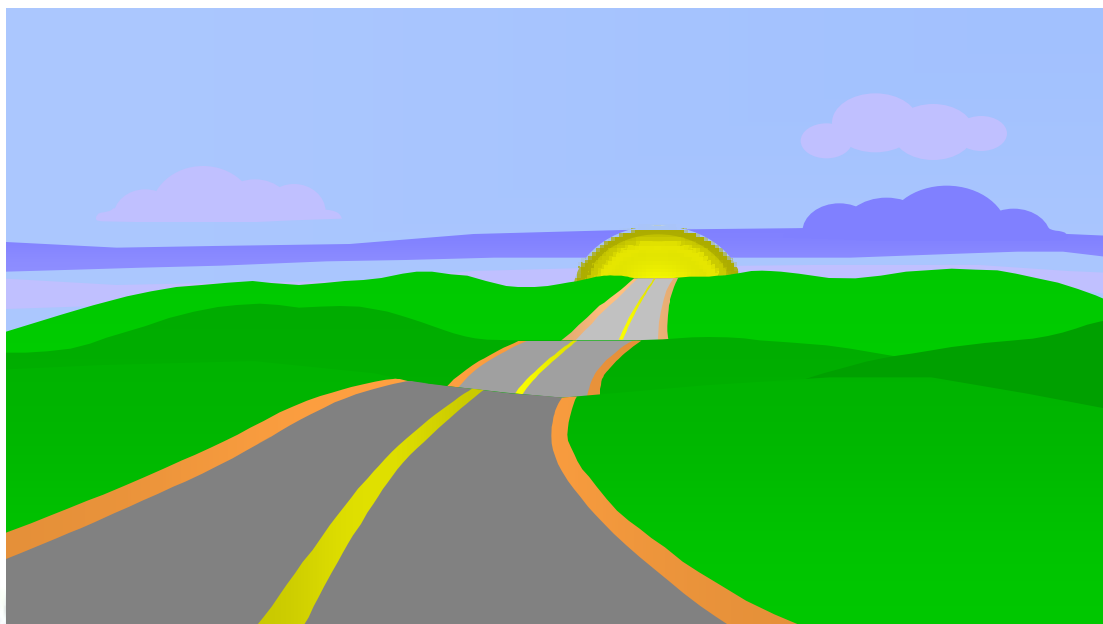




Healthcare Understand product hierarchy

- ... And raise vendor's attention to GS1 specificities so that blood bank software releases in the near future can accommodate both standards.
- ... Invite system implementers to make use of both standard specifications (ISBT 128, respectively GS1)
- ... Inform system users to understand what should be expected from their plasma derivative suppliers, and integrate this information in their re-engineering works

OUR FUTURE COLLABORATION



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