

A blood transfusion allowed
Sylvia to bring her sweet
Diana into this world.



It also may have put her
at risk for hepatitis C.

Sylvia made it through that difficult delivery. That's what put her, along with thousands of others who had major surgery, were treated for serious injury or illness, or were born prematurely, at risk for hepatitis C—because many of them had a life-saving blood transfusion. If you received a transfusion or organ transplant *before July 1992*, you should be tested for hepatitis C,

a disease that can damage your liver and cause it to fail. To learn more, call 1-888-4HEP CDC (1-888-443-7232) toll-free, or access our website at: www.cdc.gov/hepatitis

Ask your doctor if you or your loved ones should be tested for hepatitis C.

