Pathway for routine cervical screening

ONCOGENIC HPV TEST WITH PARTIAL GENOTYPING

- HPV not detected
- HPV (not 16/18) detected
- HPV 16/18 detected
- Unsatisfactory HPV test

REFLEX LBC

- Unsatisfactory LBC
- Negative
- pLSIL/LSIL
- pHSIL/HSIL
- Any LBC result

REPEAT HPV TEST IN 12 MONTHS

- HPV not detected
- HPV detected (any type)

REFLEX LBC

- Routine 5-yearly screening
- Retest for LBC only in 6–12 weeks
- Routine 5-yearly screening
- Refer for colposcopic assessment
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- Retest HPV in 6–12 weeks

Investigation of women with abnormal vaginal bleeding

**WOMEN WITH ABNORMAL VAGINAL BLEEDING**

- **Unexplained intermenstrual bleeding**
- **Post-coital bleeding (PCB)**
- **Post-menopausal bleeding**

**Post-coital bleeding (PCB)**
- HPV not detected & negative LBC
  - **Single episode PCB (Pre-menopausal women)**
    - Clinically normal cervix
      - No colposcopy required (advise to see healthcare professional if symptoms persist)
  - HPV detected (any type) &/or abnormal LBC result
    - Recurrent or persistent PCB (any age)
      - Clinically normal cervix
      - Refer for gynaecological assessment

**Unexplained intermenstrual bleeding**
- Order a Co-test (HPV+LBC) and please provide clinical notes
  - Refer for gynaecological assessment (regardless of test result)

**Post-menopausal bleeding**
- Order a Co-test (HPV+LBC) and please provide clinical notes
  - Refer for gynaecological assessment

- **May include colposcopy**
- **If significant delay (3-6 months from the previous test) following original HPV/LBC test, a repeat LBC could be considered**