

## Cervical Screening results and recommendations table



| HPV Test<br>Result          | Cytology Pattern<br>(where applicable) | Code | Management<br>Recommendation | Rationale/ Recommendation  |
|-----------------------------|--|------|------------------------------|--|
| Not Detected/<br>Negative   | N/A                                    | R1   | Screening<br>completed       | <ul> <li>Woman is aged 61 or over at date of test.</li> <li>Discharged from colposcopy with a recommendation of no further screening.</li> <li>First test at completion of increased surveillance post colposcopy and woman is aged 66 or over at date of test.</li> <li>Woman is aged 64 or over at date of test and has been on annual surveillance for reason of renal dialysis / post-transplant or HIV positive.</li> </ul> |
|                             |  | R3   | 1 year recall                | Renal dialysis  Pre / post-transplant  Living with HIV  If increased surveillance is indicated as per colposcopy discharge (see note 1 below)  |
|                             |  | R2a  | 3 year recall                | <ul> <li>If aged between 25 and 29 years with no requirement for or completed increased surveillance.</li> <li>First test at completion of increased surveillance post colposcopy - women under 66 years at date of test</li> </ul>  |
|                             |  | R2b  | 5 year recall                | If aged between 30 - 60 years at test date with no requirement for increased surveillance (women must attend for one test at 3 year interval before moving to 5 year recall on completion of increased surveillance post colposcopy if under 66 years at date of test).  |
| Detected/<br>Positive       | P1<br>(Unsatisfactory)                 | R6   | 3-month repeat               | Repeat 3 months  |
|                             |  | R7   | Refer to colposcopy          | <ul> <li>3 consecutive unsatisfactory screening test results</li> <li>Any 3 screening test results that are not normal in previous 10 years &amp; woman has not had colposcopy.</li> <li>Renal dialysis, pre / post-transplant, living with HIV</li> </ul>   |
|                             | P2<br>(No abnormality                  | R3   | 1 year recall                | First HPV positive and cytology NAD, repeat screening test in 1 year (includes women on post colposcopy surveillance)  |
|                             | detected)                              | R7   | Refer to colposcopy          | Second consecutive HPV positive and cytology NAD taken in non-colposcopy setting. See note 2 below.      Living with HIV     Renal dialysis     Pre / post-transplant  |
|                             | P3a+ (ASCUS or worse)                  | R7   | Refer to colposcopy          | Any HPV positive result with abnormal cytology   |
| Indeterminate<br>HPV result | N/A                                    | R6   | 3-month repeat               | First or second indeterminate screening test result  |
|                             |  | R7   | Refer to colposcopy          | 3 consecutive indeterminate screening test results  Any 3 screening test results that are not normal in previous 10 years & woman has not had colposcopy  Renal dialysis, pre / post-transplant, living with HIV   |
| Test not<br>Processed       | N/A                                    | R6   | 3-month repeat               | Repeat 3 months  |

## NOTES:

- Women discharged from colposcopy pre-March 2020 for cytology screening who receive a HPV negative result do not require continued annual surveillance unless there is a history of invasive cervical cancer/CGIN/AIS/SMILE. Women discharged after March 2020 should attend for their recommended number of post colposcopy HPV tests.
- 2. Disregard intervening cytology only, indeterminate, unsatisfactory result.
- 3. When current clinical details record Post Coital Bleeding (PCB) / Intermenstrual Bleeding (IMB) / Post-Menopausal Bleeding (PMB) or it is recorded on the screening form that the cervix is suspicious, it is recommended to refer to a gynaecological specialist.
- 4. Where there is a cytology result: If there are endometrial cells present out of cycle for a woman over 40 years it is recommended to refer to a gynaecological specialist.
- 5. Where there is a cytology result and a previous history of treatment for glandular abnormality: Report as UNSAT if TZ cells are not present.



