

# PLASMAVIE-GLOBULE IN SAGUENAY IN NUMBERS

## FIRST DOUBLE BANNER CENTRE

**16** 

**COLLECTION BEDS**  
12 PLASMA • 4 BLOOD

**25** 

**JOBS ON OPENING**  
40 IN ALL



NEARLY

**\$2M**  
INVESTMENT

## OBJECTIVES

**25,000**  
DONATIONS PER YEAR  
500/WEEK, 80/DAY



## WHY SAGUENAY?

This area's population is very committed to the cause of blood donation

 **3.5%**

**GIVE BLOOD**  
QUÉBEC AVERAGE: 3%



**90**

COLLECTION DAYS PER YEAR

**15,000**

DONORS PER YEAR



Plasmavie



## SAGUENAY

2096 Talbot Boulevard  
G7H 8B5

### PLASMAVIE

Plasma donations by appointment only  
Monday-Friday: 7:45 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.  
Saturday: 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.  
Sunday: closed

### GLOBULE

Blood donations with or without appointment  
Monday-Friday: 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.  
Saturday: 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.  
Sunday: closed

**TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT**  
**1-800-343-7264**



Québec City



Trois-Rivières

### OUR COLLECTION CENTRES



GLOBULE Blood Donor Centre



PLASMAVIE Plasma Donor Lounge

Laval

Montréal

Brossard





**Plasmavie**  
Plasma donor lounge



**The Saguenay PLASMAVIE Plasma Donor Lounge, the second facility of its kind in Québec, is dedicated exclusively to the collection of plasma for medication manufacturing purposes.**

## WHAT IS PLASMA USED FOR?

Plasma is the liquid part of blood in which three types of cells are suspended: red blood cells, white blood cells and platelets. It makes up 55% of the total blood volume and is composed of 90% water.

Plasma is used to make medications for patients with an immune deficiency or other illness, such as a neurological disorder. A portion of Québec plasma is sent for fractionation in order to isolate the plasma proteins used to manufacture medications.

### PLASMA PROTEINS

Immunoglobulins

Albumins

Clotting factors

### TREATMENTS

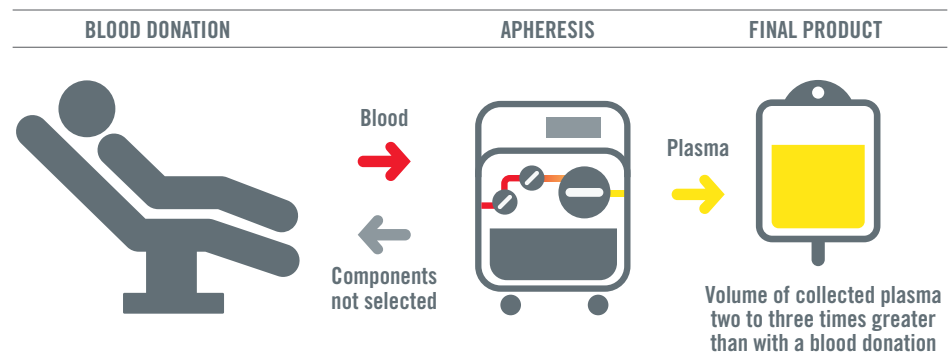
Certain blood cancers and diseases affecting the immune system

Liver diseases and serious burn victims

Hemophilia

## COLLECTION OF PLASMA BY APHERESIS

Plasma collections are performed using an apheresis device that separates the plasma from the other blood components. The plasma is collected in a collection bag and the other components are returned to the donor.



## PROFIL SOUGHT?

**A+   B+   AB+   O+**

Donors with blood types A+, B+, AB+ or O+ who want to give more often are particularly sought after. Height and weight restrictions apply for plasma donors.

**To determine your eligibility: 1-800-847-2525.**

## FREQUENCY

**EVERY** 6 **DAYS**  
UP TO 50 DONATIONS PER YEAR

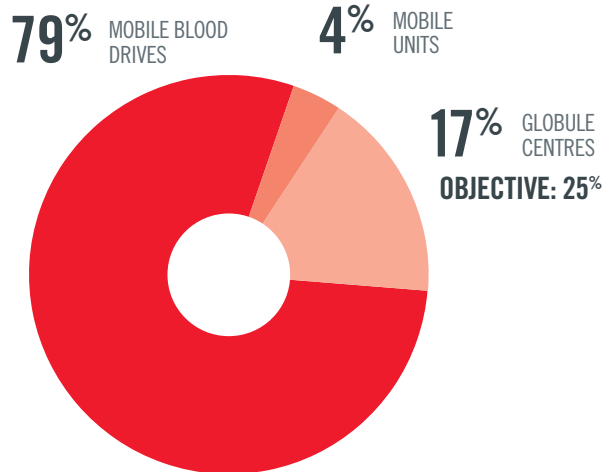
**12** COLLECTION BEDS 



Increasing the number of collections in donor centres as opposed to blood drives is a key element of Héma-Québec’s supply strategy. To contribute to this effort, the Saguenay PLASMAVIE-GLOBULE has four beds dedicated entirely to the collection of blood.

**BLOOD DONATION AT A GLANCE**

BREAKDOWN OF BLOOD COLLECTIONS IN 2014–2015




**FREQUENCY**

EVERY  
 **56** DAYS  
UP TO 6 DONATIONS PER YEAR

**4** COLLECTION BEDS 

**POSITIVE RESULTS**

UNIT COST PER COLLECTION  
 **30%** LOWER THAN IN MOBILE BLOOD DRIVES

COLLECTED VOLUMES HAVE INCREASED BY  
 **11%** IN GLOBULE CENTRES