

# CHANGES TO AATB STANDARDS FOR TISSUE BANKING

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## SECTION E - PROCESSING, PRESERVATION, QUARANTINE, AND STORAGE

### E1.000 PROCESSING, PRESERVATION, QUARANTINE, AND STORAGE— GENERAL

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