

Complete documentation of any blood product transfusion is required to ensure safe patient care and to meet regulatory requirements. If an end time is inadvertently missed, the nurse manager can document the information retroactively.

### Manual Documentation

**STEP 1:** Enter **Bridge** from the toolbar within PowerChart.

**STEP 2:** Enter the patient's FIN in the **Patient ID** area of Bridge.

**STEP 3:** Update the **Facility** to accurately represent where the patient is/was located.

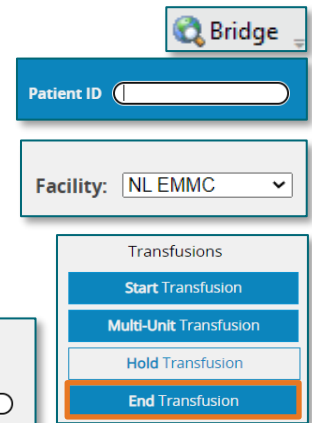
**STEP 4:** Select **End Transfusion**.

**STEP 5:** Confirm Patient by re-entering the patient's FIN.

- Click **Continue**.

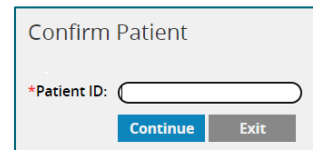
**STEP 6:** Manually enter the **Unit Number** for the transfusion that wasn't ended in Bridge.

- If the information doesn't auto-populate with the blood product, enter the **remaining information** and select **Continue**.

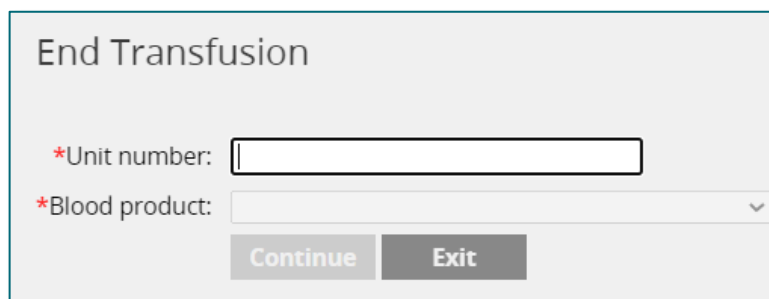


The screenshot shows the Bridge toolbar with the following elements:
 

- Patient ID:** A text input field.
- Facility:** A dropdown menu currently showing "NL EMMC".
- Transfusions:** A menu with four options: "Start Transfusion", "Multi-Unit Transfusion", "Hold Transfusion", and "End Transfusion". The "End Transfusion" option is highlighted with an orange border.



The screenshot shows the "Confirm Patient" dialog box with a text input field for "Patient ID" and "Continue" and "Exit" buttons.

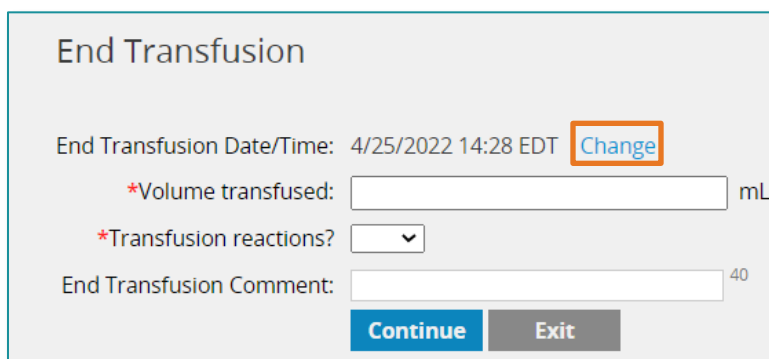


The screenshot shows the "End Transfusion" dialog box with the following fields:
 

- \*Unit number:** A text input field.
- \*Blood product:** A dropdown menu.
- Continue** and **Exit** buttons.

**STEP 7:** Complete the **End Transfusion** details.

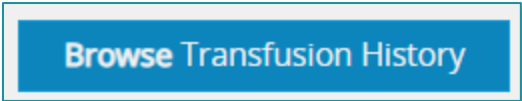
- To edit the time of the end of the transfusion, select **Change**.





The screenshot shows the "End Transfusion" dialog box with the following details:
 

- End Transfusion Date/Time:** 4/25/2022 14:28 EDT. A "Change" button is highlighted with an orange border.
- \*Volume transfused:** A text input field followed by "mL".
- \*Transfusion reactions?:** A dropdown menu.
- End Transfusion Comment:** A text input field with a character count of "40".
- Continue** and **Exit** buttons.

**STEP 8:** To view the patient's transfusion history, select **Browse Transfusion History**.

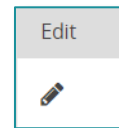


Edit	Info	Started	Ended	Unit Number (Product Name)	Volume	Reactions
		4/25/2022 14:28 EDT (by RN38)	4/25/2022 14:29 EDT (by RN38)	W067108371830 (RBC CPD AS1 500)	125.00	No

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**STEP 9:** To view the information, select the **pencil icon** in the **Edit** column.

- The **end transfusion time** and the **volume** may be edited.
- **Reaction Details** may be edited from this screen as well.
- When complete, select **Confirm**.



**Correct Transfusion Details**

Start Transfusion Date/Time: 4/25/2022 14:28

End Transfusion Date/Time:

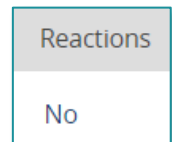
Unit number: W067108371830



Blood product: RBC CPD AS1 500 (E0316V00)

Volume transfused:  mL

Edit Reactions [Edit Reactions](#)

**STEP 10:** To add a **reaction** from the **Transfusion History**, click the word **No** in the **Reactions** column and document the reactions.



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