

Donor Eligibility: Policies regarding donor assessment for Zika Virus (ZIKV) risk should be established using current guidance. Per FDA/CBER for donors of placenta, persons are not eligible to donate if they resided in, or travel to, an area with active ZIKV transmission at any point during this pregnancy; see [Donor Screening Recommendations to Reduce the Risk of Transmission of Zika Virus by Human Cells, Tissues, and Cellular and Tissue-Based Products; Guidance for Industry](#). An area with "active ZIKV transmissions" means an area where vector-borne (i.e., mosquito-acquired) transmission of ZIKV has occurred. To capture scenarios where the woman is not aware of the earliest onset of pregnancy, the time period "during this pregnancy," could be expanded to address risk during the past ten (10) months. If the potential donor resided in, or travel to, an area with active ZIKV transmission before this pregnancy, donation can be considered. 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 policy and/or international requirements can be stricter.

