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Cheat Sheet—May 2024

Hello and welcome to our May 2024 Fritsma Factor Cheat Sheet. The Cheat Sheet provides links to our previous month's entries including the outcomes of our monthly Quick Question, sets the stage for our current Quick Question, and notifies our participants of upcoming activities. We encourage you to navigate back through our prior posts reaching back to 2007 and to take advantage of our informational audio PowerPoints.

Our sponsor, <u>Precision BioLogic Inc</u>. offers a series of webinars. Click <u>here for past presentations</u> and watch for future webinars as they are posted. We thank our sponsor for hosting Fritsma Factor and for encouraging a scientifically neutral non-marketing hemostasis idea exchange platform.

PTT-based UFH Therapeutic Range

On March 22, we posted a comment from Robyn Coleman entitled "Establishing the PTT-based UFH Therapeutic Range." The question stimulated a lively series of comments that extended into April. Click here for the series in case you missed it.

April 2024 QQ: Platelet Production and Functional Disorders.

Molecular diagnostic methods have defined scores of platelet disorders that by phenotype alone were categorized as production or functional disorders. Our <u>April 2024 Quick Question</u> "scratched the surface" by asking what disorder or syndrome is part of the *MYH9* gene mutation family. Click here for a summary of results and a commentary that <u>links to a seminal review article</u> about *MYH9*.

May 2024 QQ: Trigger Point for PLT Concentrate Therapy

Our <u>May 2024 Quick Question</u> polls our participants on the platelet count limit they use to provide platelet concentrate. We anticipate that you may choose to add a comment about your approach to the therapeutic use of concentrate.

ISTH Meeting in Bangkok

The <u>International Society for Thrombosis and Haemostasis</u> meets in Bangkok, Thailand. June 22–26. Join the world's leading minds in thrombosis and hemostasis for a convergence of groundbreaking research, unparalleled networking opportunities, and a chance to glean insights from global experts. Watch for Precision BioLogic and Affinity Biologicals in <u>booth 1619</u>.

Thank you for your continued interest in Fritsma Factor.

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