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Good morning,

Thank you for the invitation to participate in the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia's public consultation on the revised *Safety and quality guidelines for privately practising midwives*.

The ACT supports the proposed updates, and has the following feedback in relation to requirements 5 and 7:

- 5: Support the intent of this requirement however further clarity / guidelines /examples may need to be developed to articulate what reasonable / best practice 'local processes' and to ensure robust review of outcomes to ensure continuous improvement.
- 7: Support the intent of this requirement but suggest more guidance on what is meant by 'suitable local processes for incident review'. This role would need to be explored further to support PPM in the ACT.

Additional feedback may also be provided by the ACT Chief Nursing and Midwifery Officer.

Thank you again for inviting the ACT to contribute to this process.

Kind Regards, Tania

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