Flow Chart to Request Rare Blood from International Rare Donor Panel (IDP)

Local Facility

1. Identify Rare Blood Need
   - Available locally? Through facility or siblings?
     - Yes: Make blood available to patient
     - No: Contact facility managing national requests

2. Confirm rare blood need
   - Yes: Rare blood available locally?
     - Yes: Provide to local facility
     - No: Document Notify local facility

3. Notify Local Facility

4. Contact International Donor Panel or Search International Panel

5. Notify Local Facility

6. Contact country and make shipping arrangements

7. Notify physician

National Facility

8. Positive Physician approval obtained
   - Manage patient medically
   - Yes: Notify physician
   - No: Notify Local Facility

9. No units available
   - Notify physician
   - Notify Local Facility

IDP

10. Yes: Blood donors found and requested
    - Yes: Transfuse Blood
    - No: Notify Local Facility