

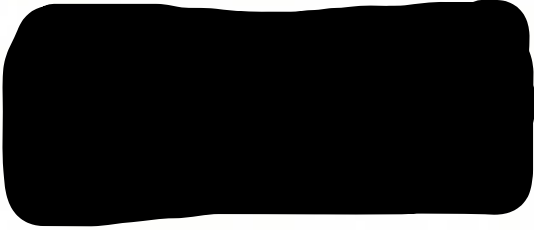


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Patient Name  
Date of Birth  
Date of COVID-19 test

Dear Doctor,

**Re: COVID-19 surveillance in women of child-bearing age**

Public Health England is responsible for national surveillance of COVID-19 in England. We are investigating the risk of COVID-19 in pregnant women compared to non-pregnant women. The above-named patient tested positive for SARS-CoV-2 infection. We would be grateful if you could complete the enclosed questionnaire even if you do not have all the requested information. If the patient was hospitalised and/or admitted to the intensive care unit, please attach a copy of the discharge summary with the questionnaire and return them in the stamped, addressed envelope provided

Any information provided will be treated in strict confidence. These data are collected under Section 60 of the Health and Social Care Act 2001 (now subsumed into the National Information Governance Board for Health and Social Care, with Section 60 now Section 251 of the NHS ACT 2006) to process confidential patient information with exemption for the requirement for consent (<http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2006/41/section/251>).

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us. With kind regards

Yours sincerely

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