

### Summary of decisions made regarding change of use of Technology or Clinical Practice (TCP) in 2009

The tool for change of use applications was designed to inform the Southern Health Technology/Clinical Practice Committee (TCPC) of any changes of use to current TCPs and to identify potential risks for the patient, clinician or organisation as a result of the change.

Based on the information provided by clinicians, below is a list of change of use applications reviewed by the Southern Health TCPC.

<b>Title</b>	<b>Leucodepletion filters for red blood cell transfusion</b>				
<b>Program</b>	Medicine	<b>Department/Unit</b>	Haematology	<b>Reviewed by TCPC</b>	08/05/2009
<b>Brief summary of change of use</b>	Removal of leucodepletion filters is no longer required				
<input type="checkbox"/> New indication for current patient group	<input type="checkbox"/> New patient group	<input type="checkbox"/> Modification of equipment	<input type="checkbox"/> New operators/practitioners	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other	
<b>Reason for change of use</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Safety	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Effectiveness	<input type="checkbox"/> Cost Effectiveness		
<b>Decision</b>					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Approved</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Approved with conditions</b> ( <i>see below</i> )		<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Not Approved</b>	
<b>Conditions of Approval</b>					
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ No further action required</li> </ul>					

<b>Title</b>	<b>Elevate anterior and posterior (American Medical Systems)</b>				
<b>Program</b>	Women's and Childrens	<b>Department/Unit</b>		<b>Reviewed by TCPC</b>	09/10/2009
<b>Brief summary of change of use</b>	Mesh reinforced kit used for pelvic organ prolapse surgery (for recurrent prolapse) which is an improvement of currently used anchored kits by removing the need for mesh arms introduced via external trochars. The same monofilament polypropylene mesh is used and attached to the same ligamentous structures via a polypropylene tissue anchor rather than external trochars.				
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SH Policy	Quality and Risk Management	ACHS	Leadership and Management
Reviewer	Director, Centre for Clinical Effectiveness	Last review date	October 2009
Authoriser	Chair, Technology/Clinical Practice Committee	Next review date	October 2011