

Octaplex: work fast this is an EMERGENCY

Indications:

- **EMERGENCY reversal of Warfarin**
- **Factor II or X deficiency**

Activation:

- Request from Haematology On-Call
(This can happen before CT)
- Weight - Estimate if unknown
- INR
- Send request to Transfusion on PINK blood product form

Contraindications &

Caution:

- Allergy
- DIC
- Previous HIT
(heparin induced thrombocytopenia)
- High risk Thrombosis
- Recent MI
- Uncompensated Liver disease
- Pregnancy
- Sepsis

Prescribing:

- Typically 2000-3000 units (Haematologist will give the dose)
- Send request and collect from Transfusion
- Each 500 units made up to 20ml (blue colour)
 - 1st 5min 1ml per min (Observing for allergy)
 - Then increase rate by 1ml per min (every 1-2 min)
 - Maximum rate 8ml per min

Full dose is typically given within 30min

Monitoring:

- Repeat INR between 20-30min of infusion finishing
- If response inadequate discuss with Haematologist