

# Resources

While the information in this manual can inform your clinical practice, you are also directed to other resources:

## **National Blood-Borne Viruses and Sexually Transmissible Infections Strategies 2018–2022**

*Eighth National HIV Strategy*

*Fifth National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander BBV and STI Strategy*

*Fifth National HCV Strategy*

*Fourth National STI Strategy*

*Third National Hepatitis B Strategy*

[health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/ohp-bbvs-1](http://health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/ohp-bbvs-1)

## **National Drug Strategy 2017–2026**

[nationaldrugstrategy.gov.au](http://nationaldrugstrategy.gov.au)

## **WA Sexual Health and Blood-borne Virus Strategies 2019–2023**

*WA Aboriginal Sexual Health and Blood-borne Virus (BBV) Strategy 2019–2023*

*WA Hepatitis B Strategy 2019–2023*

*WA Hepatitis C Strategy 2019–2023*

*WA HIV Strategy 2019–2023*

*WA Sexually Transmitted Infections (STI) Strategy 2019–2023*

## **National STI and BBV surveillance reports**

*Annual Surveillance Report on HIV, Viral Hepatitis and STIs in Australia 2018*. The Kirby Institute.

*Blood Borne Viral and Sexually Transmissible Infections in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People: Annual Surveillance Report 2018*. The Kirby Institute.

[kirby.unsw.edu.au](http://kirby.unsw.edu.au)

## **WA STI and BBV surveillance reports**

[health.wa.gov.au/STIBBVepidemiology](http://health.wa.gov.au/STIBBVepidemiology)

## National Response to the Syphilis Outbreak – epidemiological and syphilis resources

Australian Government Department of Health, Infectious Syphilis Outbreak. Information regarding the infectious syphilis outbreak include the:

- ▶ National Strategic Approach and Action Plan
- ▶ Communicable Diseases Network Australia (CDNA) *National Guidelines for Public Health Units*
- ▶ Information regarding syphilis point of care (POC) testing
- ▶ Multijurisdictional syphilis outbreak surveillance reports.

[health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/ohp-infectious-syphilis-outbreak.htm](http://health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/Content/ohp-infectious-syphilis-outbreak.htm)

Young Deadly, STI and BBV Free campaign. [South Australian Health and Medical Research Institute](http://South Australian Health and Medical Research Institute).

[youngdeadlyfree.org.au](http://youngdeadlyfree.org.au)

Miller P, Skov S, Knox J. *How to Interpret Syphilis Results: A Manual for Nursing and Medical Staff in Remote Communities*. 2nd edition. Nganampa Health Council Inc. 1999.

[nganampahealth.com.au](http://nganampahealth.com.au)

## STI and BBV management and guidelines

*Silver Book: Guidelines for Managing Sexually Transmitted Infections and Blood-Borne Viruses*.

WA Department of Health, 2015.

[health.wa.gov.au/Silverbook](http://health.wa.gov.au/Silverbook)

*Australian STI Management Guidelines for Use in Primary Care*. Produced by ASHM, 2018.

[sti.guidelines.org.au](http://sti.guidelines.org.au)

ASHM *Hepatitis C Testing and Management Guidelines*.

[testingportal.ashm.org.au/hcv/indications-for-hcv-testing](http://testingportal.ashm.org.au/hcv/indications-for-hcv-testing)

*Australian Recommendations for the Management of Hepatitis C Virus Infection: A Consensus Statement* (September 2018).

[hepcguidelines.org.au](http://hepcguidelines.org.au)

*Kimberley Aboriginal Medical Services STI and PID guidelines*

[kams.org.au](http://kams.org.au)

## Health screening guidelines

*National Guide to a Preventive Health Assessment for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People*. 3rd edn. 2018. RACGP and NACCHO.

[www.racgp.org.au/clinical-resources/clinical-guidelines/key-racgp-guidelines/view-all-racgp-guidelines/national-guide](http://www.racgp.org.au/clinical-resources/clinical-guidelines/key-racgp-guidelines/view-all-racgp-guidelines/national-guide)

*Guidelines for Preventive Activities in General Practice. (The Red Book) 9th edn.* Royal Australian College of General Practitioners  
[www.racgp.org.au/your-practice/guidelines/redbook/6-communicable-diseases/62-sexually-transmissible-infections](http://www.racgp.org.au/your-practice/guidelines/redbook/6-communicable-diseases/62-sexually-transmissible-infections)

## Sexual health and BBV programs

*Sexual Health Orientation Manual for Endemic Regions.* 5th edn. June 2019. Government of Western Australia Department of Health.  
Request a copy from: [SHBBVP@health.wa.gov.au](mailto:SHBBVP@health.wa.gov.au)

Sexual Health and Blood-borne Virus Program planning toolkit. 2nd edn. 2018. Perth, WA, Curtin University.  
[siren.org.au](http://siren.org.au)

*STI and BBV Manual.* Aboriginal Health and Medical Research Council of NSW (AH&MRC), 2nd edn. 2014.  
[ahmrc.org.au](http://ahmrc.org.au)

*National Framework for Continuous Quality Improvement in Primary Health Care for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People, 2018–2023.* NACCHO 2018.  
[naccho.org.au](http://naccho.org.au)

TTANGO2 Project (Test Treat ANd GO)  
[ttango.com.au](http://ttango.com.au)

## Contact tracing

*Australasian Contact Tracing Guidelines.* Developed by ASHM, 2016.  
[contacttracing.ashm.org.au](http://contacttracing.ashm.org.au)

*Silver Book: Guidelines for Managing Sexually Transmitted Infections and Blood-Borne Viruses.* WA Department of Health, 2015.  
[health.wa.gov.au/Silverbook](http://health.wa.gov.au/Silverbook)

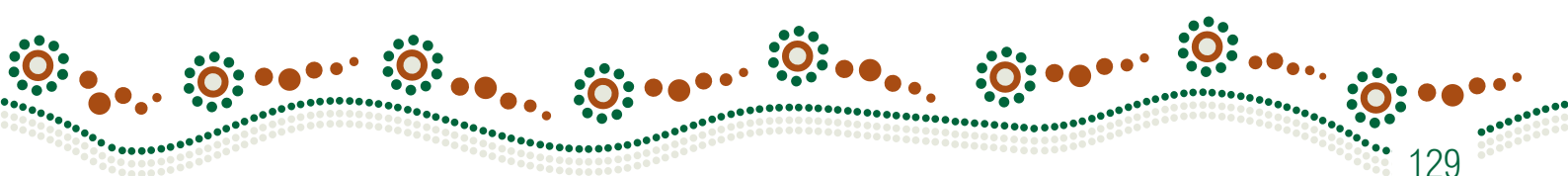
*Kimberley Aboriginal Medical Services Contact Tracing Guidelines,* 2015.  
[kams.org.au](http://kams.org.au)

## Websites that have resources to assist with contact tracing:

[bettertoknow.org.au](http://bettertoknow.org.au)

[letthemknow.org.au](http://letthemknow.org.au)

[thedramadownunder.info](http://thedramadownunder.info)



### Immunisation handbook

*The Australian Immunisation Handbook*. 2018.  
[immunisationhandbook.health.gov.au](http://immunisationhandbook.health.gov.au)

### Community information and education

Sexual Health Quarters education and training:

- ▶ Mooditj Leader training (SHQ)
- ▶ Nuts and Bolts of Sexual Health (SHQ)
- ▶ Tools of the Trade (SHQ)

[shq.org.au](http://shq.org.au)

Curtin University Sexuality and Relationships Education  
[handbook.curtin.edu.au/units/31/318794.html](http://handbook.curtin.edu.au/units/31/318794.html)

Young Leaders Program  
<https://www.ahcwa.org.au>

Youth Affairs Council of WA (YACWA)  
[yacwa.org.au](http://yacwa.org.au)

Engaging with Aboriginal Children and Young People Toolkit. Commissioner for Children and Young People WA, 2018.  
[ccyp.wa.gov.au](http://ccyp.wa.gov.au)

Young Deadly, STI and BBV Free campaign. South Australian Health and Medical Research Institute.  
[youngdeadlyfree.org.au](http://youngdeadlyfree.org.au)

Djiyadi – Can We Talk? ASHM in partnership with NACCHO, 2011.  
[ashm.org.au](http://ashm.org.au)

*The Practical Guide to Love, Sex and Relationships*  
[lovesexrelationships.edu.au](http://lovesexrelationships.edu.au)

*Resilience, Rights and Respectful Relationships*  
[fuse.education.vic.gov.au/ResourcePackage/ByPin?pin=2JZX4R](http://fuse.education.vic.gov.au/ResourcePackage/ByPin?pin=2JZX4R)

*Growing and Developing Healthy Relationships*  
[gdhr.wa.gov.au](http://gdhr.wa.gov.au)

*RELATE – Respectful Relationships Education*. 2nd edn.  
[shq.org.au/relate](http://shq.org.au/relate)

Young Deadly Free campaign: <https://youngdeadlyfree.org.au>

Better to Know: [bettertoknow.org.au](http://bettertoknow.org.au)

U and Me Can Stop HIV: [atsihiv.org.au](http://atsihiv.org.au)

Let's Yarn! [etsyarn.health.wa.gov.au](http://etsyarn.health.wa.gov.au)

*Kaiyai Girl*: [letsyarn.health.wa.gov.au/for-educators/kaiyai-girl](http://letsyarn.health.wa.gov.au/for-educators/kaiyai-girl)

Condom game (available from SHQ)

Live Deadly Stronger and Longer posters: [waaids.com](http://waaids.com)

*The Practical Guide to Love, Sex and Relationships*: [lovesexrelationships.edu.au](http://lovesexrelationships.edu.au)



## Organisations and services that provide or can assist with workforce development and training

Sexual Health Quarters education and training:

- ▶ FPA National Certificate in Reproductive and Sexual Health for Doctors
- ▶ Certificate in Sexual and Reproductive Health for Nurses
- ▶ Short courses, clinical updates and tailored programs

[shq.org.au](http://shq.org.au)

Australasian Society for HIV, Viral Hepatitis and Sexual Health Medicine (ASHM)  
[ashm.org.au](http://ashm.org.au)

Birds and the BBVs Training, AHCWA  
[ahcwa.org.au](http://ahcwa.org.au)

## Hepatitis C and needle and syringe programs

Sexual Health and Blood-Borne Virus Program, Department of Health, Western Australia.  
Phone: 9222 2355. Email: [NSP@health.wa.gov.au](mailto:NSP@health.wa.gov.au)

Information about needle and syringe programs including how to obtain program approval  
[health.wa.gov.au/NSP](http://health.wa.gov.au/NSP)

NSP Online Orientation and Training Package  
[aodelearning.mhc.wa.gov.au](http://aodelearning.mhc.wa.gov.au)

Peer Based Harm Reduction WA  
[harmreductionwa.org](http://harmreductionwa.org)

Harm Reduction Australia  
[harmreductionaustralia.org.au](http://harmreductionaustralia.org.au)



The Australian Injecting and Illicit Drug Users League (AIVL)  
[aivl.org.au](http://aivl.org.au)

Western Australian AIDS Council  
[wa aids.com](http://wa aids.com)

Hepatitis WA  
[hepatitiswa.com.au](http://hepatitiswa.com.au)

Hepatitis Australia  
[hepatitisaustralia.com](http://hepatitisaustralia.com)

WA Health Policy Frameworks  
[health.wa.gov.au/PolicyFrameworks](http://health.wa.gov.au/PolicyFrameworks)

The provision of Sterile Needle and Syringes from Rural and Regional Hospitals to People Who Inject Drugs, including guidelines and appendix  
*The operation and maintenance of needle and syringe vending machines*

### **WA Health legislation**

*The Medicines and Poisons Act 2014*  
[legislation.wa.gov.au/legislation/statutes.nsf/main\\_mrtitle\\_13171\\_homepage.html](http://legislation.wa.gov.au/legislation/statutes.nsf/main_mrtitle_13171_homepage.html)

The Medicines and Poisons Regulations 2016  
[legislation.wa.gov.au/legislation/statutes.nsf/main\\_mrtitle\\_13861\\_homepage.html](http://legislation.wa.gov.au/legislation/statutes.nsf/main_mrtitle_13861_homepage.html)

### **My Health Record**

*A Guide to My Health Record: for BBV and STI Health Providers to Support their Patients.* ASHM 2018.  
[ashm.org.au](http://ashm.org.au)

Australian Digital Health Agency, Australian Government. *How to Take Control of your Record from Age 14.*  
[myhealthrecord.gov.au/for-you-your-family/howtos/take-control-your-record-age-14](http://myhealthrecord.gov.au/for-you-your-family/howtos/take-control-your-record-age-14)