Donor Eligibility: International travel or living in certain countries can pose possibilities for exposure to a variety of diseases. Persons are at an increased risk for vCJD who spent three months or more cumulatively in the United Kingdom (U.K.) from the beginning of 1980 through the end of 1996. The U.K.** includes all of the following areas: England, Northern Ireland, Scotland, Wales, the Isle of Man, the Channel Islands, Gibraltar, and the Falkland Islands. Persons are also at increased risk for vCJD who spent 5 years or more cumulatively in Europe*** from 1980 until the present (note this criterion includes time spent in the U.K. from 1980 through 1996). European countries to be used for risk areas include: Albania, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Macedonia, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovak Republic, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom, and Yugoslavia. Risk associated with endemic diseases [e.g., Zika Virus (ZIKV), Ebola Virus Disease (EVD), malaria, Chagas disease, Leishmaniasis, dengue, chikungunya, etc.] in certain countries or areas may need to be considered when applicable. For current EVD guidance regarding Ebola-affected countries, access the CDC website Ebola Outbreak in West Africa - Outbreak Distribution Map. For current ZIKV guidance regarding areas where vector-borne (i.e., mosquito-acquired) transmission of ZIKV has occurred, access the CDC website Active ZIKV transmission areas/maps or Zika Travel Notices. Local determination and/or international requirements can be stricter.

**International “Travel to or Live” Question**

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**Did you EVER travel or live outside of the United States or Canada?**

- **Yes**
  - **Europe***?
    - **No**
      - **Eligible**
    - **Yes**
      - **5 years or more cumulatively from 1980 to present?**
        - **No**
          - **Birth Tissue Donor Ineligible**
        - **Yes**
          - **Consult current EVD guidance and any local policy**

- **No**
  - **Eligible**
  - **Next question**

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**Where? When and for how long?**

**Risk area not identified**

**See current ZIKV guidance for affected areas**

- **Visited or lived in affected area during this pregnancy**
  - **Yes**
    - **Birth Tissue Donor Ineligible**
  - **No**
    - **Eligible**

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**Consult current EVD guidance and any local policy**

- **3 months or more cumulatively in the U.K.** from 1980 through 1996?
  - **Yes**
    - **Birth Tissue Donor Ineligible**
  - **No**
    - **Next question**

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