



MIRASOL®
PATHOGEN REDUCTION TECHNOLOGY SYSTEM

HELPING YOU KEEP THE BLOOD SUPPLY SAFE IS OUR HIGHEST PRIORITY

# PATHOGEN REDUCTION MADE SIMPLE

Safeguarding the blood supply is critical. Pathogen reduction provides you that added measure of security against disease-causing agents, including viruses, parasites, bacteria and white blood cells.

# Naturally, you want a partner you can trust.

The Mirasol Pathogen Reduction Technology (PRT) System uniquely uses the properties of riboflavin (vitamin B2) and ultraviolet light to reduce the infectious pathogen load and inactivate residual white blood cells in blood products.\*

The Mirasol system renders pathogens harmless by using a non-mutagenic, non-toxic method, eliminating the need to remove photochemical agents prior to transfusion – making your treated blood products immediately available to treat patients.

Using a single, integrated system for platelets and plasma, Terumo BCT's proprietary process delivers:

SAFETY | EFFICACY | SIMPLICITY

# YOUR SYSTEM FOR PLATELETS AND PLASMA

MIRASOL PRT IS THE OBVIOUS CHOICE FOR PATHOGEN REDUCTION



THE MIRASOL SYSTEM IS DESIGNED TO BE EFFECTIVE AGAINST A BROAD RANGE OF PATHOGENS WHILE STILL MAINTAINING THE QUALITY OF APHERESIS AND WHOLE BLOOD-DERIVED BLOOD PRODUCTS. PERFORMANCE DEMONSTRATED AGAINST:

- VIRUSES: Enveloped and non-enveloped¹-³
- BACTERIA: Gram negative and gram positive<sup>4</sup>
- PARASITES<sup>5-9</sup>

WHITE BLOOD CELLS (WBCS): Inactivation of WBCs in donated blood products may reduce immunological complications of transfusion<sup>10-12</sup>

# Safety established

Mirasol-treated components have been shown to be safe for transfusion recipients as well as for those who handle blood products.

- Riboflavin is non-toxic and non-mutagenic; no additional precautionary measures necessary for staff
- Riboflavin and its photoproducts are already present in human blood and do not need to be removed from blood products prior to transfusion<sup>13</sup>
- The safety of the Mirasol process has been demonstrated through extensive toxicology testing<sup>14</sup>
- No adverse events were attributed to the use of Mirasol-treated platelet products or to the use of the Mirasol PRT system in a well-controlled patient trial<sup>15</sup>

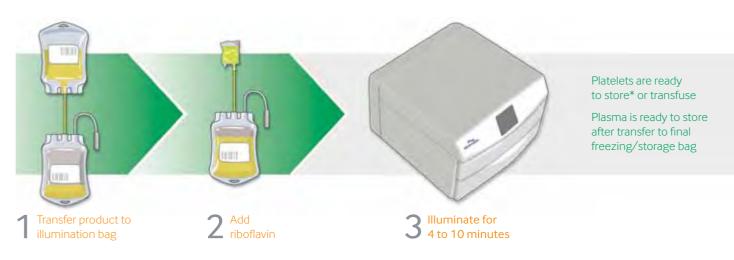
# Efficacy maintained

Reduce pathogen load while providing quality platelets and fresh frozen plasma (FFP).

- The MIRACLE clinical trial confirmed no increased need for platelet or red blood cell transfusions in patients receiving Mirasol-treated platelets¹5
- This trial also showed Corrected Count Increments (CCI) remained stable throughout multiple transfusions of Mirasol-treated platelets¹5
- Mirasol-treated FFP preserves levels of coagulants and anticoagulants that meet the Council of Europe guidelines for untreated FFP<sup>16-18</sup>

# Simplicity by design

Easy to learn. Easy to operate. Flexible. Limited handling and minimal product loss with the Mirasol process help keep your operations efficient. In addition, our fully integrated data capture and storage software system, the Mirasol Manager, ensures accurate reporting and simplified data management.



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