

CHANGES TO AATB STANDARDS FOR TISSUE BANKING

SECTION D - ACQUISITION OF TISSUE: AUTHORIZATION, INFORMED CONSENT, DONOR SCREENING, AND TISSUE RECOVERY AND COLLECTION

D5.000 RECOVERY AND COLLECTION POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

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(the general standard is followed by A-, C-, V-, MS-, OA, and S-specific standards that remain unchanged)

(with amendments)

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