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### The University of Alberta Hospital Switches To CUSTODIOL® HTK

The University of Alberta Hospital has made [CUSTODIOL® HTK](#) their flush and preservation solution of choice for all abdominal organs.

Methapharm is proud to announce the addition of The University of Alberta Hospital to its roster of preferred customers including:

- Toronto MOTP, Trillium Gift of Life Network
- London Health Sciences Centre MOTP
- Halifax QEII MOTP
- St-Luc Hospital Quebec
- Ottawa General Hospital
- Hamilton St. Joseph's Hospital
- Winnipeg Health Sciences Centre
- IWK Hospital Halifax
- Kingston General Hospital

CUSTODIOL® HTK provides low viscosity similar to that of water, giving a more complete fast cold flush.

The low viscosity has been shown to reduce the risk of biliary complications in liver transplantation and provide protection against delayed graft function in kidney transplantation.

CUSTODIOL® HTK is cost effective and represents a lower cost per donor case which may help our customers maximize resources and allocate funds to other areas of need within their organizations.

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**For further information please contact Rob Sanderson 1.800.287.7686 x7231, to review more data in detail or to discuss how we can tailor a program with CUSTODIOL® HTK for your transplant center.**