

APPENDIX 5

State and Territory Departments of Health blood-borne virus and sexually transmitted infection notification requirements

Infection	QLD	NSW	ACT	VIC	WA	NT	TAS	SA
HIV and AIDS	HIV is notifiable by laboratories and doctors on positive result AIDS is notifiable by clinical diagnosis	HIV is notifiable by laboratories on positive result AIDS is notifiable by clinical diagnosis	HIV is notifiable by laboratories and doctors on positive result AIDS is notifiable by clinical diagnosis	HIV is notifiable by laboratories and doctors on positive result AIDS is notifiable by clinical diagnosis	HIV is notifiable by laboratories and doctors on positive result. AIDS is notifiable by clinical diagnosis	HIV is notifiable by laboratories only AIDS is notifiable by clinical diagnosis	HIV is notifiable by laboratories only AIDS is notifiable by clinical diagnosis	HIV is notifiable by laboratories and doctors on positive result AIDS is notifiable by clinical diagnosis
HCV	HCV is a controlled notifiable condition which is notifiable by laboratories/ doctors on positive result	Acute viral hepatitis is notifiable by medical practitioners. HCV notifiable by laboratories	Notifiable – 2 categories: newly acquired and unspecified by laboratories and doctors	Written notification within five days of the initial diagnosis, by laboratories and doctors	Notifiable – 2 categories: newly acquired and unspecified by laboratories and doctors	Notifiable – 2 categories: newly acquired and unspecified by laboratories and doctors	Notifiable – 2 categories: newly acquired and unspecified by laboratories	Notifiable by laboratories and doctors
HBV	Acute and chronic notifiable by laboratories/ doctors on positive result	Acute viral hepatitis is notifiable by laboratories and doctors	Notifiable – 2 categories: newly acquired and unspecified by laboratories and doctors	Written notification within five days of the initial diagnosis, by laboratories and doctors	Notifiable – 2 categories: newly acquired and unspecified by laboratories and doctors	Notifiable – 2 categories: newly acquired and unspecified by laboratories and doctors	Notifiable – 2 categories: newly acquired and unspecified by laboratories	Notifiable by laboratories and doctors
HPV	Not notifiable	Not notifiable	Not notifiable	Not notifiable	Not Notifiable	Not notifiable	Not notifiable	Not notifiable
HSV	Not notifiable	Not notifiable	Not notifiable	Not notifiable	Not Notifiable	Not notifiable	Not notifiable	Not notifiable
Syphilis	Including congenital. A controlled notifiable condition notifiable by laboratories/ doctors on positive result	Notifiable by laboratories and doctors	Notifiable – 2 categories; <2 year duration or > 2 year duration or unspecified duration by laboratories and doctors	Written notification within five days of the initial diagnosis, by laboratories and doctors	Notifiable – 2 categories: infectious and non-infectious by laboratories and doctors	Notifiable – 2 categories: infectious and non-infectious by laboratories and doctors	Notifiable – 2 categories: infectious and non-infectious by laboratories	Notifiable by laboratories and doctors
Gonorrhoea	Notifiable by laboratories/ doctors on positive result	Notifiable by laboratories	Notifiable by laboratories and doctors	Written notification within five days of the initial diagnosis, by laboratories and doctors	Notifiable by laboratories and doctors	Notifiable by laboratories only	Notifiable by laboratories only	Notifiable by laboratories and doctors
Chlamydia	Notifiable by laboratories/ doctors on positive result	Notifiable by laboratories	Notifiable by laboratories and doctors	Written notification within five days of the initial diagnosis, by laboratories and doctors	Notifiable by laboratories and doctors	Notifiable by laboratories only	Notifiable by laboratories only	Notifiable by laboratories and doctors
Trichomoniasis	Not notifiable	Not notifiable	Not Notifiable	Not notifiable	Not notifiable	Notifiable by laboratories only	Not notifiable	Not notifiable