

Patient Consent & Data Privacy Policy

Diagnostics, Labs & Imaging

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This guide explains what the tool produces, how to use the output, and what to watch for. The actual output (draft/report) is generated on the tool page.

Background

Drafts patient consent and a data-privacy policy for a diagnostic centre — consent for tests and data use, confidentiality, storage, sharing and patient rights under DPDP. Use it to handle patient data lawfully. For ABDM linkage use the ABDM / ABHA Integration Guide.

Purpose of this tool & output

Consent and data protection for a lab

How the output is used

Use it as the consent and data-protection policy for a lab — how patient consent is taken and how test data is stored, used and shared.

Who receives it

It is an internal policy owned by the lab, applied by all staff who handle patients and data, and reflected in the consent patients sign.

Important cautions

Health data is sensitive personal data — collect only with informed consent, protect confidentiality (especially HIV, genetic and pregnancy results), and align to the DPDP Act. This is a starting template; have it reviewed for your specific data flows and any sector rules.

Companion documents

- Diagnostic Regulatory Compliance Guide
- PC-PNDT Compliance Audit
- Biomedical Waste Compliance Plan
- Inspection Readiness Checklist
- Records Retention & Sample Storage Policy
- Medico-legal Sample Handling Protocol

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