MANCHESTER ARENA ATTACK – INFORMATION FOR GPs

Overview: Management of bloodborne virus (BBVs) risk in bomb blast victims (hepatitis B, C and HIV)

It is a recognised complication of bomb injuries that implantation of human body projectiles, derived from other victims and from suicide bombers can occur; and that these projectiles create a potential risk of transmission of bloodborne viruses (BBVs). Public Health England has, therefore, released the attached advice to GPs.