

# **EBMT Registry**

## User manual for data editors and data viewers

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## **New EBMT Registry**

If not stated otherwise, in the context of the current manual, the term EBMT Registry is used to describe the web application created to collect, view, edit and retrieve data and associated with the application databases.

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** the EBMT Registry is in an ongoing development process. Screenshots in this manual might be slightly different from the live application. We strive for having the most up to date information. All references to exports and data queries are for a future release.

## **Objectives**

## Why do we need a new EBMT Registry?

The purpose of the EBMT Registry is to provide a pool of data to EBMT members to perform studies, assess epidemiological trends and ultimately improve patients' lives. The EBMT Registry underpins extensive European research that translates into changes in clinical practice, patient outcomes and care improvements. With constant development of the field, the data set to be collected changes, thus the database also needs to change and adapt to reflect the latest trends. In recent decades, EBMT members used services such as ProMISe (Project Manager Internet Server) and Castor to collect, enter and use information about their patients and donors. Unfortunately, these services could not accommodate all the needs of EBMT members, thus it was decided that a completely new EBMT Registry should be created.

EBMT involved their staff, software developers, analytical specialists, doctors, representatives of different medical centres, regional and national organisations and other stakeholders to ensure that the new EBMT Registry satisfies everyone's needs.

It is important to note that after extensive data quality checks, the data collected by EBMT since 1974 is to be securely transferred to the new EBMT Registry where it can be used by users within their access rights.

## EBMT Registry database structure

The EBMT Registry is a flexible data entry web application, connected to a fast and responsive live application database, enabling users to enter and retrieve data. The application database is then connected to the analytical database where all the data is restructured and organised according to the Observational Medical Outcomes Partnership (OMOP) Common Data Model (CDM) (for more details on OMOP CDM please refer to <a href="https://ohdsi.github.io/CommonDataModel/">https://ohdsi.github.io/CommonDataModel/</a>).

Splitting the databases has allowed EBMT to separate and accommodate the data entry needs from the analytical needs. A lot of work has been done for the EBMT Registry database to acquire an internationally recognised standardised OMOP CDM analytical database which is patient-centric, flexible and extendable. This is deemed to cover EBMT requirements and will offer new possibilities in terms of data analysis to EBMT partners and stakeholders.



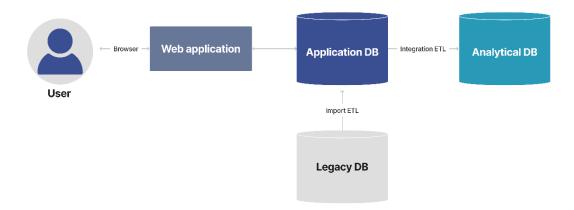


Image 1, schematic view of EBMT Registry application setup

EBMT legacy data (i.e. all the data collected by EBMT before the EBMT Registry went live) was extracted from ProMISe and Castor, transformed and loaded into the EBMT Registry application database and then, through integration ETL, also loaded to the analytical database. ETL is a type of data integration that refers to the three steps: extract, transform and load; it is used to organise data from multiple sources.

It is important to note that the EBMT Registry application database always reflects the latest state of data, which is then copied, transformed and transferred into the analytical database according to a predefined schedule (currently once per 24 hours), thus there is expected delay to have data changes reflected in the analytical database. Otherwise, the data is considered to be equivalent, only organised in two different ways: the application database is event-centric, and the analytical database is patient-centric.

The information shown via the user interface of the EBMT Registry is always the latest.

## Technical requirements and specifications

In order to access and work smoothly with the EBMT Registry, the users need to comply with the following technical requirements:

- 1. Computer with a stable internet connection. The EBMT Registry is a web-based application and requires access to the internet to load web pages.
- 2. Computer with a mouse, touchpad, touchscreen or similar device to navigate around the screen interface.
- 3. One of the following supported internet browsers:
  - *Google Chrome*: the latest two versions of the browser on all operating systems.
  - Mozilla Firefox: the latest two versions of the browser on all operating systems.
  - Microsoft Edge: the latest two versions of the browser on Windows operating system.
  - Safari: the latest two versions of the browser on iOS and macOS operating systems.
  - It is expected that other browsers also work correctly with the EBMT Registry, but it was not possible to perform sufficient testing and guarantee its high performance.
- 4. A screen that has a resolution of 1080p or higher. Screens with lower resolution were not tested, thus the correct layout of the web pages cannot be guaranteed.
- 5. A personal work email address to which the user has access. Shared emails must not be used.
- 6. Authenticator application: it can be MFA for smartphone, tablet or computer. (see <u>Multi-factor</u> <u>authentication</u>).



#### Multi-factor authentication

Multi-factor authentication (MFA) with an authenticator application is mandatory to enter the EBMT Registry. It is a security feature that requires users to provide multiple forms of identification to access EBMT Registry and patients/donors information. One of the MFA applications must be installed on the user's computer, tablet, or smartphone:

- Google authenticator;
- Twilio Authy (desktop app);
- Microsoft Authenticator;
- 1Password (desktop app);
- Symantec VIP Access app;
- LastPass Authenticator;
- 2FAS;
- Duo Mobile;
- Dashlane (desktop app);
- Bitwarden (desktop app);
- Authenticator App by 2Stable (app for iPhone, iPad, iPod, Apple Watch and Mac);
- Step Two:
- TOTP Authenticator (desktop app, this is a browser extension).

This means that this MFA device shall always be available and used when a user needs to <u>Sign in</u> to the EBMT Registry. If a MFA device becomes unavailable (e.g. lost, stolen, broken, or replaced by a new device), the user should contact the EBMT Registry Helpdesk by emailing <u>registryhelpdesk@ebmt.org</u> to <u>reset MFA settings</u> for this user.

#### **User session**

It is essential to note that once a user signs in and enters the EBMT Registry, the user session remains active. For security reasons, the user session will expire automatically, and the user will be signed off after 20 minutes without activity. Termination of the user's session means that the user is signed out, and the sign-in page is shown on the screen.



Image 2, Warning on automatic termination of user session due to inactivity

Important: EBMT Registry does have active termination of a user's session after 20 minutes of inactivity, it means that during that time, the information on the web page remains visible. Thus, users are strongly advised to use the <u>Sign out</u> process and lock the computer screen even for short periods of time to prevent unauthorised access to the data.

## Is there a transition period?

ProMISe and Castor, which have been the staple point so far, will be closed for data entry, and after a short timeout period, data entry to the EBMT Registry will be open. Nevertheless, for a limited period of



time (exact dates to be communicated to users in the EBMT Registry newsletter or other official communications), users will still be able to access ProMISe and/or Castor to view or extract previously entered data.

Complete migration of the database will happen in stages and will be finished post-go-live. This means that some data field values will not be migrated when going live, and up till then, affected data fields will be clearly marked (see more details <a href="here">here</a>). Once migration is finished, users will be able to see all legacy data automatically.

Once the EBMT Registry is open, users can enter data for their patients and donors (reports on diagnosis, treatments, follow-ups, etc.), register new patients or donors, and use the system as described in the current Manual.

The EBMT Registry starts being used with its core and minimum functionality to ensure the data collection does not stop. In the meantime, the process of development will continue. The EBMT members and other involved stakeholders will be informed about new versions and additional functions once they are ready.

## Main changes compared to the previous systems

The EBMT Registry application is more user-friendly and flexible in terms of reflecting and adapting to the new requirements.

The EBMT Registry consists of two big registries: Patient registry and Donor outcome registry.

Patient data in the EBMT Registry is organised in a logical timeline, illustrating the date the diagnosis was stated, the treatment was carried out, the follow-up was done, etc. A patient record can have multiple event reports that are organised in chronological order.

Donor data in the EBMT Registry is now organised in the same way as the patient data; a donor record can have multiple event reports organised in chronological order.

As it was mentioned in previous sections, the EBMT Registry now has two databases: an application database and an analytical OMOP database. The OMOP database is a huge step and achievement as now the data in the EBMT Registry is organised in the globally recognised standardised format.

## Data ownership and protection

EBMT is strongly committed to protecting the privacy of personal data that we maintain about patients, donors, members and users of the EBMT Registry. The EBMT ensures that all personal data under its responsibility is processed according to the EU General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).

For more information on Data Protection and Privacy, please refer to the EBMT website <a href="https://www.ebmt.org/registry/data-privacy">https://www.ebmt.org/registry/data-privacy</a>.

#### Audit trail

The Audit trail is an important feature of the EBMT Registry to track changes made to data of <u>patients</u> and <u>donors</u>, users, <u>centres</u> and other <u>registered entities</u>. All actions are registered in the audit trail. The Audit trail information is not available to users of any roles but for a minimal number of specialists from EBMT Registry. This section describes its general overview and setup.



The audit trail is implemented with two main concepts in the EBMT Registry:

- 1. The **audit trail entries** provide an explicit event log of initiated actions and the circumstances in which they took place (who did what and when).
- 2. The **version histories** provide a detailed history of data fields throughout its lifetime what data was added/changed and why. Version histories cannot be used to back up or cancel changes. It is used purely for the trackability of actions.

Audit trail and version histories can be used separately or together.

This division was established to satisfy the regulatory requirements without impacting performance or compromising audit trail readability. Here below is a short summary of its specifications:

- Version histories contain data points which may describe sensitive data that is not to be shared outside of exceptional circumstances;
- Version histories represent data entities in their entirety, which makes it simpler to reconstruct what has happened after the change;
- The audit trail entries focus on what actions took place and can just refer to the new version of a data field that was created as a result;
- The audit trail entries do not contain sensitive material and can therefore be more easily exported or even shared if required.

Note: Further improvements are planned to be done to the Audit trail access post-go-live.

#### Wiki

The EBMT Registry will include a link to the specifically designed Wiki platform.



Image 3, the Wiki icon

Wiki is a document platform where EBMT Registry users can find useful information they might need in the process of data entry or interaction with the system, such as:

- EBMT Registry user manual for data viewer and data editor;
- Data collection forms manual;
- FAQ: frequently asked questions.

Users can search for the topics through the content, keywords or tags.



## **Patients and Donors**

#### **Patient**

A **Patient** is a person who received a haematopoietic cell transplantation (HCT) procedure; an individual with bone marrow failures receiving immunosuppressive therapies; and/or a person receiving cellular therapy.

The **EBMT Patient Registry** collects pseudonymised clinical data of consenting patients, including aspects of the diagnosis and disease, first-line treatments, HCT or cellular therapy-associated procedures, transplant type, donor type, stem cell source, complications and outcome. Patients are followed up indefinitely or as defined by EBMT (see Data collection forms manuals). Once registered, patients may only be deleted by the Administrator of the system if they withdraw their consent and specifically request their data to be removed from the EBMT Registry (see <u>Edit Patient consent</u>).

Every Patient in the EBMT Registry is registered as a unique individual and assigned with:

**EBMT patient ID** - is a unique patient identifier in the EBMT Registry that is generated automatically by the system in GUID / UUID format at the moment of patient registration in the EBMT Registry. It is a long code that contains letters (English alphabetic characters: a to z) and numbers (Arabic numerals: 0 to 9) for internal system use. It is not expected that users need to use it while interacting with EBMT Registry, but in case needed, the EBMT patient ID is shown in the <u>Patient menu</u> Edit patient details section.

Edit patient

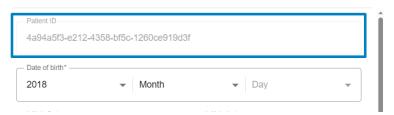


Image 4, the long EBMT patient ID

**EBMT short patient ID** - shortened version of the EBMT patient ID for the convenience of the users to be used to find patients in the system. The EBMT short ID consists of the last seven digits of the EBMT patient ID.

**UPN** (unique patient number) - the number/code used by the transplant centre or other entity to uniquely identify this patient. The organisations that input patient data have their own internal patient identifiers that should be entered into the EBMT Registry and are used for the duplicate checks. The users can also use UPN in order to search for patients.

In case of an error or change of UPN number, users are not able to correct the UPN through the user interface. Users should contact EBMT Registry Helpdesk, providing all the details on the case to request such a change.

All patients in the EBMT Registry are **linked** to one or more centres. This means that centres have access to the patient data.

For the users' convenience, the EBMT Registry will still keep the record of ProMISe ID for patients who were registered in ProMISe system and later migrated into the EBMT Registry. However, this field is not relevant and will be empty for patients registered in the new EBMT Registry.



Every Patient is registered with some general data (see <u>Add Patient</u>) and associated medical events (see <u>Add new event</u>). More details on data collection are provided in the Data collection forms manuals. If a patient does not consent to share their data with EBMT, said Patient cannot be registered in the EBMT Registry, and only minimal data on performed treatment can be collected (see <u>Anonymous events</u>).

#### **Patient event**

A patient event represents a significant occurrence related to a patient's medical condition. Every event in the EBMT Registry corresponds to a specific Data Collection Form. An event definition provides a way to document and track a patient's medical history over time, and it provides a comprehensive picture of the patient's health status and treatment progress or outcome.

## Patient event category

Since EBMT has a high number of patient events, they are grouped into the following **patient event** categories:

- Diagnosis: it includes forms for primary diagnosis that was an indication for the treatment and
  other non-indication diagnosis that may directly or indirectly influence the outcome of the
  treatment;
- *Treatment:* it includes treatment specific form Autologous HCT, Allogeneic HCT, Cellular therapy, IST, and Disease status at HCT/CT/IST;
- *Follow-up:* all follow-up (FU) forms, e.g. HCT Day 100 FU, HCT Annual and unscheduled FU, CT FU, etc.
- Other: study specific forms, etc.

Thus, every patient event contains a specific set of data (data fields) as per the corresponding Data Collection Form.

Some patient events also contain questions on donors and donated material, but this information is collected purely for the completeness of the specific Patient treatment and cannot be considered as donor registration (see <u>Donor outcome registry</u>).

When a new patient is being registered in the EBMT Registry, an <u>automated duplicate check</u> is performed: registration data of the new patient is compared to data of existing patients in the database. When a duplicate is suspected, the system warns the user and marks the new patient with a **tentative patient status**.

## **Tentative patient**

A Tentative patient is a temporary status automatically assigned to the patient by the system to mark that it is a possible duplicate of an existing patient earlier registered in the system. Only an <u>Administrator</u> can remove tentative status from the patient record after a more comprehensive and thorough evaluation.

An Administrator will revise the tentative patient record and follow up with the centre on such cases if needed. If the new patient is confirmed to be a duplicate of an existing one - the new patient will be deleted from the system. If it is confirmed that this is a unique patient, the Administrator will remove the tentative patient status, and the patient will then appear as a regular patient in the system.

Tentative patient status is assigned by the system to *possible* duplicates while comparing patient birthdate, initials, sex at birth, blood group, and rhesus factor to the data of existing patients (registered by any centre). If the existing and the new patient have the same UPN within the same centre, this is not



considered as a possible duplicate but an exact duplicate, thus the system will not allow registration of a duplicate showing the corresponding error (see <u>Duplicate check</u>).

#### Donor

A **Donor** is a person who is the source of cells or tissue for allogeneic HCT or cellular therapy product.

**EBMT Donor outcome registry** is a separate independent section of the EBMT Registry. It focuses on the collection of information on the health outcomes of consenting individuals who have donated their bone marrow cells or other cellular material for allogeneic HCT or immune cells for cellular therapy. Donors are registered in the EBMT Registry as separate individuals and do not have any system links with the recipients (patients). This was a specific requirement in order for the EBMT Registry to fulfil the European requirements for the donor registries.

Some Donor data is registered in the Patient registry (as mentioned above) to provide a complete set of data on transplant or product used for treatment. It may even contain some data fields as in the Donor outcome registry. Since the two databases are not linked, it was not possible to avoid registering some information twice (see respective data collection forms for more details).

Every Donor registered in the EBMT Registry represents a unique individual and is assigned with:

**EBMT donor ID** - is a unique donor identifier in the EBMT Registry that is generated automatically by the system in GUID / UUID format at the moment of patient registration in the EBMT Registry. It is a long code that contains letters (English alphabetic characters: a to z) and numbers (Arabic numerals: 0 to 9) for internal system use. It is not expected that users need to use it while interacting with EBMT Registry, but in case needed, the EBMT donor ID is shown in the <u>Donor menu</u> Edit donor details section.

**EBMT short donor ID** - shortened version of the EBMT donor ID for the convenience of the users to be used to find donors in the system. The EBMT short donor ID consists of the last 7 digits of the EBMT donor ID.

**Donor ID** - identification is given to a donor by the collection centre or centre responsible for follow-up. This field may be empty in case only GRID is used for this donor as an identifier.

**Global registration identifier for donors** (GRID) - see <a href="https://wmda.info/">https://wmda.info/</a> for more details on GRID. GRID is used mostly for unrelated donors. Some donors who do not have GRID assigned will have this data field empty, and only Donor ID will be used, as explained above.

Note: The concept 'GRID for life' was withdrawn in 2017. Every issuing organisation (IO) is currently allowed to assign a new GRID to an existing but relocated donor.

Every Donor is registered with some general data as requested in the Donor Registration form and associated donor events.

## **Donor event**

There are two donor events: the one to report details on the donation procedure and 30 days follow-up and another one for long term follow-up. All donations of a particular individual are registered under the same donor. Information on donors is entered into the EBMT Registry by the transplant centre (or Donor Registry in case of unrelated donors).



## **Users**

#### **Users**

The EBMT Registry is designed to be used by various individuals with different necessities and tasks, including, but not limited to:

- Principal Investigators,
- Data Managers,
- Other authorised staff members of a centre or hospital,
- National registries in the field of blood and/or bone marrow transplantation and IEC therapy (upon request and based on signed agreement),
- Donor centres and registries authorised staff members,
- EBMT research staff,
- Registry support team,
- Authorised Auditors or Data Monitors (perform source document verification).

A **User** is an EBMT member listed on a centre's team member list or EBMT staff who interacts with or makes use of the EBMT Registry. This includes individuals who browse content, perform searches, input or download data, or engage in any other activity within the application.

Users are registered in the EBMT Registry based on the information provided by the PI in the **EBMT Registry User Account Request form** that includes the following data: user's first name, last name (surname), email address, details of organisation/entity they represent, etc.

**User ID** - is a unique user identifier in the EBMT Registry that is generated automatically by the system at the moment of user registration in the EBMT Registry. It contains seven digits and is used when it is needed to provide a reference to a particular user within the system without sharing their personal information. User ID can be found in *the User profile*.



Image 5, the user ID in the EBMT Registry

Note: To access the new EBMT Registry database, Principal Investigators (PIs) need to submit the request on behalf of their staff members using *EBMT Registry User Account Request form*. Only requests on behalf of EBMT members listed on the centre's team member list will be accepted, all individuals must register using their professional email addresses.

Users are linked to one or multiple <u>Centres</u> and/or <u>Virtual Registries</u>. This means that they represent this organisation/entity and that this organisation/entity authorises this individual to access a particular set of data and perform some tasks (see <u>Context</u> for more details).

When a user Signs up and Signs in to the EBMT Registry, they should indicate the following data:

#### **Username**

This username can be used for login purposes only. It is created by the user and can contain letters, numbers and/or special characters and cannot contain any white spaces. This is not the user's first and last name, though it can contain it if the user prefers.



#### **Email**

This is a work personal user email specified in the *EBMT Registry User Account Request form*. In case the user inputs any other personal email, they will not be able to access the requested context and will need to go through the first sign-up process once again (as a new user) with the email specified in the *EBMT Registry User Account Request form*.

#### **Password**

This is the personal password that the user will use to enter EBMT Registry. It must satisfy all the requirements as explained under the password field, and it must:

- contain a lowercase letter;
- contain an uppercase letter;
- contain a number;
- contain at least eight characters;
- contain a special character or a space;
- not contain a leading or trailing space.

The password can be changed if needed. See **Change password** for instructions.

## Active/inactive users

The users in the EBMT Registry may be set as *Active* or *Inactive* by the EBMT Registry administrator or automatically.

**Inactive users** cannot get access to any data in the database. They are able to Sign in (if they have registered their username/email and created a password) but will see the message notifying them that they do not have an active account.

**Active users** can sign in to the EBMT Registry (if they registered their username/email and created a password) and then can see/access data of patients or donors linked to their centre/VR only if they have active context (if their centre or VR are set as active). If they do not have a context assigned by the administrator, or if they are linked to one inactive centre or VR, they will see an error message.

Important: The EBMT Registry will automatically change the user account from Active to Inactive when a user tries to log in after three or more months of not entering the system. Users should contact the EBMT Registry Helpdesk by emailing <a href="mailto:registryhelpdesk@ebmt.org">registryhelpdesk@ebmt.org</a> to reactivate their user.



Image 6, the warning message for inactive users (L) and the message for active users with no linked context (R)

#### User role

The User role refers to the set of permissions granted to a user in the EBMT Registry. Depending on their **role**, users will have access to a different set of functionalities necessary to perform their duties.

In other words, the user role defines what a user can and cannot do within the EBMT Registry.



There are the following roles in the EBMT Registry:

- 1. **Administrator**: oversees all other roles and manages the links between a user and centre/VR, between centre and VR, manages users (adds new users, activates or deactivates users). An administrator has access to all the functionalities other role types have.
- 2. **Data viewer**: can view and export entered data within their context.
- 3. Data editor: can view, add, edit and export data within their context; can see and answer data queries.
- 4. **Data monitor**: this role is designed for EBMT or external monitors and allows to view data, perform source document verification (SDV), and/or manage data queries. By managing queries, it is understood that a data monitor can open, answer or close a query on a particular data field from a patient event.

The roles are assigned by the EBMT Registry administrator within each user context (see <u>Context</u> for more details) based on submitted *EBMT Registry User Account Request form*. There is a separate form for Data viewers and Data editors.

The user role can be changed at any point to suit the needs of the user's work, allowing flexibility. If the user needs to change the role, the *EBMT Registry User Account Request form* has to be filled in with the new requested role, properly signed and sent to the EBMT Helpdesk. The user also needs to complete the EBMT traia ning for the required role.

#### **Data viewer**

The data viewer role allows the user to access minimal functionality in the EBMT Registry and thus users require minimum training.

It is an important role and should be used/requested for users who do not perform data entry, as this is the major functionality not available for data viewers. Instead, the data viewer focus is on accessing the patient/donor data (within the scope of patients or donors they received authorisation to access), on reviewing and analysing the data that has already been entered.

#### **Data editor**

The data editor role allows users to access the functionality for data viewers and, additionally, data entry-related ones in the EBMT Registry.

It is an important role and should be used/requested for users who perform data entry (enter or edit data). As a data editor, such users have the ability to access, modify, and enter patient or donor data into the system and export data (within the scope of patients or donors they received authorisation to access). This role requires a high level of attention to detail and accuracy. This means users with a data editor role require more advanced training compared to data viewers.



## Centres and virtual registries

The users receive access to the scope of data through the organisation/entity they represent. There are the following two main types of such organisations/entities:

- EBMT member centres (including donor centres);
- Virtual registries.

#### Centre

Centres use the EBMT Registry to enter and store their patients' and donors' data while simultaneously making it available to the EBMT. Members submitting data can access and use their own data for their own purposes; they do not require permission and do not need to notify the EBMT. Member centres users have access to their own data at all times. Thus, every user can see in the EBMT Registry only pseudonymised data of patients they have access to.

Registration centre is the centre that created the patient or donor record in the EBMT Registry. This centre will have access to the patient/donor record and patient events data even if later the patient continues the treatment in another centre or donor is being followed-up by another centre. Every patient/donor is linked to one or more centres. The registration centre is always marked in the patient/donor details. In case the registration centre disappears as an organisation (it is closed, merges with another centre, etc.), the new centre responsible for this patient will be identified and marked in the EBMT Registry as a patient registration centre. All such changes are reflected in the <u>audit trail</u> and can be done only by the EBMT Registry administrator.

In many cases a patient or donor is being followed-up by multiple centres, all these centres are called **reporting centres**. Thus, the access to the patient or donor record is granted to other centres involved in the data collection process through the specific form available at EBMT <u>website</u>. Access to the patient/donor record is provided for an indefinite period.

Note: When referring to 'patients of a centre', it is understood all patients the centre has access to, even if this centre is not a registration centre for some of these patients.

**Centre Identification Code (CIC)** - is a unique 3-4 number code (Arabic numerals: 0 to 9) assigned to every centre in the EBMT Registry. This code is used in official communications between the EBMT and the respective centre. This item is essential for proper registration of the data submitted by the centre, as well as for other processes in the application.

## Virtual registry

**Virtual registry (VR)** is a term used to describe a number of organisations that require access to the EBMT Registry for their users and include:

- Centre-based VR (CBVR);
- Filter-based VR (FBVR);
- Hybrid VR (HVR).

**CIC** term is also used to define a unique 3-4 number code (Arabic numerals: 0 to 9) assigned to every Virtual registry in the EBMT Registry. This code is used in official communications between the EBMT and the respective VR. This item is essential for the proper registration of the data and the correct setting of access rights.



## Centre-based VR (CBVR)

It is a group of users that require access to certain centres' patient/donor data. Usually, it is an organisation that unites a number of centres based on certain criteria (regional registries, national registries, group of centres, etc.).

Representatives of centre-based VRs require access to data of patients that belong to their member centres only. For some countries, it is also a legal requirement for the national registries to have access to the data of the centres in their territory and supervise and control their activities.

## Filter-based VR (FBVR)

FBVR is a group of users that require access to patients' and/or donors' data based on certain filtering criteria (it does not matter what centre the patient belongs to). For example, a group of scientists that study a specific topic and need access to pseudonymised patient data in the EBMT Registry that satisfies a very particular set of criteria (patients with a particular diagnosis, that underwent particular treatment, born in a specific period, etc.).

Practical example: EBMT Study group as a Filter-based VR will have access to the patient's data from different centres based on their research target group criteria (e.g. age, diagnosis, transplantation type, etc.).

## Hybrid VR (HVR)

HVR is a combination of centre and filter-based VR when a group of users require access to a specifically filtered pool of patients and/or donors from a certain list of centres.

Practical example: EBMT recognised study group focused on the analysis of data of patients from particular territory is seen as Hybrid VRs, which will have access to a pool of patients' data that satisfy specific criteria from a certain list of centres.

## Active/inactive centre or VR

Administrators only can set the centre or VR status as **active** or **inactive**. Centre/VR can be set as inactive in some rare cases, for example, in order to protect the security of their data, as per legal requirements or if centre/VR does not exist anymore.

Note: Centres/VRs are not deactivated automatically by the system due to inactivity. Deactivation is always done by the EBMT Registry administrator.

<u>If the centre/VR is inactive</u>: users linked to this centre/VR cannot choose it as their context, and thus, they are not able to access the patients or donors within this context.

If the centre/VR is set as active: users linked to this centre/VR can see it in the list of their context (in the context menu), choose this centre as their context, and thus they are able to access the patients or donors within this context.

If a centre/VR as an organisation is to be closed, merged with another one, or the structure changes and splits, this should be reported to the EBMT Registry Helpdesk as soon as possible so that the EBMT Registry administrator can link the patients (registered by this centre) to the correct centres/VRs and make all necessary amendments. This will ensure a smooth and continuous data access and data entry process.



## Context

**Context** - is a section of the database (data of a specific list of patients/donors linked to a centre or VR) that the user can access to perform their duties in the EBMT Registry.

The name of the context is the CIC and the name of a centre or VR that authorised the user to access their patients' data. Context is always linked to the user role.

Every patient in the system is linked to one or more centres (registration centre, reporting centre, etc.). Patients may be also linked to some VRs. Context is the scope of patients a centre, or VR has access to and their data. Users cannot be linked to any patient directly. They can only use the Centre-patient or VR-patient link.



Image #, schematic view of patient linking to a center

If a user does not have access to any context or their context Centre/VR is <u>inactive</u>, they are still able to sign in, but they will see the message notifying them about this at the homepage of the application. All users should submit a properly filled and signed *EBMT Registry User Account Request form* and pass training certification to have their user activated and context assigned. If a user has already fulfilled all the steps but sees an error stating (s)he does not have access to any Context, the user should contact the EBMT Registry Helpdesk.

There are users that, due to their work particularities, have **multiple roles** and need different permissions and functionality within the EBMT Registry (e.g. they are doing patient data entry in one centre, work in a national registry and at the same time are doing a research study in the EBMT working party). In this case, the user uses the system in different contexts. For each context, the user might have the same or different role and thus, a different set of rights and permissions (see the diagram below as an example).

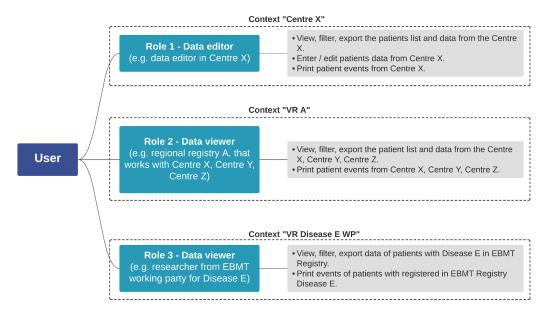


Image 8, description of a user that has multiple roles in multiple contexts



Important: in case a user has access to multiple contexts, these contexts exist independently and the user is assigned a role per each context, the rights and permissions of the user might be different in each context and are not combined.

Every user can have only one user account, which means this user is registered with one email and username and uses one password to enter the EBMT Registry. In case of multiple roles, a user logs into the system and the last used context is loaded. The user can change the context (s)he wants to work.

Only users with access to multiple contexts can switch between the contexts and can choose in which context to work without the need to log out. This can be done through the <u>Context menu</u>.



## Interface and screen layout

The EBMT Registry layout is designed to provide a seamless user experience. The screen is divided into the following sections:

- 1. The EBMT Registry logo is always shown on the left upper side of the screen.
- 2. The header displaying the name of the section the user is currently viewing (displayed on the main screen)
- 3. Context menu showing the current context name and the role of the user in this context.
- 4. Navigation menu for accessing different sections of the application quickly and easily.
- 5. The main screen is where the content of the opened section is displayed.
- 6. EBMT Registry version.

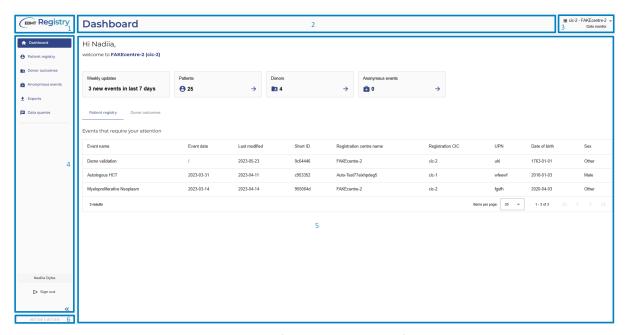


Image 9, landing page of the EBMT Registry after logging in

For sections and main screens where the overviews and long list of items is shown (like Patient registry overview, Donor outcomes overview, etc.) there is also used <u>Pagination</u> at the bottom of the main screen.

## Context menu

Context menu is always shown in the upper right corner of the screen regardless of what part of the EBMT Registry the user is currently in. By default, it shows the name of the Context, the user currently in and the user's role in this Context (see Image 10).



Image 10 Context menu

Users with access to multiple contexts can click on any part of the menu, and a dropdown list with all available contexts for the user will open. This list will contain only active centres or VRs and show the CIC and the name of the Centre/VR. The User role is not visible in the dropdown list.

For users with access to one context, the context menu will always show the name of the context they have access to. They cannot see the dropdown list.



## Navigation menu

Navigation menu is always displayed in the application on the left side of the screen. It includes the following navigation buttons:

Name (in full view)	Icon	Description
Dashboard	<b>^</b>	A button to go to the dashboard, which is the homepage of the EBMT Registry (see <u>Dashboard</u> ).
Patient registry	8	A button to open the patient's overview list in the user's current context (see Patient registry).
Donor outcomes		A button to open the donors overview list in the user's current context (see Donor outcomes).
Anonymous events	Ĥ	A button to open a registry of treatments for non-consenting patients.
Wiki	<b>(</b>	A button to open <u>Wiki</u> portal.
User profile		A button with the user name or initials to open My profile details.
Sign out	→	A button to sign out (log out) from the EBMT Registry.
	<b>«</b>	A button to switch from Navigation menu full view to compact view.
	<b>&gt;&gt;</b>	A button to switch from Navigation menu compact view to full view.

Table 1, icons used in the EBMT Registry and their descriptions

When the section is opened in the main window, the button is highlighted, e.g.



turns into





The navigation menu can be shown in *full* or *compact view*, the users can switch between them at their convenience by pressing the double arrow button. The compact view was designed to display more information on a user's main screen while working with the database.

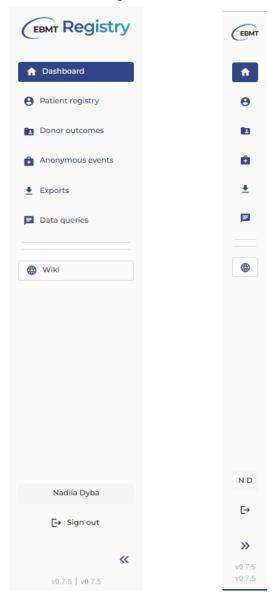


Image 11, Navigation menu in full and compact view

## **Dashboard**

The dashboard is the home page of the EBMT Registry application. It always shows a greeting message with the user name and the context the user is currently in.



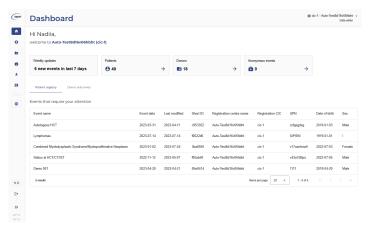


Image 12, the dashboard that is visible after logging in

Whenever the user changes their context, they are always redirected to the dashboard with the greeting message containing the chosen context.

In the current version of the EBMT Registry, the dashboard will contain some general information about the patients/donors recently registered in the user context as well as useful links to data requiring the user's attention, e.g. patient records with errors or warnings and some other.

Additional information and functionality will be added to the dashboard in the next versions of the application.



## **Patient registry**

Patient registry is part of the EBMT Registry that contains information on <u>patients</u> registered in the EBMT Registry and their <u>events</u>.

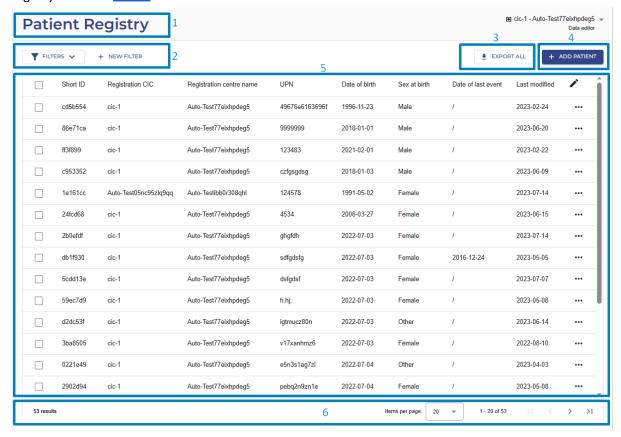


Image 13, patient registry overview

## Patient registry overview page

Patient registry overview page shows:

1. Patient Registry title. Users without editing rights (e.g. with data viewer role) will see *Read only* sign next to it, reinforcing the functionality available to them.



Image 14, Patient Registry title displayed for Data Viewers

- 2. Buttons to set up/apply filtering of the patient list (see Filters).
- 3. Export all button to export the full context (not available yet).
- 4. *Add patient* button to add or create a new Patient in the EBMT Registry (see <u>Add Patient</u>). This button is not visible to Data viewers.
- 5. The list of registered patients (in the user context) with their data summary. The information in the Patient registry overview page is presented in the table, where each row corresponds to a separate patient, and columns provide the following details:

Column name	Column can be used for sorting	Description
Short ID	Yes	EBMT patient short ID.



Column name	Column can be used for sorting	Description
Registration centre CIC	Yes	The CIC of the centre that registered the patient in the EBMT Registry.
Registration centre name	Yes	The name of the centre that registered the patient in the EBMT Registry.
UPN	Yes	<ul> <li>If the context is a VR - the UPN for the registration centre is shown.</li> <li>If the context is a centre - the UPN for the context centre is shown.</li> </ul>
Date of birth	Yes	Patient date of birth as per Patient registration data.
Sex at birth	Yes	Patient sex at birth as per Patient registration data.
Date of last event	No	Date of the last registered event for this patient (the event with the most recent date). The event that is shown last (to the right) in the Patient timeline.
Last modified	No	Date the latest changes were done to any of the patient data/events.

Table 2, items in the Patient Registry overview

There is also a checkbox at the beginning of each table row to select the patient that corresponds to this row, if it is needed (see <u>Selection</u>).

6. Pagination section.

<u>Tentative patients</u> are marked in the patient overview list, and the line that corresponds to a tentative patient is greyed out (Image 15) and visible to data editors and administrators.

	Short ID	Registration CIC	Registration centre name	UPN	Date of birth ↑	Sex	Date of last event	Last modified
	8b52e38	cic-1	Auto-Teste2xefa3qgrw	1	2022	Male	1	2022-11-18
	fad344f	cic-1	Auto-Teste2xefa3qgrw	1	2022	Male	2023-03-15	2023-03-15
	5b1a3ec	cic-1	Auto-Teste2xefa3qgrw	1	2022	Female	1	2022-10-27
	ed7bf98	SHD-TEST	SHD-TEST	1	2022	Male	2023-03-31	2023-02-22
	2a8709d	cic-4	FAKEcentre-4	/	2022	Female	1	2022-08-31
	0e24739	cic-1	Auto-Teste2xefa3qgrw	1	2022	Male	1	2022-11-18
	911085a	1	1	/	2022-01-01	Other	2023-03-09	2023-03-10
	9427d28	cic-4	FAKEcentre-4	/	2022-01-01	Female	1	2023-03-17
4								<b>+</b>

Image 15, Patient registry overview: registered patients versus tentative patients

The details on patient specific page layout and content are explained in the <u>Patient page</u> section.



## Donor outcome registry

Donor outcome registry is part of the EBMT Registry that contains information on <u>donors</u> registered in the EBMT Registry and associated with these donors <u>events</u>.

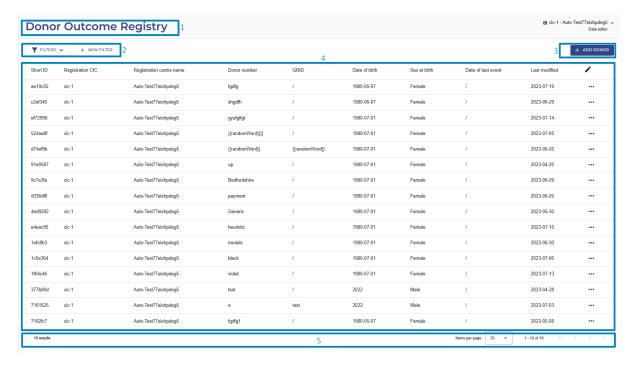


Image 16, Donor Outcome Registry overview

#### Donor outcome registry overview page

Donor outcome registry overview page shows:

1. Donor Outcome Registry title. Users without editing rights (e.g. with data viewer role) will see the *Read only* sign next to it, reinforcing the functionality available to them.



Image 17, Donor Outcome Registry title displayed for Data Viewers

- 2. Buttons to set up/apply filtering of the donor list (see <u>Filters</u>).
- 3. *Add donor* button to add or create a new <u>Donor</u> in the EBMT Registry (see <u>Add Donor</u>). This button is not visible for Data viewers.
- 4. The list of registered donors (in the user context) with their data summary.
- 5. Pagination section.

The information in the Donor outcome registry overview page is presented in table 3, where each row corresponds to a separate donor, and columns provide the following details:

Column name	Column can be used for sorting	Description
Short ID	Yes	EBMT donor short ID
Registration centre CIC	Yes	The CIC of the centre that registered the donor in the EBMT Registry.



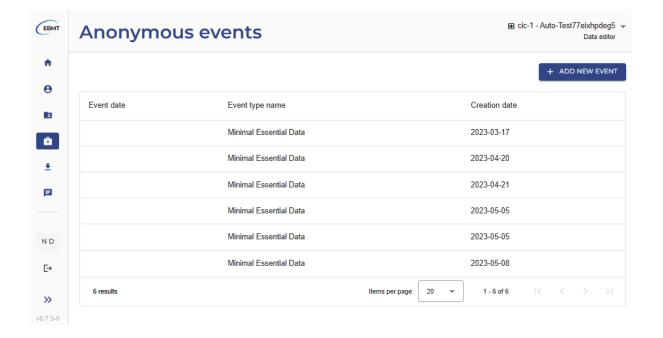
Column name	Column can be used for sorting	Description
Registration centre name	Yes	The name of the centre that registered the donor in the EBMT Registry.
Donor ID	Yes	<u>Donor ID</u> given to a donor by the collection centre or centre responsible for follow-up.
GRID	Yes	GRID
Date of birth	Yes	Donor date of birth as per Donor registration data.
Sex at birth	Yes	Donor sex at birth as per Donor registration data.
Date of last event	No	Date of the last registered event for this donor (the event with the most recent date). The event that is shown last (to the right) in the Donor timeline.
Last modified	No	Date the latest changes were done to any of the donor data/events.

Table 3, columns in the Donor outcome registry overview

## Anonymous events for non-consenting patients

If the patient did not give their consent to share their data with the EBMT, it means that only minimal essential data on the performed treatment can be entered into the EBMT Registry according to instructions available at the EBMT website: <a href="https://www.ebmt.org/registry/data-collection">https://www.ebmt.org/registry/data-collection</a>.

**Anonymous events** - is the term used to define the scope of data concerning the centre's activities related to non-consenting patients.





#### Image 18, view of the anonymous events

Important: In the current version of the application, the anonymous events are visible only to users in a centre context or Centre-based VR context.

#### Anonymous events overview page

Anonymous events overview page can be open through the Navigation menu, and it contains:

- 1. The title: Anonymous events.
- 2. The list of registered anonymous events (in the user context) with their data summary.
- 3. Add a *new event* button to add or create a new anonymous event in the EBMT Registry (see Add anonymous event).
- 4. <u>Pagination</u> section.

The information in the anonymous events overview page is presented in table 4, with each row corresponding to a separate anonymous event and columns providing the following details:

Column name	Description
Year of event	The year of treatment for a non-consenting patient.
Event type name	The type of treatment for a non-consenting patient.
Creation date	The date the anonymous event was created in the EBMT Registry to report minimal essential data for a non-consenting patient.

Table 4, columns in the Anonymous Events

**Anonymous events** are records created in the EBMT Registry to report the centre's activities concerning non-consenting patients, and they include the following information:

- diagnosis: date, classification, subclassification;
- treatment: year, type, chronological order (sequence) of this type of treatment for this patient;
- cell source: autogenic or allogeneic.

Each anonymous event has a unique identifier (7 digits) automatically created by the EBMT Registry.

**The anonymous event page** represents the following information:

- 1. Anonymous event unique identifier;
- 2. Anonymous event summary section. It also contains buttons *Save changes* to save changes (if changes were made to the saved form) and *Print* button to print the current anonymous event form.
- 3. Anonymous event data fields.



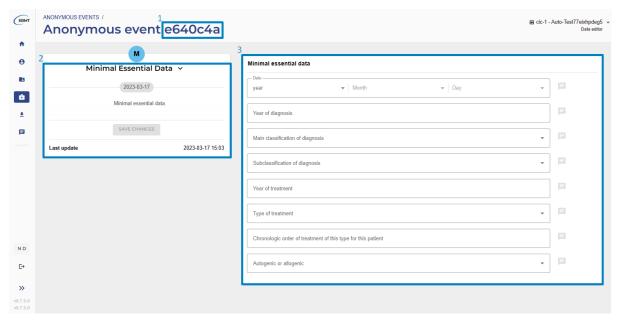


Image 19, Anonymous events data entry fields

Note: CBVR can view the anonymous events of their member centres.

Important: If a patient was registered in the EBMT Registry but withdrew their consent and requested their data to be removed from the EBMT Registry, the data is removed completely and is not automatically transferred into Anonymous events. From this point, the patient is considered a non-consenting patient. A centre should report the minimum essential data for this patient via an anonymous event.



## User profile

Users can access and view their profile information by clicking the button with their name and surname (when the navigation menu is in full mode) or initials (when the navigation menu is in compact view) from the navigation menu to call the *My profile details* modal window.

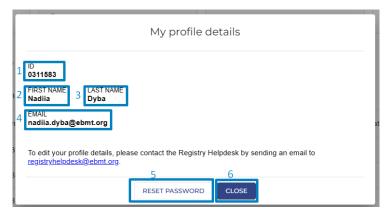


Image 20: My profile details modal window

The My profile details modal window appears on top of any previously opened section of the EBMT Registry. It shows the following information:

- 1. <u>User's ID</u> ID number automatically assigned to the user in the EBMT Registry.
- 2. User's first name.
- 3. User's last name (surname).
- 4. User's email address, used for registration in the EBMT Registry.
- 5. Button Reset password used to request a password reset.
- 6. Button Close used to close My profile details modal window.

A user cannot change any information displayed in the *My profile details* modal window. If changes are required to the user's first or last name, the user can contact EBMT Registry helpdesk by email.

Note: User email addresses cannot be changed. If a previous email becomes unavailable, the user should contact EBMT Registry helpdesk to deactivate the previous user account and submit a properly signed and filled *EBMT Registry User Account Request form* with the updated email so that the new user account can be set up.

#### Pagination

Main screens that show a long list of items with big datasets (like Patient registry overview, Donor outcomes registry overview, Data queries overview, etc.) will include pagination at the bottom of the main screen to navigate through the list of available items.

The EBMT Registry uses an offset pagination method to manage large datasets and display them on a webpage. It is a method to split a large amount of data into smaller, more manageable chunks. With offset pagination, only a portion of the data is loaded at a time, making the web page load faster and reducing the load on the system.

In the current version of the EBMT Registry the system loads up to 1,000 items (10 pages of up to 100 items) at a time. This can be changed without prior notice to adjust system performance.



Image 21, footer showing the pagination

The pagination section includes:

1. The total number of items in the overview list (equivalent to the number of table rows).

The system will calculate this number over 1 second and display where possible. Please be aware that very big datasets may not show the total number of items to ensure it does not decrease the general system performance.

- 2. The number of items (table rows) shown per page. There is also a dropdown for the user to choose whether to show 5, 10, 15, 20 or 100 items per page.
- 3. Indication as to what rows are currently being shown on the main screen (e.g.1-100 of 1,000 represents that out of over 1,000 items in the database, items 1 to 100 are currently being shown).
- 4. Button to go to the first page of the list of loaded items.
- 5. Button to go to the previous page with the list of items.
- 6. Button to go to the next page with the list of items.
- 7. Button to go to the last page with the list of loaded items.

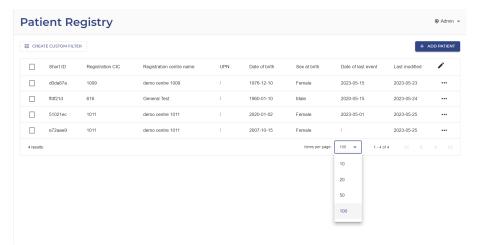


Image 22, dropdown to view more patients per page

## Sorting

Main screens showing tables with datasets also offer users sorting functionality for some columns. Sorting allows the user to organise and view data more meaningfully: in ascending or descending order based on a specific column.

Ascending order:

- If sorting a column of numbers, the smallest number appears first, followed by larger numbers;
- If sorting a column of text, the values are arranged alphabetically, with the first letter of the alphabet appearing first, followed by subsequent letters;
- If sorting dates, the earliest date appears first, followed by later dates.

Descending order is the opposite of ascending order.



Sorting icon	Description
<b>↑</b>	Ascending order icon is not highlighted to mark that the sorting is not used for this column.
<b>↑</b>	Ascending order icon is highlighted to mark that the sorting is applied for this column. The items in this column are shown in ascending order.
+	Descending order icon is highlighted to mark that the sorting is applied for this column. The items in this column are shown in descending order.

Table 5, icons for sorting columns in the EBMT Registry

It is important to note that sorting is not available for all table columns. Users can hover their mouse/cursor over the column header. If one of the sorting icons appears, this column can be used for sorting.

Note: sorting is done within the whole list of items in the EBMT Registry database (not only within a loaded chunk of data as per offset pagination).



#### **Filters**

The EBMT Registry has various filtering options that allow users to filter the large datasets within their context to find the required data, narrow down the search, or define the list of patients or donors that meet certain filter criteria.

There are two types of filters in the EBMT Registry:

- System filters (to be added in upcoming versions of the EBMT Registry);
- Personal filters.

#### Personal filters

Personal filters are user-specific filters. They may be <u>created</u> and applied by a specific user to filter the list of items in the user context. Users can also <u>save</u> their filter if they wish to keep it and/or use it again in the future. Any saved personal filter can also be <u>edited</u> or deleted by the user if the filter is no longer relevant for the user.

Users can create their own personal filter in two ways:

- Enter all the filtering criteria manually;
- Open a saved filter and modify it.

**Filter results** - is the list of items received after applying all criteria defined in the filter. Suppose the initial filter results do not fully meet the user's needs. In that case, the user can refine or modify the filter: adjust the criteria, remove some existing criteria or add new criteria to narrow down the displayed list further. The user can also remove the applied filter to return to an unfiltered list of items, which is the complete list of patients or donors in their context.

#### Filter criteria

Filter criteria are the rules used to narrow the search results. E.g., If a user wants to filter data only to show patients born in a specific period.

To define the filter criteria, a user must specify three key components: parameter, condition and value (Image 1).

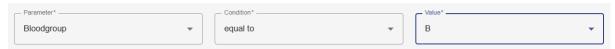


Image 23, filter criteria includes parameter, condition and value.

#### **Parameter**

A filter parameter is the data field a user wants to search for in the database.

Filters can be applied to various data fields thus filter parameters can be related to:

- Patient/Donor (data fields related to the patient/donor registration form e.g. Blood group, Sex at birth, etc.); or
- <u>Patient events/Donor events</u>: user also specifies the filter criteria that is related to what event type category and to what exact event (the Data Collection Form).

Since patients may have repeated events (e.g. multiple auto-HCT), it is also possible to narrow the search and specify whether it refers to the First event type, Last event type or Any event type (Image #).





Image 24, Event type - Anythree First, Last

#### Condition

A filter condition is the type of comparison a user sets up. See Table # below for the list of conditions used in the EBMT Registry with some examples.

Condition	Example
Equal to	Tentative (patient) equal to true.
Not equal to	Blood Group not equal to B
Greater than	Age (at treatment) is greater than 30
Greater than or equal to	Age (at treatment) is greater than or equals to 30
Less than	Age (at diagnosis) is less than 70
Less than or equal to	Age (at diagnosis) is less than or equals to 70
Is after	Treatment year is after 2000
Is before	Treatment year is before 2020

Table 6, Filter conditions and examples

## Value

Value is the reference value of the data field.

Note: in order to create a correct personal filter, a user needs to specify the filter criteria correctly: identify the data field, the event that contains this data field and the event category.

## **Complex filters**

Users can filter the list of patients or donors within their context based on a number of **filter criteria** to search for patients/donors, create a filtered list of patients or work with it at their own discretion. Filtering of the patient/donor list may be based on many criteria, which may be grouped into **filter groups** for user convenience. It is possible to use either statement AND or statement OR <u>inside</u> each group of criteria (see example below).



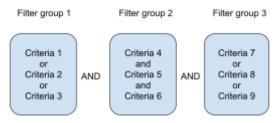


Image 25, example of filter with 'and' groups

The statement <u>between</u> groups of criteria is always the same and is either AND or OR. It cannot be a combination of both (see example above and below).

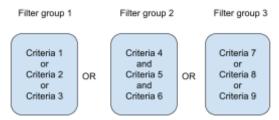


Image 26, example of filter with 'or' groups

By default, the statement AND is always shown, but the statement can be changed at any time while setting the filter both inside the group and between groups.

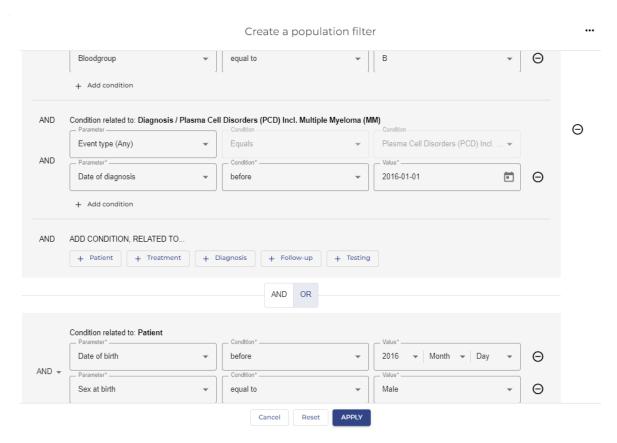


Image 27, example of a complex filter in the EBMT Registry



# Patient/Donor page

All patients and donors registered in the EBMT Registry have their own page. The table below lists sections and explains the structure of each patient and donor-specific page.

	Patient page	Donor page
1	Hyperlink <b>REGISTRY</b> used to come back to the <u>Patient registry overview page</u> .	Hyperlink <b>DONOR OUTCOME REGISTRY</b> used to come back to the <u>Donor outcome registry</u> overview page.
2	EBMT patient short ID is always shown in the header.	EBMT donor short ID is always shown in the header.
3	Patient menu	<u>Donor menu</u>
4	Patient details summary	Donor details summary
5	<u>Timeline</u>	
6	Create new event button - not visible for data viewers.	
7	Event form - the most recent event from the timeline is loaded by default.	
8	Event form summary for the loaded event from.	

Table 7, sections in the patient and/or donor pages

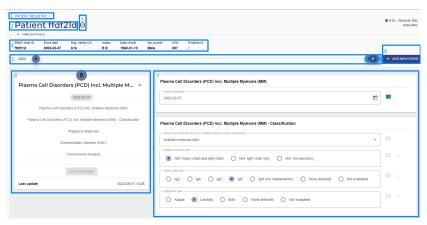


Image 28, Patient page



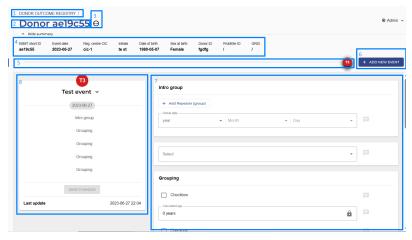


Image 29, Donor page

#### Tentative patient page

<u>Tentative patient</u> pages are marked to call data editor and administrator users attention to the tentative status (Image 30):

- there is a word warning next to the patient menu stating *Pending verification*;
- all the upper part of the main screen except event form and event form summary is greyed out.

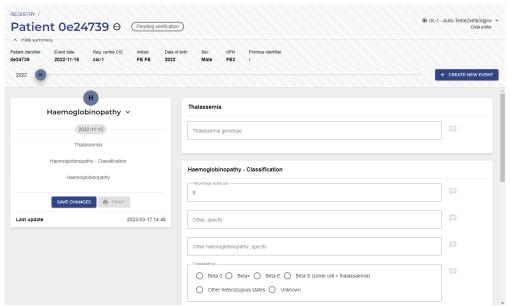


Image 30, view of a tentative patient

Remember: Only data editors and administrators can see <u>Tentative patient(s)</u> in the system. This means that Data viewers and Monitors cannot open Tentative patient pages.

#### Patient/Donor menu

The **Patient/Donor menu** may be opened with the three dots button next to the Patient short ID (Image 31) or Donor short ID (Image 32). It is used to edit or update patient/donor registration information, consent, and information on studies. The functionality available for a user role is always highlighted. The functionality that is not available to a user is greyed out. Edit patient details section includes information about EBMT patient ID, and Edit donor details section includes information about EBMT donor ID, in case it is needed to check this in the user interface.



## Patient f707139 © Edit patient details Manage centres Manage consent

Image 31, Patient menu

Manage studies

# Donor ef72998 ⊕ Edit donor details Manage centres Manage consent

Image 32, Donor menu

Patient menu item/User role	Data viewer/Monitor	Data editor	Administrator
Edit patient details	Read only	Editable	Editable
Manage centres	Read only	Read only	Editable
Manage consent	Read only	Read only	Editable
Manage studies	Read only	Editable	Editable

Table 8, items in the patient menu and users' editing rights

Donor menu item/User role	Data viewer/Monitor	Data editor	Administrator
Edit donor details	Read only	Editable	Editable
Manage centres	Read only	Read only	Editable
Manage consent	Read only	Read only	Editable

Table 9, items in the donor menu and users' editing rights

#### Patient/Donor summary

**Patient/Donor summary** is a section showing summary information about the Patient/Donor to provide users with some contextual details about the patient/donor while they are viewing events information. The content of this section may slightly change between the versions of the EBMT Registry application.

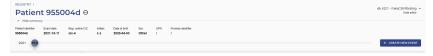


Image 33, Patient summary full view.

Patient/donor summary can be shown (in full view) as in Image 33 or hidden as in Image 34 to leave more screen space for the event form. *Hide summary* and *Show summary* are toggle buttons to switch between these two modes.

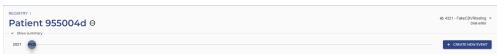


Image 34, Patient summary hidden.



#### Patient/Donor timeline

Patient and Donor timeline represents a summary of registered events for the particular patient or donor. Events are shown as coloured circles (see Image 35) in the timeline based on the registered event date (e.g. for patients: date of diagnosis, date of follow-up, etc.) in chronological order, with the earliest events shown on the left side and all further events to the right. It allows users to see the entire registered medical history and intensity of patient/donor events over time at a glance.

Event forms with the same event date (e.g. Treatment and Disease status at HCT/CT/IST) are shown with a plus sign to visually represent that they took place on the same date (e.g. ).

Since the intensity of events may differ throughout medical history, some events are displayed very close to each other, while others might be placed further away. In order to see all the events clearly, there is a square zoom area that appears when a user hovers the mouse over the event circle in the timeline (see Image 35).

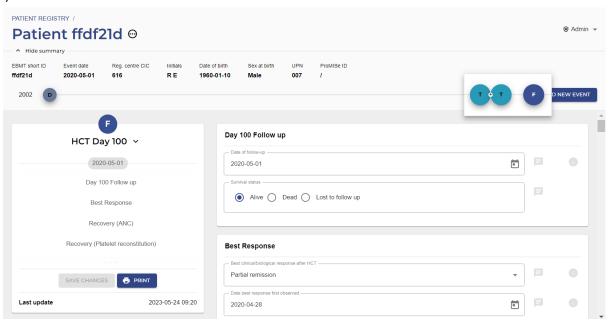


Image 35, Patient timeline

When a user hovers the mouse over the event circle in a timeline, user can see some summary information that includes:

- 1. Coloured circle representing an event with a letter(s) representing the category of the event (e.g. D for the diagnosis, T for treatment, etc).
- 2. Name of the event.
- 3. Date of the event.
- 4. The date when the event form was last updated in the EBMT Registry.
- 5. How much time has passed since the event took place:
  - a. It is shown in months for events less than a year ago;
  - b. It is shown in full years for events over a year ago.



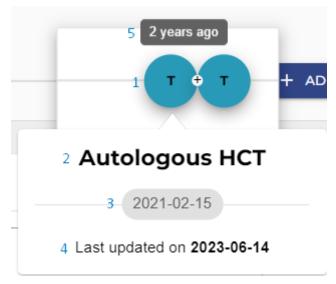


Image 36, Summary information of 2 events on the same date

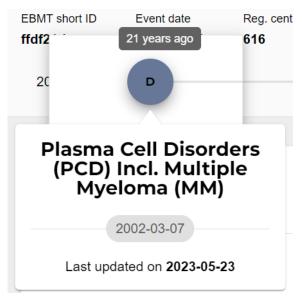


Image 37: Summary information of 1 event

Patient timeline lets users navigate through registered patients events by clicking on the events in the timeline (see <u>View Patient event</u>).

#### **Event form summary**

**Event form summary** (event summary) is an area to the left of opened event form that contains some summary information about the respective event form and important buttons for the event form management. It also allows navigating between event form sections.



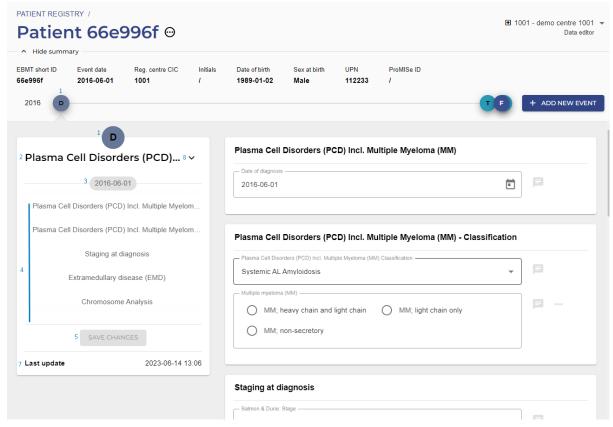


Image 38, Event form summary

It includes the following elements:

- 1. Coloured circle representing an event with a letter(s) representing the category of the event (e.g. D for the diagnosis, T for treatment, etc). It is equal to the one used in the Patient timeline.
- 2. Name of the event.
- 3. Date of the event.
- 4. Titles of the sections from the event form.

The titles of sections from the event form are listed one under another as a list. When a user scrolls through an event form, the section currently displayed in the event form is also highlighted in bold in the event form summary.

Every title of sections in the event form summary is clickable, it works similar to interactive content. Once a user hovers the mouse over the title of the section in event form summary - it becomes highlighted. Once a user clicks on it (selects), the title in the event form summary becomes highlighted and in bold and the corresponding section is being scrolled to and shown in the event form (Image 38).

- 5. Save changes button. This may be shown as active or inactive as depicted in table #.
- 6. Print button

*Print* button is used to create a printable version of the event form (see <u>Print event</u>). This functionality will be added post go live in one of upcoming versions of EBMT Registry.

7. Last update

It is the date and time when the loaded to the screen version of the event form was last saved by an data editor in the EBMT Registry.

8. Event menu



The event menu can be called with the icon which is to the right of the event form name. It is used to delete patient or donor events (see <u>Delete event</u>).

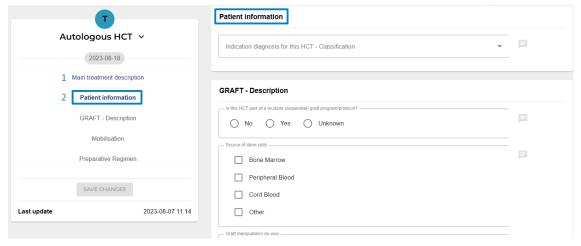


Image 39, highlighted (1) and selected (2) titles from the sections of the event form

If there are any field warning or error in any section of patient/donor event form, the corresponding icon will also be shown next to each title of the section (see more details in <u>Field warnings</u> and <u>Field errors</u>)

Save changes button may be shown in active or inactive mode as described in a table below

Button	Description
SAVE CHANGES	Active <i>Save changes</i> button signifies that there were some changes done in the currently opened event form by data editor.  If the user clicks the button, the changes will be saved to the database.
SAVE CHANGES	Inactive Save changes button signifies that the user role does not allow editing event form and saving changes (e.g. data viewer); or there were no changes done in the currently opened event form by the data editor.  Inactive button cannot be clicked.

Table 10, views of the save changes-button

#### **Event form**

**Event form** corresponds to the Data Collection Form of the respective event with some adjustments due to electronic format and EBMT Registry design. Patient/Donor **event form** contains a series of data fields (questions). It provides a structured and organised way to capture and manage information that refers to the same event in a Patient or Donor timeline.

Tables, which are reports associated with repeated measurements that are similar for multiple items, are not used for the current version of the EBMT Registry. Thus, the tables from the EBMT Data Collection Forms are represented with a group of questions.

**Data entry field** (data field) is a designated space (field) where data can be input/viewed/edited. It is designed to capture a specific piece of information. More details on data fields can be found in the <u>Data entry</u> section.



Data fields are grouped by topic, similar to sections in the EBMT Data Collection Forms; in event forms, this is visually represented as a group of fields displayed on the same white square background. Each section is displayed in a separate white square background.

There are usually used titles for each section, which is also reflected in the event form summary.

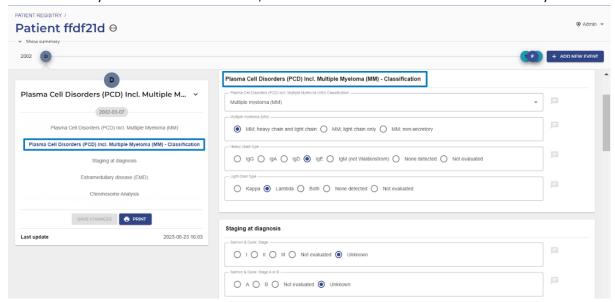


Image 40, data entry view with titles highlighted

Due to the high number of data fields within an event form, users need to scroll through the event form to navigate, or use the Event form summary to open the required section of the form.

Event forms are versioned, which means that the EBMT Registry keeps track of changes saved (e.g. user, who saved changes, date, time). It is recorded in the <u>audit trail</u>.

When a user opens an event form, the EBMT Registry loads the latest saved version of this event form. Event form is displayed identically both for data editors and data viewers: users are able to view and manually edit values, but all such changes remain purely visual until they are saved. Any changes are recorded and saved to the database only when a Data editor saves changes - by clicking the active *Save changes* button. The system will then create a new form version that will become the most recent event form version.

Important: If the data editor leaves the event form without saving it or the <u>user session</u> expires, all unsaved entered data or changes will be lost and not recorded in the database or audit trail. Thus it is important to save changes done in the event form <u>before</u> a user:

- Navigates away from this particular event form (e.g. to other patient events or to other parts of the EBMT Registry)
- Leaves web browser tab with unsaved edited event form in the EBMT Registry
- Closes web browser tab or web browser with unsaved edited event form in the EBMT Registry
- Switches off computer
- Leaves the EBMT Registry web page without activity for 20 minutes or more (see <u>User session</u>)

If Data viewers try to edit any event form, such changes cannot be saved to the database - they will be lost when the web page is reloaded.



#### Possible editing conflicts

If two or more users are opening any patient or donor event form at the same time or with 15 minutes difference, the EBMT Registry will show a <u>warning</u>, notifying them about **possible editing conflicts.** It is important to note that if the same form is opened or edited by multiple users, the user that presses the *Save changes* button last will create the latest event form version; this means that data entered by other users will be lost, and only the data as displayed on the main screen of this last user will be saved to the database. This is a crucial point to remember if multiple users open or edit the same form.

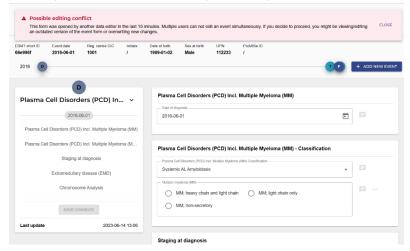


Image 41, the message shown in case of a possible editing conflict

Note: It is recommended that the users avoid situations of potential editing conflicts and return to such event records later.

#### Practical example:

- User A and User B open the same patient event form at the same time at 12:00 (or within 10 minutes of each other). The system shows a warning about a possible editing conflict. The event form is loaded on each user screen and looks exactly the same.
- User A enters data into data field 1, then presses the *Save changes* button at 12:11. The event form version 1.0 is created in the database.
- User B leaves data field 1 empty, enters data into data field 2 and data field 3, then presses the *Save changes* button at 12:15. The event version 2.0 replaces (overwrites) the event version 1.0 in the database.
- The information displayed on the User B screen will be captured in the database. The changes to data field 1 made by User A are lost, as version 1.0 has been overwritten by event version 2.0.
- Any user who enters this patient event form from 12:16 onwards will see that data field 1 is empty and data fields 2 and 3 are as entered by User B.

#### **Hidden patient events**

There are cases when patient event(s) need to be temporarily hidden from other EBMT Registry users and should be visible only to the reporting centre. This functionality will be added in upcoming versions of the EBMT Registry and it will be explained once more details are available.



#### Data entry field

Data field has the following elements:

1. **Label** describes in short what data should be provided in the data field. Label design differs slightly depending on the data entry field type.

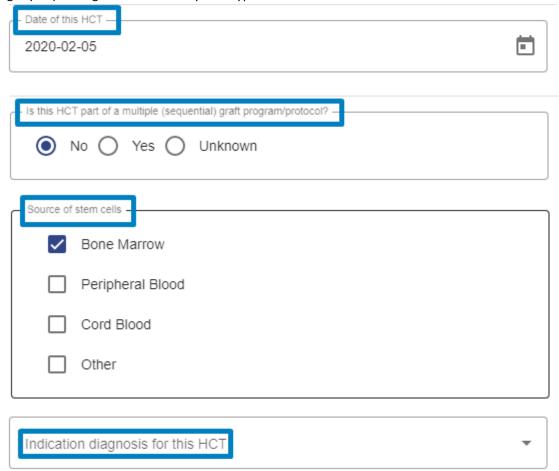


Image 42, labels in an event for data entry

- 2. Area to enter data or answer options to select from (see <u>Data entry field types</u>)
- 3. Help **text** some of the fields also have help text; it provides some extra details, such as the data to be entered into the data field.

The following icons may be shown to the right in a data entry field:



Image 43, items shown next to data entry fields

- 1. Data query icon
- 2. Three dots icon to mark the data field menu, it is used to mark that the answer is <a href="unknown/not evaluated">unknown/not evaluated</a>.

Note: The data field menu icon is shown only for data fields, where it is possible to indicate <u>unknown</u>, <u>not evaluated and/or ongoing status</u>. If the icon is not visible, this means that for this data field, it is impossible to select any of these statuses.



3. Hint - help text that is not shown by default. It appears when a user hovers a mouse or cursor over the information icon to the right of the data field.



Image 44, example of a hint

#### **Mandatory fields**

Most areas are considered to be mandatory for completion in the data collection form, and a few may be optional. Optional fields are always marked. Data items should be filled in if specifically stated in the definition.

Some key data fields will also be configured to show a warning or error if left blank.

#### **Unknown/Not evaluated/Ongoing status**

For some data fields it is possible to indicate that information is unknown or not evaluated, or the date is not known because the process was not finished (ongoing).

There is a three-dot icon to the right in some data entry fields to mark the data field menu (see screenshot below). The data field menu is a dropdown that includes one or more options that vary depending on a data field e.g. not evaluated, unknown, ongoing.



Image 45, marking a field as not evaluated or unknown

It is used when needed to state that information is not available and cannot be entered into the database, thus assigning this status to a data field. When a data editor selects an answer option from the data field menu, the field is marked with the respective status.



Image 46, example of what a not evaluated field looks like after selecting 'Not evaluated'

In case it was done by mistake or information becomes available at a later stage, and data editors may remove such status from this data field:

• For fields previously marked as *Unknown*, users can enter the field value and unknown status will be removed automatically or they can remove this status through the data field menu, clicking *Mark as Normal*.



Image 47, removing the 'unknown' status



 For fields marked as Not evaluated, users should open the data field menu and click Mark as Normal to remove the Not evaluated status and, enable editing, and then enter field value if needed.



Image 48, removing the 'not evaluated' status

Ongoing status may be indicated for some date fields as shown in the screenshot below:



Image 49, ongoing status on a data entry field

#### Data entry field types

Below is the short summary and some details on data entry fields used for online data entry. There are different types of inputs used for data fields in the EBMT Registry.

#### 1. Drop-down

Drop-down is mostly used for questions with more than three answer options. The answer options will appear after clicking the field. An option can be selected from the list. For long lists, please scroll to navigate through and see all the items. Some of the drop-down lists also have a search field. In this case, it is possible to type the text on the field and obtain suggestions from the list of options available.



Image 50, example of a dropdown menu

Important: In the current version of EBMT Registry, once an answer from the dropdown list was selected, this field can not be emptied. Users can only change the answer by choosing another answer option from the dropdown list.

This means once one of the answer options was selected, it is not possible to remove it completely and leave this data field without any answer.



In rare cases when the user provides an answer into such field by mistake and submission of any answer is considerate to be equal to registering wrong/false information, users are advised to leave the event form without saving it (e.g. by reloading the webpage without saving all changes done or navigating to other parts of the EBMT Registry without saving entered data).

In case of unintentional or wrong selection of an answer from a drop-down list:

- While <u>adding</u> information to an empty data field of an existing event or newly created event: when a user leaves the event form without saving changes, the form will always remain in the timeline, but all unsaved data entered into the data fields will be lost after reloading (the date of the event will remain even for new events). The user will have to enter information into the data fields from scratch.
- If wrongly entered information was already saved, removing the answer is not possible. Select the most appropriate answer option for this field or mark it as unknown/not evaluated.

#### 2. Radio buttons

**Radio buttons** are used for questions where there are a few options available, but only one option can be selected. The question can be filled in by clicking the dot before the answer.



Image 51, example of radio buttons

Important: Radio button cannot be unselected. This means that when a user clicks or selects any answer option that is a radio button for a particular data field, the user can still change the answer to the other answer option by clicking on another radio button; but once one of the radio button options was selected, it is not possible to remove it completely and leave this data field without any answer.

In rare cases when the user clicks on the radio button by mistake and submission of any answer is considered to be equal to registering wrong/false information, users are advised to leave the event form without saving it (e.g. by reloading the webpage without saving all changes done or navigating to other parts of the EBMT Registry without saving entered data).

In case of unintentional or wrong selection of a radio button:

- While <u>adding</u> information to an empty data field of an existing event or newly created event: when a user leaves the event form without saving changes, the event will always remain- in the timeline, but all unsaved data entered into the data fields will be lost after reloading (the date of the event will remain even for new events). The user will have to enter information into the data fields from scratch.
- If wrongly entered information was already saved, removing the answer is not possible. Select the most appropriate answer option for this field or mark as unknown/not evaluated.

#### 3. Check-boxes

**Check-boxes** are used for questions where more than one option can be selected at the same time. Check-boxes can be selected and unselected if needed.

_ Location o	of extramedullary disease
	Paraskeletal
	Organ

Image 52, example of check boxes



#### 4. Dates

All dates in the EBMT Registry are in YYYY-MM-DD format, where YYYY represents 4 number digits of the year, MM - 2 number digits of the month, DD - 2 number digits for the day of the month. Date fields have calendar graphics on the right.



Image 53, example of a date field

Users can enter the date manually by typing it in the format YYYY-MM-DD or click the calendar graphics (2) to open the calendar window and select the date (year, month and date).

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Image 54, calendar view after clicking the date field

It is not possible to mark the date reported as approximate in the current version of EBMT Registry, thus all dates are considered as exact dates. In case the exact day of the month is unknown, or day and month is unknown, please follow the exact instructions as stated for the Data Collection Forms completion guidelines available at EBMT website.

In rare cases, indicating a **partial date** (e.g. Patient date of birth) is possible. In this case, another date field format is used, allowing a user via separate dropdown to specify year only, or year and month, or year and month and day.

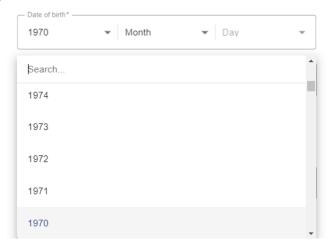


Image 55, example for adding a partial date



#### 5. Text

Text fields in the EBMT Registry accept both text and numbers. Text boxes that specify Other answer options in the forms must only be used if no alternative from the dropdown or radio buttons is available. It is mandatory to answer in English, as other languages can create codification problems with letters not recognised by the system.



Image 56, example of a text box field

#### 6. Calculated fields

Calculated fields are quite rare and are used to perform calculations such as the exact age at the time of an event. These calculations are done based on the information entered into the database in previous forms. Calculated fields cannot be edited.



Image 57, example of a calculated field

If the value in the data field is shown wrongly, this can happen due to a mistake in the date of birth or date of the event registered in the EBMT Registry . Please check both data fields.

#### 7. Remote field

Remote fields in the EBMT Registry are marked with the icon, it is a data field (question) answered in the earlier submitted forms that is repeated in subsequent forms. This type of field is not available for editing. If the data editor notices that the data value is incorrect in the remote field, they need to find the form where it was initially entered (source field) and correct it.

Remote fields are shown with the following information:

- 1. Name of the data field (label).
- 2. Name of the event form where this data field was entered, followed by the date of the event.
- 3. Event field with its value.



Image 58, Remote field

Important: there are interdependent fields in the database (e.g. calculated field and remote field), and if the field value is edited in one form, the EBMT Registry cannot apply the correction automatically in all the forms it is used at one time. Nevertheless, suppose a data editor corrects the field value in the source field once the subsequent form (with dependent field) is opened. In that case, the system will apply these

changes automatically and mark affected field with the  $\Box$  icon

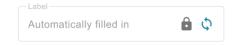


Image 59, example of a remote field that is refreshed



Updates to the affected field(s) are applied automatically, but a data editor has to click the *Save changes* button so that these changes are saved into the database. To reinforce that a user needs to save changes,

the icon is also shown next to the *Save changes* button in the Event form summary section. It will also be logged in the audit trail.

#### Repeating group of question

Repeating group of questions is a set of data entry fields (questions) that are repeated multiple times within a single data entry form (event form).

A button for *adding* the whole group of questions is often used in case it is not known the exact number of repetitions the user needs to report data is not known. Such a button is placed at the end of the last added group of questions. It has *+ Add* at the beginning of its name.



Image 60, questions in a repeating group

The group of questions may also be removed (deleted) with the help of *remove* button icon to the right from the group of questions title.

Important: Once the user deletes the group of questions, the data that was entered into there is deleted and this action is not reversible. That is why users are advised to be careful and check that there is no data to be lost by this action.

For user convenience, each group of questions may be shown in full view or compact (collapsed) view to manage screen space. Users can use arrows (Table #) to the left from the Repeated group name, which are toggle buttons to switch between these views.



Image 61, collapsed and expanded questions in a repeating group



Icon	Description
^	Repeated group of questions is shown in full view, which means there are shown all its data entry fields and values, if any. Once a user presses this button, it switches to collapsed view.
~	Repeated group of questions is shown in a collapsed view, which means there is only the title of the group of questions. Data entry fields and their values, if any, are not visible to free more space for other data fields and information on the user screen.  Once a user presses this button, it switches to full view.

Table 11, icons used in repeating groups of questions

#### Do not confuse:

- ullet the ullet icon button deletes a group of questions and enters into these fields data, while
- the ^ and/or v icon buttons are hiding/unhiding a group of questions on the user main screen (no data is deleted and it remains in the event form).

#### Inactive data entry fields

Some data fields may be set as inactive to mark that they are irrelevant, and data editors do not need to enter information into these fields.

Nevertheless, all information submitted in deactivated fields (when they were active) remains in the database and is shown in the patient/donor event form as legacy data (historical data).

Inactive data fields are not shown to users unless they contain some legacy data.

#### **Delayed migration status**

Since data migration from previously used systems will happen in stages, in the current version of the EBMT Registry, users will see a notification in the affected data field(s) to mark that the field value has not been migrated yet. Any field type may have such a status.

Data fields with delayed migration status are marked with the data field value (if any) will appear, and the delayed migration status will be removed from the data field.



Image 62, a question for which migration of data is still pending

Important: These fields are editable as any other field (except remote and calculated data fields). If data editor users enter the field value before the migration happens, it is recorded as the latest registered data field value. Data field value from migration will be logged in the audit trail as historical data once the migration is complete.



#### System notifications and data check

In the current version of the EBMT Registry, the system notifications are implemented in various ways to support the user and provide adequate support while using the system. Here are some of the most common ones:

**Success notifications** are displayed when an action is completed (e.g. when a user saves changes in the event form, thereby creating a new version in the system). It is usually a short message on a dark grey background, shown for a few seconds at the bottom of the user web page and then automatically disappears, allowing the user to continue using the application.

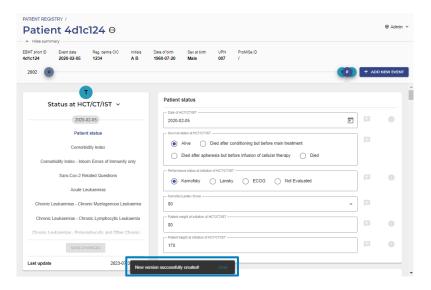


Image 63, an event with success screen visible at the bottom

**System error notifications** are displayed when an action fails, such as when a user tries to access the data of a patient who is not in the user's context. It is usually a modal window with text explaining the issue.



Image 64, example of an error message

Note: Field errors are different from system errors, they are described further in this section.

**Warning notifications** are displayed when there is a potential issue that needs to be addressed, such as when a data editor is entering a patient or donor that another data editor opened within the last 15 minutes. The system will warn the user about possible editing conflicts. This type of notification is shown in the interface next to the element it refers to.

Note: The <u>field warning</u> has a slightly different representation in the interface, and they are described in detail in the <u>Automated data check</u> section.



**Confirmation notifications** are usually displayed in a modal window. They typically contain a message explaining the action to be performed and asking the user to confirm or cancel the action. They often have two options: one for confirming the action and one for cancelling it.



Image 65, a warning for unsaved changes

Some confirmation dialogues may also include additional options, such as stating a reason for the specific action being confirmed (e.g. stating a reason for making a change in an already submitted event form).

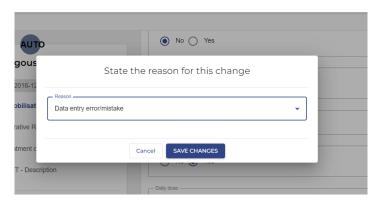


Image 66, the popup to enter the reason for changing previously saved data

#### Automated data check

The automated data check, warning and error messages are important features of the EBMT Registry and are designed to improve data quality and to prevent mistakes.

With an **automated data check**, the system automatically verifies the data entered by users, comparing it to established standards (validation rules and reference values) or previously entered data, flagging any inconsistencies or errors. This helps prevent common mistakes such as typos, missing information, incorrect formatting, etc.

The automated data check is set up by the EBMT Registry team and is not visible to the end user. In case of possible issues or concerns, users should contact the EBMT Registry Helpdesk by emailing <a href="mailto:registryhelpdesk@ebmt.org">registryhelpdesk@ebmt.org</a>.

**Field warnings and error messages** are another important feature, providing real-time alerts to users about any issues or concerns that arise during data entry. Most of them do not affect or block data entry processes. However, the message will remain visible, allowing monitors and other users (data viewers and data editors) to see that the field/event form/patient data contains an unexpected value.

Practical example: for values that are expected to fall within set ranges or specific answers, a warning/error message may be displayed next to a data entry field if the entered value does not match



the range/expected value: e.g. if a value is entered in percentages higher than 100, or for negative weight or height values.

Note: The process of EBMT Registry improvements is expected to be a continuous one. This means that new validation checks, warnings and errors will be added to improve the data quality consistently and to support users in the process of data entry.

#### Field warnings

Warnings are used to inform EBMT Registry users that there is an issue with the entered field value, or a missing field value. It is shown in the following way:

- 1. The field is highlighted in yellow;
- 2. There is a message text under the field to explain the warning;
- 3. an exclamation mark in a triangular box is shown in the right upper corner of the question group;
- 4. an exclamation mark in a triangular box next to the title of the event form section in the <u>event</u> <u>form summary</u>.

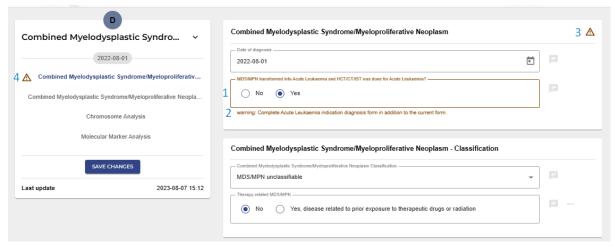


Image 67, field warnings on an event

#### **Field errors**

Error messages are used to inform EBMT Registry users of an error in the entered field value or a missing field value. It is shown in the following way:

- 1. the field is highlighted in red;
- 2. there is a message text under the field to explain the error;
- 3. an exclamation mark in the circle is shown in the right upper corner of the question group;
- 4. an exclamation mark in the circle is next to the title of the event form section in the <u>event form summary</u>.



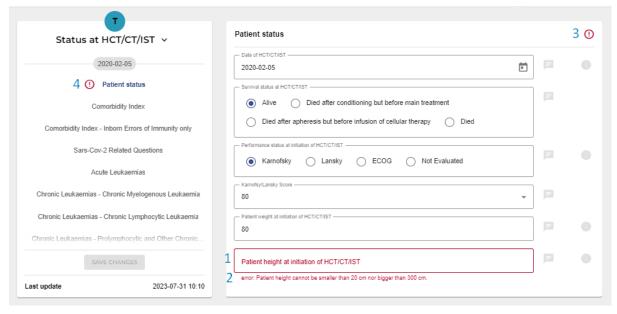


Image 68, example of a field error

Note: that there are some data fields in the EBMT Registry that must be answered and cannot be left blank. For example, the event date. The system will not allow the form to be created/saved without entering value into such a crucial field.

#### **Duplicate check (tentative patients)**

The EBMT Registry performs the duplicate check when a user creates a new patient in the system. This ensures:

- Avoiding duplicate entries: identifying existing patient records helps prevent duplicate entries in the database. It ensures that each patient has a unique and single record, improving data management.
- Data accuracy: by highlighting potential duplicates, the application assists users and EBMT staff in reviewing and verifying patient information.

When a user enters new patient information during the patient registration process, the application performs the following steps:

- 1. Data validation: The application validates the entered information for completeness and correctness, ensuring that all mandatory fields are filled accurately.
- 2. Matching Criteria UPN (the same UPN at the same centre)
- 3. The application compares the entered data against existing records in the system using the predefined matching criteria (duplicate check algorithm).

Case 1: if the new patient UPN is identical to the UPN of an existing patient at this centre, these records are considered duplicates- creating a new patient is not allowed. The user will receive a corresponding error message and a summary of patient details (see screenshot below). The user can either cancel the new patient creation and continue working on the existing patient page, or the user can modify the data of the patient under creation and try registering it again.



- 4. Potential duplicates: If the application finds records that closely match the entered data, it displays a warning message. The duplicate check matching criteria include:
- Birthdate;
- Sex at birth;
- Blood group;
- Rhesus factor;
- Initials.

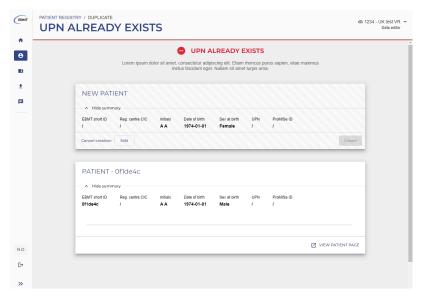


Image 69, the warning message if a duplicate UPN is entered

Note: at the go-live version, the EBMT Registry was configured to perform the duplicate check through all the patients in the database. It was already decided that in one of the upcoming versions post-go-live, the duplicate check will be limited to the patient country only: this means that the new patient data will be only compared to data of patients registered in the same country.

The duplicate check algorithm is set up in such a way that the system compares the data value of the new patient (Pn) and existing in the database patient (Pe) in the following order:

- 1. Date of birth match this is done by progressively deepening into the comparison:
  - First, the year of birth is compared;
    - o If they match, the system proceeds to compare the next parameter;
    - o If they don't match, Pe and Pn are not considerate being duplicates (comparison stops).
  - Second, the month of birth is compared:
    - o If it is specified for both patients, proceed to compare the next parameter;
    - If it is specified for both patients and doesn't match, Pe and Pn are not considered duplicates (comparison stops).
    - If in one or both patients, the month of birth is not specified in one or both patients, the system will consider them matching and compare the following parameter.
  - Third, the day of birth is compared:
    - If it is specified for both patients and match, the rule is satisfied. The system proceeds to compare the next parameter.



- If it is specified for both patients and don't match, Pe and Pn are not considerate being duplicates (comparison stops).
- If in one or both patients the day of birth is not specified, the system will consider them matching and proceed to compare the next parameter.

#### 2. Sex at birth match

- If in one or both patients records the sex is not specified (patients registered through the previous system sometimes do not have this data), the system will consider them matching and proceed to compare the next parameter.
- If it is specified for both patients and don't match, Pe and Pn are not considerate being duplicates (comparison stops).

#### 3. **Blood group** match

- If the blood group is not specified for one patient, the system will consider them matching and proceed to compare the next parameter.
- If it is specified for both patients and don't match, Pe and Pn are not considerate being duplicates (comparison stops).

#### 4. Rhesus factors match:

- If in one or both patients records the rhesus factor is not specified (patients registered through the previous system sometimes do not have this data), the system will consider them matching and proceed to compare the next parameter.
- If it is specified for both patients and doesn't match, Pe and Pn are not considered duplicates (comparison stops).

#### 5. Initials match

- If it is specified for both patients and match, the match should be exact, disregarding the lower/upper case: e.g. A/G match a/g, while NN/S do not match N/S.
- If it is specified for both patients and don't match, patients are not considerate being duplicates.
- If in one or both patients the initials are not specified, the system will consider them matching and proceed to compare the next parameter.

The following cases may arise in case EBMT Registry identifies possible duplicate(s):

**Case 2:** The user is trying to create a patient that is a possible duplicate of an existing patient. The user has access to existing patient data and thus can review data and check whether patients are duplicates or not. The EBMT Registry lists potential duplicates for the user's review (see screenshot below).



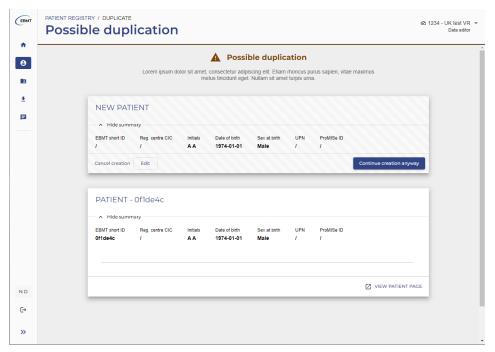


Image 70, the warning for a possibly duplicate patient where the user has access to the other patient

#### Possible actions for the user:

Review: The user carefully examines the potential duplicate records to determine whether they correspond to the same patient or, if indeed, separate individuals.

Final action: Based on the user's evaluation, the application allows the user to either:

- proceed with the registration of a new patient (by clicking *Continue creation anyway*): the new patient will be registered but marked as tentative pending administrator review;
- cancel the new patient creation (by clicking *Cancel creation*) and select an existing patient record to register or edit data.

Case 3: The user is trying to create a patient that is a possible duplicate of an existing patient. The user does not have access to the data of an existing patient (this patient is not in the user <u>Context</u>) and thus cannot review data and check if the patients are duplicates or not. The EBMT Registry shows the respective warning (see screenshot below). The data of patients outside of the user context are not visible.



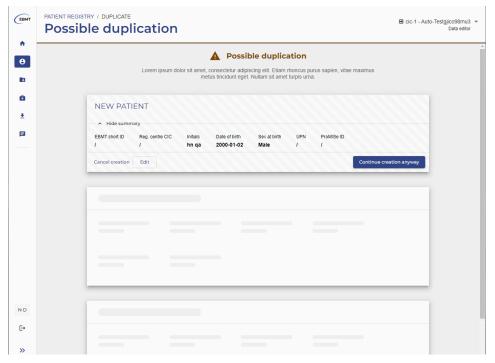


Image 71, the warning for a possible duplicate patient where the user does not have access to the possible duplicate

#### Possible actions for the user:

Based on the user's evaluation, the application allows the user to either:

- proceed with the registration of a new patient (by clicking *Continue creation anyway*): the new patient will be registered but marked as tentative pending Administrator review;
- cancel new patient creation (by clicking Cancel creation).

If the EBMT Registry does not suspect a new patient under creation as a possible duplicate, the patient is registered in the system and appears immediately in the patient overview list.



#### Access to the EBMT Registry: all users HOW TO

Here is simple step-by-step for a user to get access to the EBMT Registry:

1. Submit the *EBMT Registry User Account Request form* to the EBMT Registry Helpdesk by emailing registryhelpdesk@ebmt.org.

It is important to note that the user role will be already indicated at this stage. The form must be properly filled in and signed by the PI of the centre or VR.

If a user requires access to multiple contexts, the form needs to be filled in per each context.

#### 2. Complete the EBMT Registry training in the EBMT E-learning platform.

EBMT will activate access to the EBMT Registry only for the individuals who have successfully completed the specifically designed training and passed the exam in the EBMT E-learning. This is in order to ensure that the users are able to work with the new web application and the database.

Access to the E-learning training will be provided to all users who submit the *EBMT Registry User Account Request form*.

In case a user requires access to multiple contexts with different roles, the following should be taken into account:

Completed Data viewer training - is valid only for users to be granted a Data viewer role.

Completed Data editor training - is valid for both Data viewer and Data editor roles.

Only certificates on successful completion of the respective course in the EBMT E-learning will be recognised and considered while setting a user account in the EBMT Registry.

Additional online or face-to-face training course(s), questions and answers sessions, and other events provided by EBMT, National Registries or other stakeholders may be organised to support the users but cannot substitute the E-learning training.

It should be expected that new functionalities will be developed and added to the EBMT Registry application in the future, which will be announced to the EBMT members and stakeholders accordingly. In case of major changes, the users might be asked to undergo additional specific training and pass exams.

Note: the EBMT will require some time to process the confirmation on successful completion of the EBMT E-learning course and for the administrator to create/activate the user in the system and link to a correct context. Until this is completed, when a user Signs up or Signs in to the EBMT Registry, they may experience the following problems:

- Warning message that there is no active user with such email; or
- Required centre/VR is not shown in the Context menu (as requested in the EBMT Registry User Account Request form).

#### 3. Sign up and Sign in to the EBMT Registry application.

The sign in (log in) to the EBMT Registry web-based application is currently done through the *AWS Cognito* service, which is an external service to manage the identity and authentication of users.



All <u>Users</u> need to set up and pass 2-factor authentication, which means that every time they want to sign in to the EBMT Registry, they not only enter their login and password but also need to confirm the entry through an additional <u>MFA</u> authenticator program.

Details on <u>Sign up</u>, <u>Setting up the MFA</u>, <u>Sign in</u> and other related processes will be further explained in the current section of the Manual.



#### First time sign up - how to create login and password

Please follow the following step-by-step to create a username and password to access the EBMT Registry for the first time:

Step	User actions →	EBMT Registry
1	Open the app in your browser.	The regular Log in page opens.
	Sign in with your us Username Username Password Password Forgot your password	sername and password
		Sign in
	Need an	account? Sign up
2	Click the <i>Sign up</i> text button at the bottom of the form.	The <i>Sign up with a new account</i> form opens.
	✓ Password must cor ✓ Password must cor ✓ Password must cor ✓ Password must cor space ✓ Password must nor space	ntain a lower case letter ntain an upper case letter
3	Fill-in the Sign up with a new account form:  • Create Username; • Input Email (it must be the same email as in the EBMT Registry User Account Request form); • Create Password, check that password requirements are met	The <b>Confirm your account</b> form opens.



and thus all highlighted in green; and Click the Sign up button. Confirm your account We have sent a code by email to t\*\*\*@e\*\*\*. Enter it below to confirm your account. Verification code **Confirm account** Didn't receive a code? Send a new code Check the mailbox specified in Step 2. There will be a new email from no-reply@verificationemail.com with the confirmation code that contains six digits. If you cannot find such an email in your Inbox, please check the Spam folder. no-reply@verificationemail.com Your confirmation code is 784429 ← Reply (← Reply to all → Forward If the mail still has not arrived after a few minutes, please go to the Confirm your account window and press Send a new code text button, which is located at the bottom of this modal window. The system will send a new code to the entered email address. 5 Enter the confirmation code from the If the code is entered correctly, the system will email to *Confirm your account* form and proceed to Set up MFA process. click the *Confirm account* button. If the code is entered incorrectly, the system will Important: Sign up confirmation code is show an error: Invalid verification code provided, valid for 24 hours. After that, it expires. please try again. Please make sure to enter received code into the required field of Confirm your Try entering the code again or request a new account form and complete the Sign up code to be sent with Send a new code text process at your earliest and before this button. deadline.

Table 12, steps on setting up your credentials



#### Set up MFA

Instructions on setting up the <u>authenticator</u> <u>application MFA</u> are displayed on the screen (Image #). It includes the following steps:

Install an authenticator application on your mobile device.

OR

Install an authenticator application on your computer.

Important: remember that this device must always be available when a user tries to sign in to the EBMT Registry. It is not possible to use different devices.

2. Scan the QR code displayed on the screen (Image 72) with your authenticator app - this will automatically add your account to the authenticator app.

OR

Alternatively, you can click the *Show secret key* text button and manually enter the shown secret key (combination of letters and numbers) into your authenticator app. Depending on the app, you might also be asked to enter the name of the account and the type of code.

### Set up authenticator app MFA



Install an authenticator app on your mobile device.



Scan this QR code with your authenticator app. Alternatively, you can manually enter a secret key in your authenticator app.

Show secret key

- 3 Enter a code from your authenticator app
- a

Enter a friendly device name - optional

b

Sign in
Back

Image 72, setting up authenticator app MFA

- 3. a) Verify your account: once you have added your account to the authenticator app, you will need to verify it. This involves entering a code that is generated by the app into the field **a** on Image 72. This code changes every few seconds, so make sure you enter the correct code at the right time.
  - b) Enter an MFA device name into the field **b** on Image 72 to remember which device you use for entering the EBMT Registry. This field is optional. If you leave it blank, you will be shown in the future instructions with default text *Please enter the code from passcode app*.
- 4. Click the *Sign in* button at the bottom of *Set* up of authenticator application MFA form.

If the authenticator app was verified correctly and you entered the correct code, you will be signed in to the EBMT Registry and see the Dashboard.

Note: If the authenticator app was not verified correctly or you entered an incorrect code, you will see an error message *Invalid or expired code entered. Try again.* You can try entering the code



from your authenticator app once again, as explained in Step 3. If the sign-in failed again, try to remove the account from your authenticator app and set it up again, as explained in Step 2.

#### Regular Sign in

This section explains the process of entering the EBMT Registry for the users that have already done the first time <u>Sign up</u> (created their username and password) and <u>Set up MFA</u>. This means that such users have entered the EBMT Registry in the past:

Step	User actions <b>→</b>	EBMT Registry
1	Open the app in your browser.	The regular Sign in page opens.
	Username Username Password Password Forgot your password	ername and password  ?  Sign in account? Sign up
2	Fill-in the Sign in form:  Username - you can enter here the email address or your username registered at the first time Sign up.  Password - enter the latest password you registered.  Click the Sign in button.	If you entered the correct username and password, the <i>MFA Code</i> form to enter the code from your authenticator device opens.  Name of the device is displayed as registered in Step 3b of Set up MFA.  If you entered incorrect username and/or password, the error message <i>Incorrect username or password</i> will be shown.
	Please enter the code	from Google Auth. Sign in
3	Enter the code from your authenticator app into <i>MFA Code</i> form and click the <i>Sign in</i> button.	If you entered a correct code, you will be signed in to the EBMT Registry and see the Dashboard.  If you entered an incorrect code, you will see an error message <i>Invalid or expired code entered.</i> Try again. You can try entering the code from your authenticator app again.

Table 13, signing in after setting up your account



Important: after five consecutive failed login attempts, regardless of the reason (wrong username, wrong password, etc), there is an enforced lockout time for that user. A lockout time is a period in which the user cannot make any more attempts for authentication. Users should not try to sign in for a minimum of 15 minutes, after that, the user can do a normal sign-in attempt again or reset their password through the *Forgot your password* functionality. If the issue still persists, users should contact the Registry Helpdesk registryhelpdesk@ebmt.org.

Possible error messages:	Error related to topic	How to resolve
No active user with this email found in the system	Inactive user	<ol> <li>Make sure you have submitted an EBMT Registry User Account Request form with the same email address.</li> <li>Make sure you have successfully completed the EBMT E-learning training.</li> <li>Contact the EBMT Registry Helpdesk providing details of the user experiencing the problem (user registered email address must be indicated).</li> </ol>
No context assigned to a user	Context or Inactive Centre/VR	<ol> <li>Contact the EBMT Registry Helpdesk providing details of the user experiencing the problem (user registered email address must be indicated) and CIC number of the centre/VR.</li> </ol>

Table 14, common error messages and steps to resolve them



#### Password change

Users can change their password in two ways:

- 1. from the EBMT Registry login page;
- 2. from the <u>User profile</u> when the user is in the EBMT Registry (signed in).
- 1. Here is step by step to change the password from the EBMT Registry login page:

Step	User actions	EBMT Registry	
1	Open the app in your browser.	The regular Sign in page opens.	
	Username Username Password Password Forgot your password	sername and password  Sign in account? Sign up	
2	Click Forgot your password? text button at the Sign in page.	The Forgot your password page opens.	
	message to reset your	d? below and we will send a	
3	Enter your Email or Username into the field at <i>Forgot your password</i> page and press <i>Reset my password</i> button.	The system will send the code for the password change to the registered email.  The Change password page opens.	



	n***@e***. Enter it bel Code  a New Password  b Enter New Password  c	vord reset code by email to low to reset your password.  I Again  ge Password	
	Check the mailbox specified on Steno-reply@verificationemail.com with the content of the content	onfirmation code the spam for the spanning span	older.
4	Fill in fields <b>a</b> , <b>b</b> and <b>c</b> in <i>Change password</i> page: - enter the confirmation code from the email to the field <b>a</b> ; - enter a new password to the field <b>b</b> ; - enter a new password again to the field <b>c</b> ; check that password requirements are met and thus all highlighted in green.  Click the <i>Change password</i> button.  Important: password reset code is valid for 1 hour only. After that it expires. Please make sure to finalise Password change/reset before this deadline.	used.	page opens.  is now saved and should be  Sign in process to enter the

Table 15, steps after a user forgets their password for the EBMT Registry



2. When the user is signed in to the EBMT Registry they can change their password in the following way:

Step	User actions	EBMT Registry
1	Open <u>User profile</u> at the <u>Navigation menu</u> and click the <b>Reset password</b> button.	The Forgot your password page opens.
	ID 0311583 FIRST NAME LAST NAME Nadila Dyba EMAIL nadila.dyba@ebmt.org	cofile details  act the Registry Helpdesk by sending an email to  SWORD  CLOSE
	Follow the <b>Steps 2-4</b> as described above to change the password from the EBMT Registry login page.  Important: password reset code is valid for 1 hour only, after that it expires. Please	
	make sure to finalise Password change/reset before this deadline.	

Table 16, changing the password for the EBMT Registry



#### Reset MFA

Reset MFA is required in some cases, including but not limited to:

- user needs to change the MFA device or authentication application;
- previously used MFA device is not secure or lost.

Reset of MFA settings will also require the user to change both the password to the EBMT Registry and Set up MFA once again. The process for MFA reset is described in the following step by step:

	MFA once again. The process for MFA reset is described in the following step by step:		
Step	User actions	EBMT Registry	
1	Contact the EBMT Registry Helpdesk (registryhelpdesk@ebmt.org) to notify	Administrator resets users settings for MFA.	
	that the MFA device is lost or needs to be	Important: MFA settings reset involves multiple	
	changed. Provide details.	parties and may take up to 7 working days.	
	Check the mailbox. There will be a new email from <a href="mailto:no-reply@verificationemail.com">no-reply@verificationemail.com</a> with the information as provided in the example below. If you cannot find such an email in your Inbox please check the Spam folder.		
	Dear, Your account to the EBMT Registry has been reset by an administrator. You can log in using your original username and the temporary password below to (re-)configure MFA. Username: [username] Temporary password: [temporary password] (e.g. 2%vqDea0) Kind regards  Important: temporary password from MFA reset email is valid for 24 hours. After that, i expires. Please make sure to complete Steps 2-4 as soon as possible and before this deadline.		
2	Open the app in your browser.	The regular Sign in page opens.	
3	Enter the <b>Username</b> and <b>temporary password</b> received by email (in Step 1).	The Change Password page opens.	
	Change Please enter your ner New Password  Enter New Password		
		Send	
4	Enter a new password to the fields in the Change Password page.  Check that password requirements are met and thus all highlighted in green.	The Set up an authenticator app MFA window opens. Follow the Set up MFA process.	



Click the <b>Send</b> button.	

Table 17, resetting your multi-factor authentication



#### Sign out

Signing out of a web application is essential to ensure the security and privacy of sensitive data. By signing out, the user terminates the session of the web application. This means that once logged out, the user has to go through the Sign in process, including MFA, to enter the system again.

Signing out from the EBMT Registry is essential for several reasons, including:

- <u>Security</u>: Signing out from the application ensures that sensitive medical data is protected from unauthorised access by others who may have access to the user's computer or device.
- Privacy: Signing out of the application helps to protect user privacy.
- <u>Compliance</u>: Signing out of the application is necessary to comply with various regulations and standards governing the handling and storage of medical data, such as HIPAA and GDPR.

Step	User actions →	EBMT Registry
1	From anywhere in the EBMT Registry, cl the <i>Sign out</i> button or icon in t <u>Navigation menu</u> .	
	Sign in with yo Username Username	ur username and password
	Password	
	Password	10
	Forgot your pass	word?
		Sign in
	Nee	d an account? Sign up

Table 18, logging out

Note: simply closing the user's browser window or tab is not considered secure enough and does not substitute the sign out (logout) process. If a user does not sign out properly, the user's session may remain active in one of the open browser tabs, potentially allowing unauthorised access to the data.

If EBMT Registry was open in multiple tabs of the browser and the user terminates the session in one of the tabs (signs out), the information already loaded in the still open tab with EBMT Registry web app will remain visible, but upon reloading the EBMT Registry tab(s) (or any activity on the web page) the user will see the Sign in page.

If, for any reason, a user is using two or more browsers (not tabs) to work in the EBMT Registry simultaneously, The Sign-out process (session termination) should be done separately for each browser. It is not recommended, though, to work in multiple browsers to avoid confusion or editing conflicts.



# **Change Context**

The process below explains how to change the **Context** for users that have access to multiple contexts.

Step	User actions	EBMT Registry
1	From anywhere in the EBMT Registry, click the Context menu.	Dropdown list with the list of all available for the user active contexts will be open under the Context menu.
2	Click the context you want to be opened.	The <u>Dashboard</u> for the user in the selected context is loaded.  The Context menu displays the name of the context and user role.

Table 19, changing contexts



# Viewing data

Once the user with access to one or multiple contexts enters the EBMT Registry, they can navigate around and view the data available within their <u>context</u>.

Use the Navigation menu to open the Patient registry or Donor outcome registry.

Click the Patient in the <u>Patient Registry</u> or Donor in the <u>Donor outcome registry</u> to open and view the <u>Patient/Donor page</u>, and see summary data, timeline, and events.

From the Patient page, users can also open the <u>Patient menu</u> to see the following information about this patient:

- Patient registration data and related details.
- Consent data responses to EBMT Informed Consent questions.
- Studies summary on any EBMT and non-EBMT studies the patient was/is enrolled in.
- Centres Information on the patient registration centre as well as centres that have access to the patient record and the UPN for each of these centres.

From the Donor page, users can open the <u>Donor menu</u> to see the following information about this donor:

- Donor registration data and related details.
- Consent data responses to EBMT Informed Consent questions.
- Centres Information on the donor registration centre as well as centres that have access to the donor record and the Donor ID for each of these centres.

This section provides simplified step-by-step instructions to find and view various types of data within EBMT Registry user context for users of all roles.



## View Patient/Donor Event

Please follow the below step-by-step to access and view Patient/Donor events.

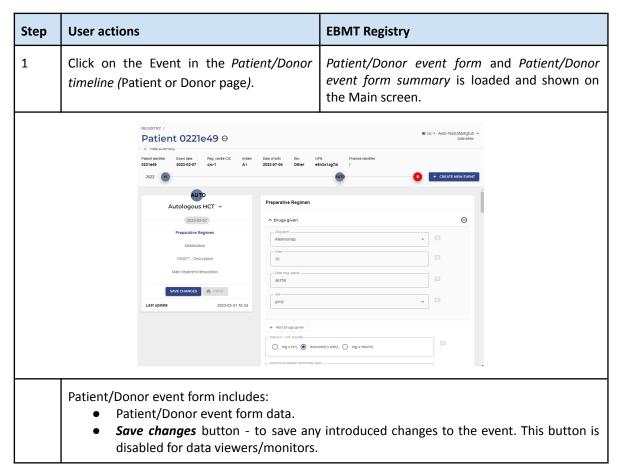


Table 20, viewing a patient/donor events



### **Editing Patient/Donor Details**

Please follow the step-by-step below to access and edit patient or donor general registration data fields and their EBMT patient ID or EBMT donor ID.

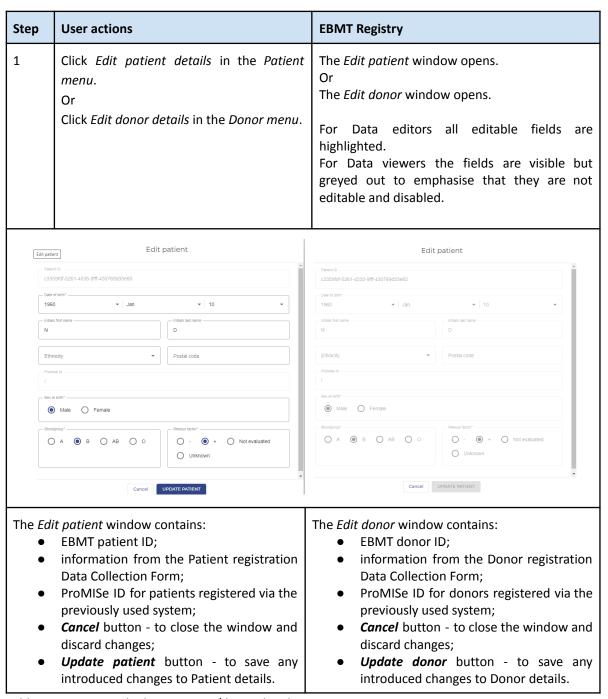


Table 21, viewing and editing patient/donor details



# **View Patient/Donor Consent**

Please follow the following step-by-step in order to access and view Patient or Donor informed consent-related data fields from the Patient registration DCF or Donor registration DCF:

Step	User actions	EBMT Registry
1	Click Manage consent in the Patient menu or in Donor menu.	The Manage Patient Consent or Manage Donor Consent window opens. The fields are visible but greyed out to highlight that they are not editable and disabled. For changing consent information, contact the helpdesk.
	Manage patien	t consent
	Did the patient consent to having their data submitted to EBMTY*       Yes	i
	Date of informed consent* 2020-01-15	
	is your contribusing the EBMT consent funds*  (i) Yes	
	Old the patient consent to data sharing with hearn authorities and/or researcher  (a) Yes No Uniknown	97
	Out the patient consent to data shalling with Health Technology Assessment bod	es (CA)P*
	Dat the gallest consent to data sharing with Mahmar Authorsaldon Falders (MAP)  (ii) Yes No No Unknown	p-
	Did the polinet consent to their medical records being inviewed?"  (a) Yes (b) No (b) Unixinovin	
	Cancel UPDAT	E CONSENT
The Mo	anage patient consent window contains: Patient answers to the consent questions; Cancel button - to close the window and discard changes;	The Manage donor consent window contains:  • Donor answers to the consent questions;  • Cancel button - to close the window and discard changes;

Table 22, viewing patient and donor consent in the EBMT Registry



### **View Patient Studies**

The following steps can be used to manage patient studies. This concerns both external and EBMT working party studies.

Step	User actions →	EBMT Registry
1	Click Manage studies in the Patient menu.	The Manage Patient Studies window opens.
	Manage patio	ent studies
	Participation in study or trial?  Yes No  Study name  Patient can be included in EE  Yes No  + ADD EBMT STUDY	
	<ul> <li>The Manage patient studies window contains:</li> <li>Information on any non-EBMT studies of the Patient as indicated in the Patient registration form;</li> <li>Statement if the Patient can or cannot be included in EBMT studies;</li> <li>+ADD EBMT STUDY button - to add information about EBMT Study once the patient is enrolled. This button is disabled for data viewers.</li> <li>Cancel button - to close the window and discard changes;</li> <li>Update studies button - to save any introduced changes to Patient studies questions. This button is disabled for data viewers.</li> </ul>	

Table 23, viewing patient studies



## Set up personal filter

Creating or setting up a personal filter to filter or search for Patients or Donors follows the below logic:

- 1. Identify all the data fields that will be Parameters for the User's personal filter.
  - a. For each data field, identify the event (Data collection form) that contains this data field.
  - b. For each Patient event, identify the event category (if it refers to Patient Diagnosis, Treatment, Follow-up or Other category). There are no event categories for Donors and this step can be skipped.
  - c. For each Event, if there are multiple event types (e.g. Patient underwent multiple auto HCT treatments), will the filter consider all events or only a specific event? If only a specific event is to be considered for this filter, specify if it is the first or the last event from the respective patient timeline.
- 2. Identify the <u>Condition</u> and reference <u>Value</u> for each Parameter (data field). Parameter +Condition + Value will detail filter <u>Criteria</u>.
- 3. The relationships between the filter criteria can be either:
  - a. and: e.g. Criteria A and Criteria B and Criteria C;
  - b. or: e.g. Criteria A or Criteria B or Criteria C.
- 4. The filter Criteria can be divided into separate groups:
  - a. and: e.g. (Criteria A and Criteria B) and (Criteria C or Criteria D or Criteria E);
  - b. or: e.g. (Criteria A, Criteria B and Criteria C) or (Criteria A, Criteria D and Criteria E).

The process below explains how to set up a personal filter manually from scratch and filter the Patients list. For Donor outcome registry follow the same logic choosing Donor-related filter conditions.



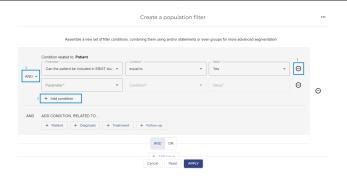


2a Click + Patient under Add condition, related to... to specify that data field of interest (filter parameter) that refers to Patient Registration information.

If the data field refers to another event category (not to Patient Registration but to Treatment, Diagnosis, Follow-up), choose the correct one by clicking + [Name of Event Category] button and follow the same logic.

The filter Criteria 1 is shown (Parameter, Condition, Value are 3 dropdown fields) to specify criteria that refer to the Patient Registration form.

- 1. The minus icon is shown to the right from the filter criteria. It can be used to delete/remove this whole filter criteria regardless of whether it is empty or filled in with data.
- 2. +Add condition button is shown under filter criteria and can be used to add one more filter criteria that refers to Patient Registration
- 3. Use *and/or* toggle button to the left from filter Criteria 1 to specify the relationship between this condition and the following ones. This toggle is shown when 2 or more criteria are shown.



Specify filter Criteria 1 using the dropdowns with answer options (Parameter, Condition, Value).



Selected Parameter, Condition and Value are displayed in filter Criteria 1.

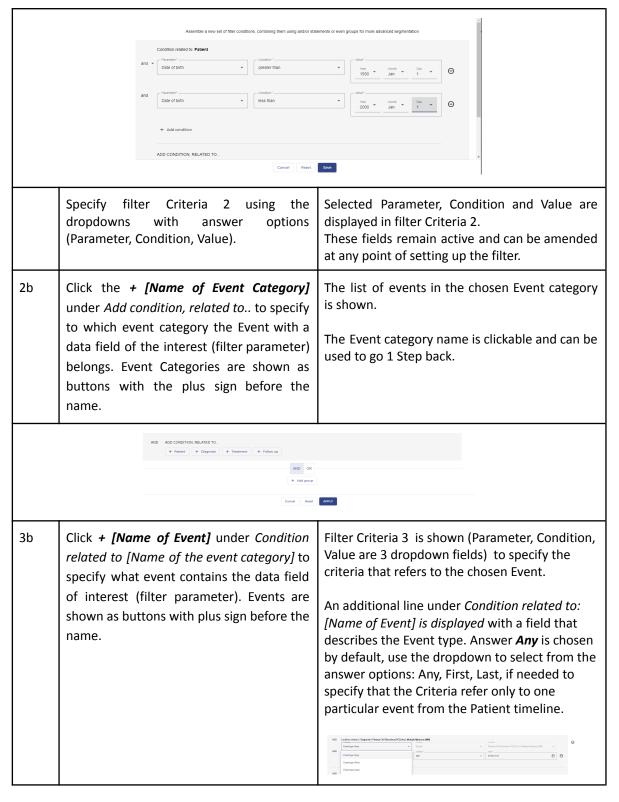
These fields remain active and can be amended at any point of setting up the filter.



4a Click **+Add condition** under displayed filter Criteria if you need to add one more filter Criteria that refers to the Patient Registration form.

Filter Criteria 2 (Parameter, Condition, Value are 3 dropdown fields) to specify criteria that refers to the Patient Registration form is shown.







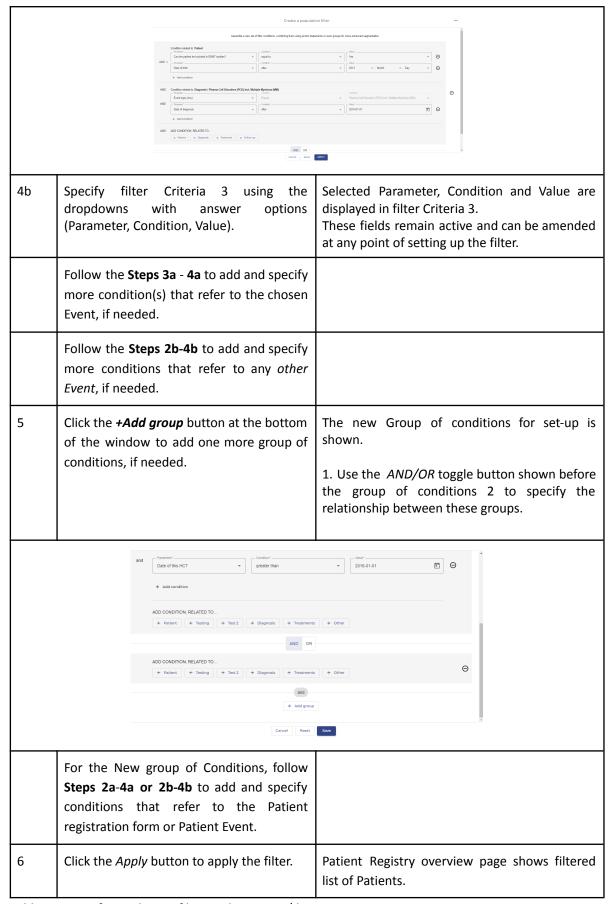
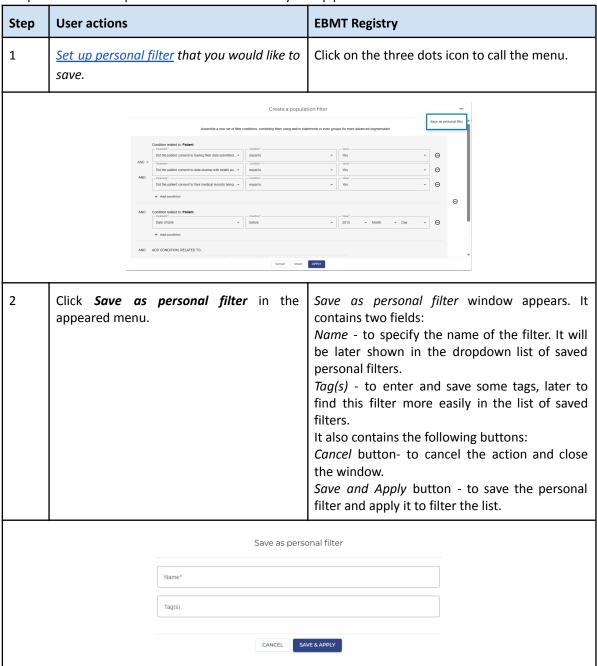


Table 24, steps for applying a filter to the patient/donor overview



### Save personal filter

The process below explains how to save an already set up personal filter.





Enter the Name you want to assign to this filter into the 1st field Name.

Enter tags into the 2nd field Tag(s): type the tag name and press Enter every time you want to have it entered as a tag.



Tags may include letters and numbers without space. The system will show an error if a space is used while naming a tag. Such tag needs to be removed and entered again in the correct format



Click Save and Apply button to save the filter.

Save as personal filter window closes. The filter is saved and applied to the overview list. Filtered list is loaded in the main screen.

The filter's name and number of conditions it contains are shown above the filtered list.

The filter is now shown in the list of saved personal filters.

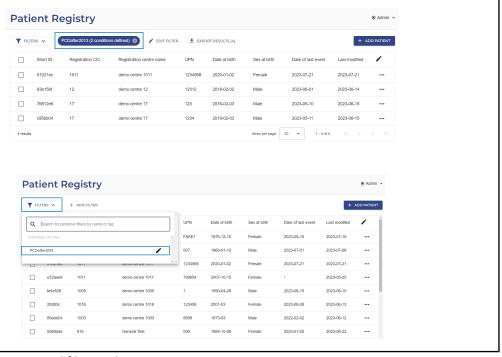


Table 25, making a personal filter and saving it



## Edit personal filter

The process below explains how to edit an already saved personal filter.

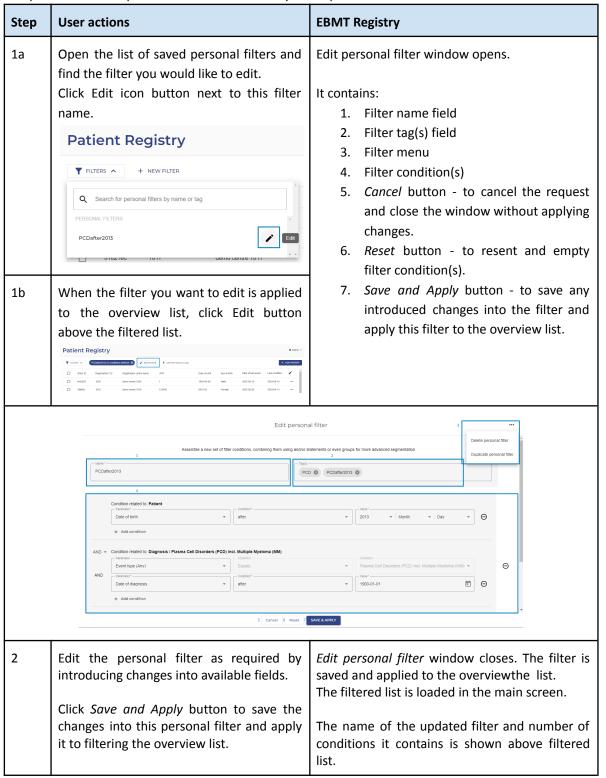






Table 26, editing a personal filter

# Delete personal filter

Note: deletion of a personal filter is an irreversible action. It is not possible to restore deleted filters.

The process below explains how to delete any saved personal filter.

Step	User actions	EBMT Registry
<b>1</b> a	Open the Edit personal filter window as explained <a href="here">here</a> .  Click Filter menu icon and then Delete personnel filter option.  Edit personal filter  August 100 of the indicate cortect personal filter  Total personal	The warning window will appear, asking for confirmation on the requested action. It contains:  Cancel button - to cancel the request and return to Edit personal filter window.  Delete personal filter button - to confirm the deletion of this personal filter.
	Condition related to: Patient  Are you sure you want to de  Patients**  Date of birth	lete this personal filter?
2	Click the <i>Delete personal filter</i> button to confirm the deletion.	This personal filter is deleted from the system and thus removed from the list of saved personal filters. The unfiltered overview list is loaded in the main screen

Table 27, deleting a personal filter



## Duplicate personal filter

The process below explains how to duplicate or create a copy of any saved personal filter.

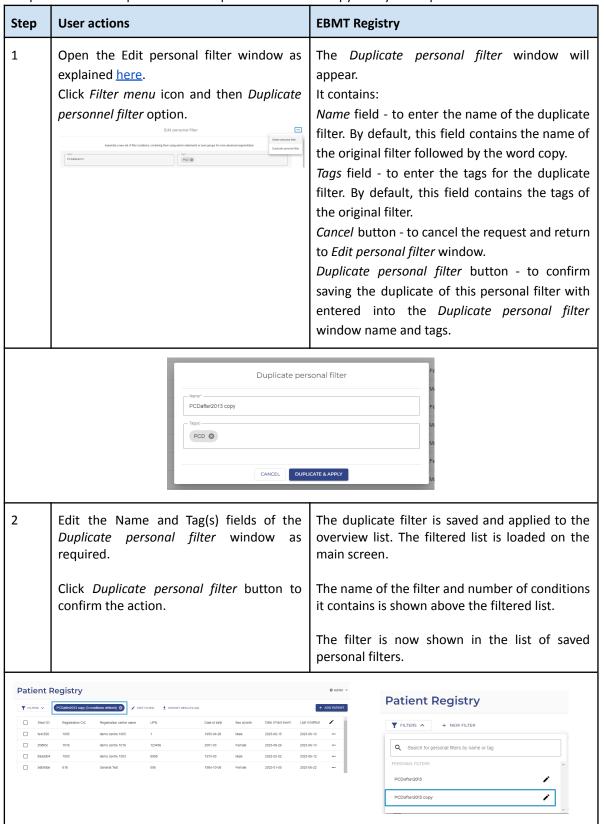


Table 28, duplicating a personal filter



# View anonymous events

The process below explains how to access and view anonymous events in the user Context.

Step	User actions			EBMT Registry
1	Click Anonymous events in the Navigation menu.		vigation	Anonymous events overview page opens
	Anonymous events			■ 515 - General first → Call editor
				+ ADD NEW EVENT
	Eve	ent date Event type name		Creation date
	202	23-06-20 Minimal Essential Data		2023-06-20
	202	23-06-20 Minimal Essential Data		2023-06-20
	201			2023-06-22
	200			2023-06-27
		2006 Minimal Essential Data 5 Nicutio		2023-07-05  Thems per spage
	į			
2	Click the event you wish to open and view.		nd view.	The Anonymous event is loaded and shown on the main screen.
		ANONYMOUS EVENTS / Anonymous event ebd9f52		88 414 - General Tot = Management
		Minimal Essential Data V	Minimal essential data	
		2012	— Year of degrees ———————————————————————————————————	▼   Month
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			▼ Month ▼   City ▼	
			Type of treatment — Allogeneic HCT	p
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Table 29, viewing anonymous events



#### **Print Patient or Donor Event**

Since the EBMT Registry is a web application, users are always able to print the webpage through the web browser.

Step	User actions			Web browser
1	Open the Patient event that you wish to print Click on the right side button of your mouse.		A dropdown with options will appear.	
2	Plasma Cell Disorders (PCD) Incl. Multiple M   Plasma Cell Disorders (PCD) Incl. Multiple M   Done Distance (PCD) Incl. Multiple Malice (PCD) Incl. Multiple Myslema (MN)  Plasma Cell Disorders (PCD) Incl. Multiple Myslema (MN)  Plasma Cell Disorders (PCD) Incl. Multiple Myslema (MN)  Distance (PCD) Incl. Multiple Myslema (MN)  Convention (PCD) Incl. Multiple Myslema (MN)  Conventio	Plasma Cell Disorders (PCD) Incl. M.  Des et alegana  2002-05-07  Plasma Cell Disorders (PCD) Incl. M.  Plasma Cell Disorders (PCD) Incl. M.  Incl. Cell Disord	Lulisjole Myveloma (MM) - Classification	A popup will appear, showing a preview of the print and the option to print.
		P Paperpile  View page source Inspect		

Table 30, printing patient or donor events

The printed version of an event received as a result of the currently explained process is not identical to the paper version of a Data Collection Form because it does not show answer options to data fields, does not display questions dependent on other factors than entered values, etc.



# Data Editor-related functionality

The EBMT Registry was designed so that users can fill a paper Data Collection Form first and then enter the information into the EBMT Registry, or fill the information online directly. The use of the EBMT Registry online platform is preferred, as it saves time, avoiding mistakes while transferring data from paper to the EBMT Registry, the system will also check for potential errors (validation checks) and navigate the user through the required fields (depending on answer to a question, dependant sub questions appear).

Reminder: It is important to save changes regularly during the data entry process.

#### **Add Patient**

The process below explains how to register (add) a new patient to the EBMT Registry.

Step	User actions	EBMT Registry
1	From the Patient Registry overview page click Add patient.	Add a new patient window opens. It contains data fields from the a Patient registration form and is represented as 3 steps form (it can be considerate as 3 pages or sections of the same form):  1. Patient consent - contains data fields related to the Patient Informed consent.  2. Patient registration - includes data fields related to the general patient registration data (UPN, birthdate, initials, etc.).  3. Patient studies - data fields to inform if a patient is part of any non-EBMT study and study-related data.
		At the bottom of the form there are shown the following buttons:  Cancel - use this button to cancel new Patient creation. The Add a new patient window will be closed, already entered information, if any, will be lost.  Next - use this button to proceed to the next step (page) of the registration form.





Answer questions in the Patient consent section. Remember to add the Date of the Patient informed consent.

Click the *Next* button at the bottom of the *Add a new patient* window.

It is important that all questions of this section are mandatory and shall not be left blank. If a user proceed to next sections of the *Add a new patient*, the title of the Patient consent section will be marked with an Error and shown as

Patient consent Form invalid

The Patient registration section will be shown in the *Add a new patient* window.

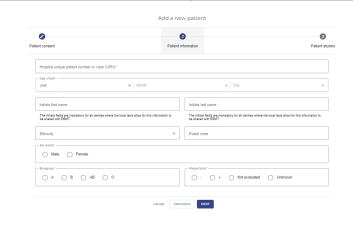
At the bottom of the form there are shown the following buttons:

Cancel (explained in the Step 1).

**Previous** - use this button to go back to the previous section Patient consent (Step 1).

Next (explained in Step 1).

Data editors in VR context that Add a new patient will see one extra data field *Centre*, where they must specify the registration centre for this Patient.





Answer questions in the Patient registration section.

Click the *Next* button at the bottom of the *Add a new patient* window.

UPN number is a critical data field that should be entered correctly at this step. Please check it is correct before proceeding.

All data fields (except Ethnicity and Postal code) are shown as mandatory and shall be filled in. If a user proceed to the next section of the *Add a new patient or* returns to a previous one, the title of the Patient registration section will be marked with an Error and shown as following:



Due to legal restrictions in some countries, in rare cases patients initials may not be reported, the field will still be highlighted with an error, but it will not block Adding a new Patient to the EBMT Registry.

The Patient Studies section will be shown in the *Add a new patient* window.

At the bottom of the form are the following buttons:

Cancel (explained in the Step 1).

**Previous** - use this button to go back to the previous section, Patient consent (Step 1).

**Create patient** - the button to confirm Adding a new patient to the EBMT Registry with registration data entered in the *Add a new patient* window.





4 Answer questions in the Patient studies section.

Click the *Create patient* button at the bottom of the *Add a new patient* window.

If all mandatory fields were filled in the Add a new patient window, the patient duplicate check will be performed, and if it is successful, the new Patient is successfully created in the EBMT Registry, and the Patient page is shown on the main screen.

If the data of the patient the user is trying to register is matching the data of an existing patient, there will be shown a warning or error message, as explained in detail in the <a href="Duplicate">Duplicate</a> check section.

If there is missing information in the mandatory fields, the corresponding section of the form is highlighted with an error, the data field is highlighted in red. *The Create patient* button may be clicked, but the *Add a new patient* window remains open. Add information to the mandatory fields and click the Create *patient* button.



Table 31, instructions on how to add a patient to the EBMT Registry



# **Add Donor**

The process below explains how to register (add) a new donor to the EBMT Registry.

Step	User actions		EBMT Registry
1	From the Donor outcomes re overview page click Add donor.	egistry	Add a new donor window opens.  It contains data fields from a Donor registration form and is represented in a two steps form (it can be considered as two pages or sections of the same form):  1. Donor consent - contains data fields related to the DonorInformed consent.  2. Donor registration - includes data fields related to the general donor registration data (GRID, Donor ID, birthdate, initials, etc.).  At the bottom of the form, there are shown the following buttons:  Cancel - use this button to cancel new Donor creation. The Add a new donor window will be closed, and already entered information, if any, will be lost.  Next - use this button to proceed to the next step (page) of the registration form.
	0	Add a new d	onor
	Donor consent		Dono Information
	○ Yes ○ No		
	Date of informed consent*		<b>C</b>
	○ Yes ○ NO		
	Out the down connects to data sharing with feath achindres and/or meanches?"  Yes No Unknown		
	Cld the disnor consent to data sharing with Intel® Technology (Assessment bodies (  Yes No Unknown	(HTA)?"	
	Oil the door consent to their medical freeign invested?"  Yes No Unknown		
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Answer questions in the Donor consent section. Remember to add the Date of the Donor informed consent.

Click the *Next* button at the bottom of the *Add a new donor* window.

It is important that all questions of this section are mandatory and shall not be filled in. If a user proceeds to the next section of the *Add a new donor*, the title of the Donor consent section will be marked with an Error and shown as follows



Donor consent Form invalid The Donor registration section will be shown in the *Add a new donor* window.

At the bottom of the form there are shown the following buttons:

Cancel (explained in the Step 1).

**Previous** - use this button to return to the previous section Donor consent (Step 1).

**Create donor** - the button to confirm Adding a new donor to the EBMT Registry with registration data entered in the *Add a new donor* window.

Data editors in VR context that Add a new donor will see one extra data field *Centre*, where they must specify the registration centre for this Donor.



Answer questions in the Donor registration section.

Click the *Create donor* button at the bottom of the *Add a new donor* window.

If a user returns to a previous section, the title of the Donor registration section will be marked with an Error and shown as following:



Donor information Form invalid

Due to legal restrictions in some countries, in rare cases donor initials may not be reported, the field will still be highlighted with an error, but it will not block Adding a new donor to the EBMT Registry.

If the data is entered correctly, the new Donor is successfully created in the EBMT Registry, and the Donor page is shown in the main screen.

If there is missing information in the mandatory fields, the corresponding section of the form is highlighted with an error, the data field is highlighted in red. *The Create donor* button may be clicked, but the *Add a new donor* window remains open. Add information to the mandatory fields and click the Create *patient* button.





Table 32, instructions on how to add a donor to the EBMT Registry



### **Edit Patient details**

Please follow the following step-by-step in order to edit Patient general details-related data fields from the Patient registration DCF:

- A. date of birth;
- B. initials for name;
- C. initials for surname;
- D. ethnicity;
- E. postal code;
- F. sex at birth;
- G. blood group;
- H. rhesus factor.

Step	User actions	EBMT Registry
1	In the Patient page click on the three dots button to the right from the Patient short ID to call the Patient menu.	The <b>patient menu</b> will open.
	PATIENT REGISTRY / Patient 01789ea ©  A Hide summary  EBMT short ID Event date cic-2  Reg. centre cic-2  Manage contres  Manage consent  Manage studies  Delete patient	☐ cic-2 - FAKEcentre-2 → Data editor  ProMise ID    + ADD NEW EVENT
2	Click on <i>Edit patient details</i> in the Patient menu.	The Edit patient window will appear. There are the following buttons at the bottom of the window:  Update patient - to apply the changes in the shown data fields.  Cancel - to discard the changes. Use this button to close the Update this patient window without saving any changes done.



Step	User actions	EBMT Registry
	Date of beth*  1956	poatient  v 2  Indias late rame W  Postal code
5	Edit required fields. Click the <i>Update patient</i> button to apply the changes	The patient details are updated. The <i>Update this patient</i> window disappears. Patient page is displayed at the main screen.

Table 33, instructions on how to update patient information

Note: The Edit patient window also shows the EBMT Patient ID if it is required to see this information through the user interface. This field is not editable but is for information purposes only.



#### **Edit Donor details**

Please follow the following step-by-step to edit Donor general details and related data fields from the Donor registration DCF:

- A. date of birth;
- B. initials for name;
- C. initials for surname;
- D. sex at birth.

Step	User actions	EBMT Registry
1	In the Patient page click on the three dots button to the right from the Patient short ID to call the Patient menu.	The <b>patient menu</b> will open.
	DONOR OUTCOME REGISTRY /  Donor 7182fc7   A Hide summary  EBMT short ID Event date Reg. (cic-1)  Manage centres  Manage consent  Date of birth Sex at birth 1980-05-07 Female	Donor number ProMiSe ID GRID fgdfg1 / / /   + ADD NEW EVENT
2	Click on <i>Edit donor details</i> in the Patient menu.	The <i>Edit donor</i> window will appear. There are the following buttons at the bottom of the window: <i>Update donor</i> - to apply the changes in the shown data fields. <i>Cancel</i> - to discard the changes. Use this button to close the Update donor window without saving any changes done.
	Dozor   D	donor  of  v 1  v 1  of  state of name  update Donor
5	Edit required fields. Click the <i>Update patient</i> button to apply the changes	The patient details are updated. The <i>Update this patient</i> window disappears. Patient page is displayed at the main screen.

Table 34, instructions on how to update donor information

Note: The Edit donor window also shows the EBMT Donor ID if it is required to see this information through the user interface. This field is not editable but for information purposes only.



#### **Edit Patient studies**

Follow the instructions below to edit patient data related to non-EBMT studies, in particular:

- **a.** Edit the information as to whether the patient is participating in any non-EBMT study or trial and if answered Yes, to add study name;
- **b.** Indicate whether the patient can be included in the EBMT studies.

Information on patient enrolment into EBMT studies is managed by EBMT staff and shall not be added or edited by users from Centres or National registries.

EBMT staff will add every EBMT study-related information (E.g. *Working group; Study name; Study number; Study type; Patient ID number*).

Step	User actions	EBMT Registry
1	In the Patient page click on the three dots button to the right from the Patient short ID to call the Patient menu.	The <i>Patient menu</i> will open.
	PATIENT REGISTRY /  Patient ffdf21d ⊕  ^ Hide summary  EBMT short ID Event date Reg. ffdf21d 2020-06-02 616 Manage centres  Manage consent  Manage studies  Date of birth Sex at birth UP? 1960-01-10 Male 007	
2	Select <i>Manage studies</i> from the patient menu.	The <i>Manage patient studies</i> window will appear.  There are the following buttons at the bottom of the window: <i>Update studies</i> - to apply and save the changes in shown data fields. <i>Cancel</i> - to discard the changes. Use this button to close the Manage patient consent window without saving any changes done.



Step	User actions	EBMT Registry
	Participation in study or trial?  Yes  No  Study name  Patient can be included in EBMT studies?  Yes  No  Study name   + ADD EBMT STUDY	patient studies
5	Edit required fields.  Click the <i>Update studies</i> button to apply the changes.	The patient study-related data is updated. The Manage patient studies window disappears. Patient page is displayed on the main screen.

Table 35, instructions on how to update patient studies



# Delete Patient/Donor

Only the Administrator can delete a patient in exceptional circumstances. Data viewers and data editors cannot delete any patient or donor.



#### Add new event

Follow the instructions below to add a new patient or donor event.

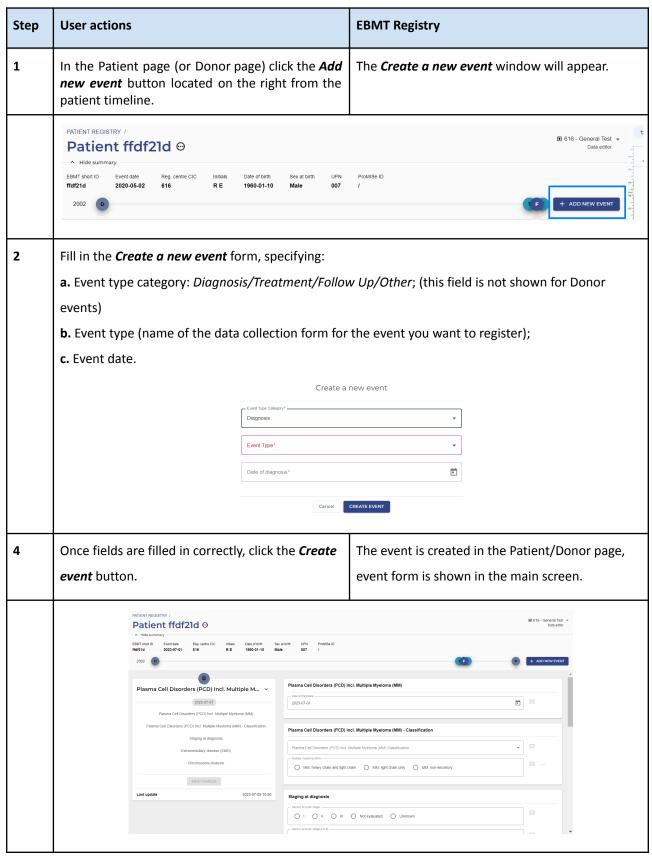


Table 36, instructions on how to add an event to a patient or donor timeline



# Edit event

Follow the instructions below to edit any registered patient or donor event.

Step	User actions	EBMT Registry	
1	In the Patient page (or Donor page) open the event form you wish to edit (add new data or edit data, etc.).  Make edits in the required data fields.  Click Save changes button in the Event summary.	The warning message asks for confirmation and the reason for this change.  It is possible to indicate the following reasons:  • Updates source information;  • Data entry error/mistake.  The window also contains the buttons:  Cancel - to cancel the request to save introduced changes. Use this button to cancel saving the changes to the database.  Save changes - use this button to confirm saving changes to EBMT Registry database.	
	Updated source information	State the reason for this change    Peason	
2	Indicate the reason for introduced changes from the dropdown list and click <i>Save changes</i> button	The changes are saved to the EBMT Registry database. The new version of the event form is created and recorded in the Audit log.  The event form with introduced changes is displayed in the main screen.	

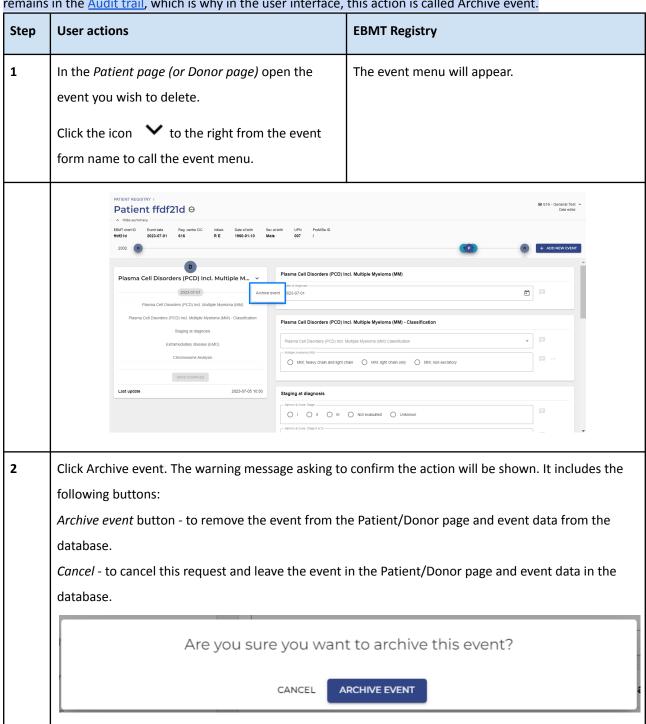
Table 37, instructions on editing an event on the patient or donor timeline



### Delete event

Follow the instructions below to remove the patient's or donor's event from the timeline.

The event is not deleted from the system in full. Data from the event is removed from the database, but it remains in the <u>Audit trail</u>, which is why in the user interface, this action is called Archive event.





Step	User actions	EBMT Registry
4	Click Archive event button.	The event disappears from the Patient/Donor timeline. The event with the latest date is loaded and shown on the main screen.

Table 38, instructions on how to delete (archive) an event

# Add anonymous event

Please note that the process below may slightly change for optimisation purposes or due to changes in the configuration of the form to register treatment for non-consenting patients.

The process below explains how to add an <u>anonymous event</u> to register minimum essential data on treatment of non-consenting patients in the user <u>Context</u>.

Step	User actions	EBMT Registry
1	Click Anonymous events in the Navigation menu.	Anonymous events overview page opens.
	Anonymous events	BB 616 - Clement Test ≠ Data exter
	Event date  2023-06-20  Minimal Essential Data  2023-06-20  Minimal Essential Data  2012  Minimal Essential Data  2012  Minimal Essential Data  2006  Minimal Essential Data  5 results	# ADD NEW CAST  Creation date  2023-66-20  2023-66-20  2023-66-27  2023-67-25  2023-67-25  Teams per salps: 20 * 1-5-stf 5 (
2	Click Add new event button.	The Create a new event window will appear. It contains:  Date entered - to create the anonymous event, enter the date you are reporting the anonymous event  Date field - to enter the year (date) of the treatment  Cancel button - to cancel anonymous event creation and go back to Anonymous events overview page.  Create event button - to create an anonymous event in the system



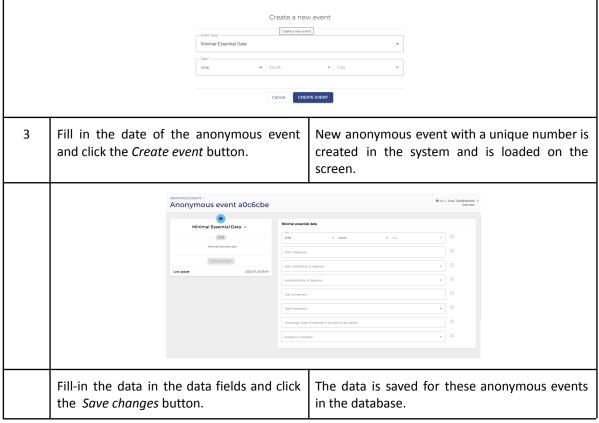


Table 39, instructions on how to add anonymous events



# Edit anonymous event

Follow the instructions below to edit any registered anonymous event.

Note that the events are made non-identifiable on purpose, so carefully check the entered information before editing data.

Step	User actions	EBMT Registry
1	In the Anonymous events overview page, open the event form you wish to edit (add new data or edit data, etc.).  Make edits in the required data fields.  Click Save changes button in the Event summary.	The warning message asks for confirmation and to state the reason for this change.  It is possible to indicate the following reasons:  • Updates source information;  • Data entry error/mistake.  The window also contains the buttons:  Cancel buttons to cancel the request to save introduced changes. Use this button to cancel saving the changes to the database.  Save changes - use this button to confirm saving changes to EBMT Registry database.
	State the reason for this change  Updated source information  Cancel SAVE CHANGES	
2	Indicate the reason for introduced changes from the dropdown list and click Save changes button	The changes are saved to the EBMT Registry database. The new version of the event form is created and recorded in the Audit log.  The anonymous event form with introduced changes is displayed on the main screen.

Table 40, instructions on how to edit an anonymous event



# Delete anonymous event

Follow the instructions below to remove any anonymous event from the system.

Note that the events are made non-identifiable on purpose, so carefully check the entered information before editing data.

The anonymous event is not deleted from the system in full. Data from the event is removed from the database, but it remains in the <u>Audit trail</u>, which is why, in the user interface, this action is called Archive event.

Step	User actions	EBMT Registry	
1	Open the page of the Anonymous event page you wish to delete.	The event menu will appear.	
	Click the icon to the right from the event form name to call the event menu.		
	Anonymous event e640c4a    Minimal Essential Data		
2	Click Archive event.	The warning message asking to confirm the action will be shown.  It includes the following buttons:  Archive event button - to remove the Anonymous event from the system.  Cancel - to cancel this request and leave the event in the database.	
Are you sure you want to archive this event?  CANCEL ARCHIVE EVENT			
3	Click Archive event button.	The Anonymous event disappears from the system. Anonymous events overview page is shown on the main screen with the updated list.	

Table 41, instructions on how to delete (archive) an anonymous event



# **Abbreviations**

EBMT	European Society for Blood and Marrow Transplantation
Allo-HCT	Allogeneic HCT
Auto-HCT	Autologous HCT
ст	Cellular therapy
IST	Immunosuppressive therapy
MFA	Multi-factor authentication
ОМОР CDM	Observational Medical Outcomes Partnership Common Data Model
DCF	Data collection form

Table 42, abbreviations