



# Measles notice

## Testing for symptomatic and close contact patients

Booking an appointment and safety protocol



**BOOKING ESSENTIAL**



**MASK REQUIRED**

*Measles is a contagious disease that requires careful safety and infection control measures during testing to prevent the spread of the disease.*

*PathWest ensures patients and staff safety by following strict safety protocols. To prepare for your visit and safeguard your health and the health of others, it is essential to schedule an appointment for your measles testing prior to attending a PathWest collection centre, and follow the safety protocols when visiting us.*

### Make an appointment

#### Metropolitan

Contact **0487 060 582** for bookings. We will advise you of the available testing locations.

Domiciliary collections are only available in specific cases. Contact **0487 060 582** to enquire about eligibility.

#### Regional

Contact a collection centre below to book your appointment.

- **PathWest Broome** (Chinatown)  
T: (08) 9192 7467
- **PathWest Bunbury** (external tent)  
T: 0459 117 577
- **PathWest Esperance** (The Esplanade)  
T: (08) 9079 8138
- **PathWest Geraldton** (Durlacher Street)  
T: (08) 9965 2633
- **PathWest Kalgoorlie** (Hannan Street)  
T: (08) 9091 7165

Regional domiciliary collections are currently unavailable.

### If a collection centre near you does not provide measles testing

Please do not attend a collection centre without an appointment. If you arrive at a collection centre that cannot perform measles testing, or you have not made an appointment, you will be redirected or advised to contact your referring doctor.

### Your safety protocol when entering a collection centre

To protect yourself and others, please follow these safety and infection control measures:

#### 1. Before entering

- Wear a surgical mask throughout your visit.
- If you are unwell, coughing, or unable to tolerate wearing a mask, please do not attend a centre. Contact your doctor to discuss alternative test arrangements.

#### 2. During your visit

- Follow all instructions from PathWest staff and avoid unnecessary contact with surfaces.
- Test collections will only occur in designated rooms within the centre. Testing will not be performed outside the centre (e.g. carparks).

#### 3. After your visit

- If you used any facilities during your visit (e.g. toilets), these areas will be cleaned thoroughly according to infection control protocols.

### Further information

Visit [pathwest.health.wa.gov.au/measles](https://pathwest.health.wa.gov.au/measles) or call **13PATH (7284)**.

Thank you for supporting us to ensure a safe experience for everyone.