

**Mandatory Testing (Infectious Diseases)
Amendment (COVID-19 Response) Bill 2020**

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Western Australia

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

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Amendment (COVID-19 Response) Bill 2020**

A Bill for

**An Act to amend the *Mandatory Testing (Infectious Diseases)
Act 2014* in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.**

The Parliament of Western Australia enacts as follows:

1 (b) in relation to the taking of a sample of a
2 particular type — a person, or class of persons,
3 prescribed for the taking of that type of sample;

4 **sample** means a sample of blood, saliva, mucus,
5 respiratory secretions or other material taken from a
6 person;
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8 **6. Section 7 amended**

9 In section 7(1) in the definition of **disease test approval** delete
10 “blood”.

11 **7. Section 10 amended**

12 In section 10(2):

13 (a) in paragraph (b) delete “of the suspected transferor’s
14 blood;” and insert:

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16 from the suspected transferor;
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18 (b) in paragraphs (d) and (e) delete “blood”.

19 **8. Section 12 amended**

20 In section 12 delete “blood” (each occurrence).

21 **9. Section 15 amended**

22 In section 15 in the definition of **disease test order** delete
23 “blood”.

24 **10. Section 19 amended**

25 (1) In section 19(1)(b) delete “blood”.

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- 1 (2) In section 19(2):
2 (a) in paragraph (b) delete “of the suspected transferor’s
3 blood;” and insert:
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5 from the suspected transferor;
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7 (b) in paragraphs (d) and (e) delete “blood”.

8 **11. Section 22 amended**

- 9 (1) In section 22(2):
10 (a) in paragraph (a) delete “blood”;
11 (b) in paragraph (b) delete “that blood” and insert:
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13 the
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15 (2) In section 22(3) delete “blood”.

16 **12. Section 26 amended**

- 17 (1) In section 26(1), (2) and (3) delete “blood”.
18 (2) In section 26(4) delete “a blood” and insert:
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20 the
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22 (3) In section 26(5) delete “blood”.

23 Note: The heading to amended section 26 is to read:
24 **Taking samples under disease test authorisation**

25 **13. Section 27 amended**

- 26 (1) In section 27(1) delete “blood”.

1 (2) In section 27(2) delete “a blood” and insert:

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3 the

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5 Note: The heading to amended section 27 is to read:

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Analysis of samples

7 **14. Section 28 amended**

8 In section 28 delete “a blood sample under a” and insert:

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10 the sample under the

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12 **15. Section 29 amended**

13 In section 29(2) delete “blood”.

14 **16. Section 30 amended**

15 In section 30 delete “blood”.

16 Note: The heading to amended section 30 is to read:

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Prohibition on use of samples for other purposes

18 **17. Section 31 amended**

19 In section 31(2)(c) delete “blood”.

20 **18. Section 32 amended**

21 In section 32(2) delete “blood”.

22 Note: The heading to section 16 is to read:

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Application for order for testing of suspected transferor

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