



# **Health Insurance (Accredited Pathology Laboratories—Approval) Amendment (Relevant Standards) Principles (No. 1) 2022**

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I, Renaye Lucchese, as delegate of the Minister for Health and Aged Care, make the following principles.

Dated 14 April 2022

Renaye Lucchese  
Assistant Secretary  
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## 1 Name

This instrument is the *Health Insurance (Accredited Pathology Laboratories—Approval) Amendment (Relevant Standards) Principles (No.1) 2022*.

## 2 Commencement

- (1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Commencement information		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Provisions	Commencement	Date/Details
The whole of this instrument	The day after this instrument is registered.	

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

- (2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

## 3 Authority

This instrument is made under subsection 23DNA(1) of the *Health Insurance Act 1973*.

## 4 Schedules

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

## **Schedule 1—Amendment**

### ***Health Insurance (Accredited Pathology Laboratories – Approval) Principles 2017***

#### **1 Schedule 1 (table Item 21)**

Repeal the item, substitute:

- 21 Requirements for the Retention of Laboratory Records 2022  
and Diagnostic Material (Ninth Edition 2022)

#### **2 Schedule 1 (note at the end of the table)**

Repeal the note, substitute:

The documents mentioned could in 2022 be viewed on NPAAC’s website, maintained by the Department of Health or the Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care’s pathology webpage.