

Instructions for Patients and their Families / Caregivers regarding Rituxan® treatment

- 1. Rituxan® infusions are scheduled differently according to the particular indication for treatment. There may sometimes be a slight variability to the set schedule which will not affect the outcome of your treatments.
- 2. You will be asked to provide certain laboratory test results prior to starting Rituxan® therapy at Provis. This will be coordinated through your treating oncologist or haematologist.

Please clarify with your treating hematologist/oncologist what your particular blood requirements are. If there is uncertainty about a treatment please call our office at 416-595-0500.

- 3. First infusions are generally 4 to 5 hours with subsequent infusions being in the approximately 2 to 3 hours.
- 4. A Provis physician may contact you and ask you to hold certain blood pressure medications on the day of the first infusion.
- 5. A Provis physician will be available to answer your questions prior to commencing your first treatment with Rituxan® at Provis Infusion Clinic.
- 6. For more information on this medication please also visit the manufacturer's website www.rituxan.com.

Please don't hesitate to contact us if you have any further questions. We would like to make this treatment as easy as possible for you. Thank you for your cooperation.

The Provis Team