

UCDMC Primary Decision Support Tool for Suspected Heparin-Induced Thrombocytopenia

*A 4T score of 3 has been considered as HIT unlikely in some settings and no need to initiate a DTI. A PF4 test can be considered if the result alters management.

OD = Optical Density

Definitions of “positivity” quantifications vary.

** SRA assay may be considered if the patient is anticipated to require procedures preferring the use of heparin (i.e. Cardiopulmonary bypass)

***If the risk of major bleeding exceeds the risk of thrombosis, surveillance for thromboembolism should be considered and the DTI started when feasible.

+ Consider Hem/Onc consult of Anticoagulation service assessment to requesting an ELISA assay or SRA assay.

