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# Public Health and Wellbeing Amendment (Notifiable Conditions) Regulations 2023

S.R. No. 52/2023

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## **STATUTORY RULES 2023**

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## Public Health and Wellbeing Act 2008

# Public Health and Wellbeing Amendment (Notifiable Conditions) Regulations 2023

The Governor in Council makes the following Regulations:

Dated: 14 June 2023

**Responsible Minister:** 

MARY-ANNE THOMAS Minister for Health

> ANGELA SMITH Clerk of the Executive Council

## 1 Objective

The objective of these Regulations is to amend the Public Health and Wellbeing Regulations 2019—

- (a) to prescribe additional notifiable conditions; and
- (b) to reschedule certain notifiable conditions to change how and when notifications need to be made; and
- (c) to make minor and technical amendments.

### 2 Authorising provisions

These Regulations are made under sections 232 and 238 of the **Public Health and Wellbeing** Act 2008.

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#### **3** Commencement

- (1) These Regulations, except regulation 5(2) and (4), come into operation on 30 June 2023.
- (2) Regulation 5(2) and (4) come into operation on 31 July 2023.

### **4** Principal Regulations

In these Regulations, the Public Health and Wellbeing Regulations 2019<sup>1</sup> are called the Principal Regulations.

### 5 Schedule 3—Registered medical practitioners notifiable conditions and notification details

- (1) In Part 1 of Schedule 3 to the Principal Regulations—
  - (a) after item 11 insert—
    - "11A Lyssavirus—Australian Bat lyssavirus (ABLV)
    - 11B Lyssavirus—other (specify)";
  - (b) after item 14 insert—
    - "14A Mpox".
- (2) In Part 2 of Schedule 3 to the Principal Regulations, for item 1 **substitute**
  - "1 Acute rheumatic fever (ARF)
  - 1A Brucellosis".
- (3) In Part 2 of Schedule 3 to the Principal Regulations, items 17 and 18 are **revoked**.
- (4) In Part 2 of Schedule 3 to the Principal Regulations, after item 24 **insert**
  - "24A Rheumatic heart disease (RHD)".

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- 6 Schedule 4—Pathology services—notifiable conditions and notification details if result of test indicates person has or may have a notifiable condition
  - (1) In Part 1 of Schedule 4 to the Principal Regulations—
    - (a) after item 11 insert—
      - "11A Lyssavirus—Australian Bat lyssavirus (ABLV)
      - 11B Lyssavirus—other (specify)";
    - (b) after item 14 insert—
      - "14A Mpox".
  - (2) In Part 2 of Schedule 4 to the Principal Regulations, after item 25 **insert**—

"25A Invasive Group A Streptococcal (iGAS) Disease

- 25B Kunjin virus infection".
- (3) In Part 2 of Schedule 4 to the Principal Regulations, items 28 and 29 are **revoked**.
- (4) In Part 2 of Schedule 4 to the Principal Regulations, after item 36 **insert**
  - "36A Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV)".
- (5) In Part 2 of Schedule 4 to the Principal Regulations, items 51, 52 and 53 are revoked.

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Endnotes

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<sup>1</sup> Reg. 4: S.R. No. 135/2019 as amended by S.R. Nos 135/2019, 4/2020, 5/2020, 20/2020, 76/2020, 79/2020, 86/2020, 93/2020, 99/2020, 1/2021, 15/2021, 43/2021, 129/2021, 156/2021, 175/2021, 14/2022, 72/2002, 73/2022 and 88/2022.

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