PLASMA DONATION IS SAFE

FOR PLASMA DONATION, DONOR HEALTH IS THE TOP PRIORITY

Plasmapheresis is a process by which a donor only donates plasma (not whole blood). The entire process is supervised by professionally - trained medical staff





PLASMA DONATION PRESENTS A LOW RISK TO DONORS, SIMILAR TO BLOOD DONATION.² ⁴

PLASMA DONATION IS SAFE AND **DONOR ADVERSE EVENTS (DAEs)** ARE VERY RARE.

Assessment of over 12 million plasma donations of more than 1 million donors showed that less than

of plasma donations are associated with donor adverse events, most of which are mild.2

DONOR'S HEALTH CHECK IS MANDATORY

Every plasma donor must pass a medical health check before donating. Health checks improve health literacy and contribute to donors' healthy lifestyle.





PLASMA DONOR HEALTH IS **PROTECTED**

EU and Member States' regulatory agencies govern and inspect the operation of plasma donation centres, ensuring plasma donors' health. They set standards such as donation frequency and compensation.4,5



INDUSTRY STANDARDS TRACK **DONOR ADVERSE EVENTS**

The PPTA IQPP Standard for recording donor adverse events (DAEs) contributes to additional monitoring and safeguarding of donor health. 6

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