

Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease (CJD) Information Sheet

You must review all of the countries listed below and their criteria to see if they apply to you. Some countries may be listed more than once.

Do not donate if...

- You ever received a dura mater (or brain covering) transplant during head or brain surgery.
- You ever received human pituitary growth hormone (brain extract).
- Any blood relative has had Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease.
- You have been told that your family is at risk for Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease.
- You received an injection of bovine (beef) insulin between January 1, 1980, and the present made in any of the countries listed below.

Do not donate if...

You traveled to any country in the United Kingdom:

Channel Islands	Isle of Man
England	Northern Ireland
Falkland Islands	Scotland
Gibraltar	Wales



January 1, 1980
through
December 31, 1996



You spent a total time
that adds up to
3 months or more

→ **Do Not Donate**

You received a blood transfusion in the United Kingdom or France



January 1, 1980 to Present



Do Not Donate

Do not donate if...

You were in:

Belgium
Germany
Netherlands (Holland)



January 1, 1980
through
December 31, 1990



You were a member of the
U.S. Military

You were a civilian military
employee



You spent a total time of
6 months or more
associated with a
military base

You were in:

Greece
Italy
Portugal
Spain
Turkey



January 1, 1980
through
December 31, 1996



You were a dependent of a
member of the
U.S. Military

Do Not Donate

Do not donate if...

You were in:

Albania	Ireland (Republic of)	Spain
Austria	Italy	Spanish North African Territories (Penon de Velez De la Gomera, Penon de Alhucemas, Islas Chafarinas, and the cities of Centa and Melilla)
Azores	Kosovo	Sweden
Belgium	La Reunion	Switzerland
Bosnia/Herzegovina	Liechtenstein	Yugoslavia (or the former Federal Republic of Yugoslavia)
Bulgaria	Luxembourg	
Canary Islands	Macedonia	
Croatia	Martinique	
Czech Republic	Montenegro	
Denmark	Netherlands (Holland)	
Finland	Norway	
France	Poland	
French Guiana	Portugal	
Germany	Romania	
Greece	Serbia	
Guadeloupe	Slovak Republic	
Hungary	Slovenia	



January 1, 1980 to
Present



You spent a total
time of **5 years or
more** in Europe,
which includes time
spent in the United
Kingdom, or on
military bases **as
stated above**



Do Not Donate



If any of these apply to you, your donation cannot be accepted. If you have any questions, please ask us. We sincerely appreciate your support.