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Dear Cheryl,
I apologise that this response is after the April 12 deadline, but I just wanted to confirm that these draft guidelines were circulated for comment to members of the Human Genetics Society of Australasia on February 27. I believe you will have received comments from at least one of our Special Interest Groups, the Australasian Society of Genetic Counsellors, and from individual members. The HGSA Executive wishes to thank the members of the working party for putting together such a comprehensive and useful document. We note that our response to the targeted consultation was taken into consideration and believe that the additional scenario (number 6) added into the revised draft, helps to emphasise issues related to reproductive choices. Thanks and best wishes,
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