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THE FOLLOWING RMA SOPS TAKE EFFECT ON 27 JANUARY, 2020

New SOPs	Nil
Revocations & Replacements	Kaposi sarcoma
Amendments	Nil

NOTEWORTHY FEATURES

Kaposi sarcoma	Revocation – 1 & 2 of 2020 Replaces 9 & 10 of 2011
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- There has been a name change, from “Kaposi’s sarcoma”, in keeping with the RMA’s policy for eponymously named diseases.
- The definition has been amended but SOP coverage is unchanged.
- The immunosuppressive drugs factor now covers a broader range of agents.
- There are new RH and BOP factors for: non-Hodgkin lymphoma; chronic lymphocytic leukaemia/small lymphocytic lymphoma; and, treatment with angiotensin converting enzyme inhibitors.

- There are new RH only factors for: chronic renal failure; autoimmune diseases; lymphoedema; and diabetes.

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