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Workforce Principal Committee

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Dear Ms Nardi,

**Re: Consultation paper – Proposed arrangements for information sharing and privacy**

Thank you for asking the Royal College of Pathologists of Australasia to comment on the above.

In general the College is supportive of the proposals but have the following specific comments.

Proposal 3.2.1  
Option One is preferred

Proposal 3.4.1  
Option Two or Three is preferred

Proposal 4.6.2  
Option Two is preferred

Proposal 7.8.1  
What happens for Private Patients in this scenario?

Yours sincerely,



Dr Debra Graves  
**Chief Executive Officer**