MATERNAL BETA THALASSAEMIA OR ANY OTHER MAJOR Hb DISORDERS

Blood spot does not screen specifically for Beta Thalassaemia

Parents should have been counselled antenatally.

Check for plan in maternal notes



If high risk of being affected, send EDTA from baby (not cord) to haematology special laboratory, with baby details & parent names & DOBs on form



EDocs referral to Paediatric Haematologist with baby & parent details for follow up

Inform Newborn Screening team