FACT Announces Accreditations Awarded from November 2019 – February 2020
Accredited Entities Total 291

From November 2019 through February 2020, 27 entities received accreditation from the Foundation for the Accreditation of Cellular Therapy:

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FACT is a non-profit voluntary foundation for standard-setting, self-assessment, inspection, and accreditation of hematopoietic cell collection, processing, and transplantation; immune effector cellular therapy; cord blood banking; and regenerative medicine. It is jointly sponsored by the American Society for Transplantation and Cellular Therapy (ASTCT) and the International Society for Cell & Gene Therapy (ISCT).

For a complete list of accredited facilities and additional information about FACT accreditation, visit the FACT website.

The cellular therapy accreditation actions were:

**CELLULAR THERAPY INITIAL ACCREDITATIONS**

*Adult autologous hematopoietic progenitor cell transplantation; peripheral blood cellular therapy product processing; and cellular therapy product processing with minimal manipulation:*

- Novant Health Transplantation and Cellular Therapy Program – Charlotte, Charlotte, North Carolina, USA
  Program Director: Omotayo Fasan, MBBS, DTM&H, MRCP

*Peripheral blood cellular therapy product collection:*

- University of Nebraska Medical Center/Nebraska Medicine Apheresis Collection Facility, Omaha, Nebraska, USA
  Program Director: Scott Koepsell, MD, PhD

**CELLULAR THERAPY ACCREDITATION RENEWALS**

*Adult and pediatric allogeneic and autologous hematopoietic progenitor cell transplantation; immune effector cellular therapy; marrow and peripheral blood cellular therapy product collection; and cellular therapy product processing with minimal manipulation:*

- Cleveland Clinic Blood and Marrow Transplant Program, Cleveland, Ohio, USA
  Program Director: Navneet S. Majhail, MD, MBBS, MS

- The University of Alabama Adult and Pediatric Bone Marrow Transplantation and Cell Therapy Program, Birmingham, Alabama, USA
  Program Director: Donna Salzman, MD

- University of Chicago Stem Cell Transplant Program, Chicago, Illinois, USA
  Program Director: Michael Bishop, MD

*Adult allogeneic and autologous and pediatric autologous hematopoietic progenitor cell transplantation; immune effector cellular therapy; marrow and peripheral blood cellular therapy product collection; and cellular therapy product processing with minimal manipulation:*

- NYU Langone Health Hematopoietic Progenitor Cell Transplant Program, New York, New York
  Program Director: A. Samer Al-Homsy, MD
Adult allogeneic and autologous hematopoietic progenitor cell transplantation; immune effector cellular therapy; marrow and peripheral blood cellular therapy product collection; and cellular therapy product processing with minimal manipulation:

- Methodist Health Care Blood and Marrow Transplant Program, Memphis, Tennessee, USA
  Program Director: Yasser Khaled, MD

- UHN Blood and Marrow Transplant (BMT) Program, Toronto, Ontario, Canada
  Program Director: Christine Chen, MD

Adult allogeneic and autologous hematopoietic progenitor cell transplantation; immune effector cellular therapy; peripheral blood cellular therapy product collection; and cellular therapy product processing with minimal manipulation:

- University of Colorado Hospital, Blood Cancer and Bone Marrow Transplant Program, Aurora, Colorado, USA
  Program Director: Clayton Smith, MD

Pediatric allogeneic and autologous hematopoietic progenitor cell transplantation; immune effector cellular therapy; marrow and peripheral blood cellular therapy product collection; and cellular therapy product processing with minimal manipulation:

- Nationwide Children’s Hospital Blood and Marrow Transplant Program, Columbus, Ohio, USA
  Program Director: Jeffery Auletta, MD

Adult and pediatric allogeneic and autologous hematopoietic progenitor cell transplantation; marrow and peripheral blood cellular therapy product collection; and cellular therapy product processing with minimal and more than minimal manipulation:

- Spectrum Health Blood and Marrow Transplant Program, Grand Rapids, Michigan, USA
  Program Director: Muneer Abidi, MD

Adult allogeneic and autologous hematopoietic progenitor cell transplantation; marrow and peripheral blood cellular therapy product collection; and cellular therapy product processing with minimal manipulation:

- Ochsner Medical Center Leukemia, Blood and Marrow Transplantation Program, New Orleans, Louisiana, USA
  Program Director: Laura Finn, MD

- Sutter Medical Center, Sacramento Blood and Marrow Transplant Program, Sacramento, California, USA
  Program Director: Michael P. Carroll, MD

Adult allogeneic and autologous hematopoietic progenitor cell transplantation; peripheral blood cellular therapy product collection; and cellular therapy product processing with minimal manipulation:

- Avera McKennan Transplant Institute, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, USA
  Program Director: Kelly McCaul, MD

- Baptist Cancer Center Malignant Hematology & Transplant Program, Memphis, Tennessee, USA
  Program Director: Salil Goorha, MD

- The Blood and Marrow Transplant Program of the Greenville Health System Cancer Institute, Greenville, South Carolina, USA
  Program Director: Suzanne Fanning, DO

- The Coleman Foundation Blood and Marrow Transplant Center at Rush University Medical Center, Chicago, Illinois, USA
  Program Director: Celalettin Ustun, MD
• St. Luke’s Mountain States Tumor Institute Blood and Marrow Transplant Program, Boise, Idaho, USA  
  Program Director: Finn Bo Petersen, MD

  **Adult autologous hematopoietic progenitor cell transplantation; peripheral blood cellular therapy product collection; and cellular therapy product processing with minimal manipulation**

• The University of Vermont Medical Center, Burlington, Vermont, USA  
  Program Director: Julian Sprague, MD

  **Peripheral blood cellular therapy product collection and cellular therapy product processing with minimal manipulation:**

• Oklahoma Blood Institute (OBI), Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, USA  
  Program Director: Tuan Le, MD

• The Blood Connection, Piedmont, South Carolina, USA  
  Program Director: Robert O. Rainer, MD, MBA

  **Cellular therapy product processing with minimal and more than minimal manipulation:**

• Medical University of South Carolina Center for Cellular Therapy, Charleston, South Carolina, USA  
  Program Director: Satish Nadig, MD, PhD

  **Cellular therapy product processing with minimal manipulation:**

• Canadian Blood Services – Ottawa, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada  
  Program Director: Heidi Elmoazzen, PhD

• ClinImmune Labs, Aurora, Colorado, USA  
  Program Director: Brian M. Freed, PhD

The cord blood bank accreditation actions were:

  **CORD BLOOD BANK INITIAL ACCREDITATIONS**

  **Cord blood collection, banking, and release for administration of unrelated and related donations:**

• UNICATT Cord Blood Bank, Rome, Italy  
  Program Director: Gina Zini, MD

  **CORD BLOOD BANK ACCREDITATION RENEWALS**

  **Cord blood collection, banking, and release for administration of unrelated donations:**

• BMDI Cord Blood Bank, Parkville, Victoria, Australia  
  Program Director: Ngaire Elwood, PhD

• Sydney Cord Blood Bank, Randwick, New South Wales, Australia  
  Program Director: Guy Klamer, PhD