**Consultation Response Form**

The draft Public Health (Wales) Act 2017 (Prescribed Objects for Intimate Piercing) Regulations 2019

Please return this form to reach the Welsh Government no later than **19 October 2018**.The email address for responses or queries is:

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Consultation on Prescribed Objects Regulations

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This form can be downloaded from the Welsh Government consultation webpage here:

<https://beta.gov.wales/draft-regulations-define-objects-used-intimate-piercing-procedures>

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| Responses to consultations may be made public on the internet or in a report. If you would prefer your response to be anonymised, please tick here: |  |

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| **Question 1: Do you think we have accurately defined the types and range of “objects” that are used in intimate piercing procedures (see section 2(2) of the draft Regulations at Annex A)?****YES…….. NO…….** |
| **Comments:** |

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| **Question 2: Are the terms used at section 2(2) of the draft Regulations at Annex A to prescribe the types and range of “objects” used for intimate piercing procedures commonly used and fully understood within the piercing industry and by enforcement officers?** **YES…….. NO…….** |
| **Comments:** |

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| **Question 3: Do the broad definitions provided for the “objects” we have identified provide a sufficient element of future-proofing to capture new/different “objects” in the future?****YES…….. NO…….** |
| **Comments:** |

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| **Question 4: Does the draft Regulatory Impact Assessment document at Annex B1 accurately reflect the impact on and benefits for the audiences identified?** **YES…….. NO…….** |
| **Comments:** |

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| **Question 5: Do the other associated impact assessment documents at Annex B2 to B4 accurately reflect the impact on, and benefits for, the audiences identified?****YES…….. NO…….** |
| **Comments:** |

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| **Question 6: We would like to know your views on the effects that the *draft* Regulationswould have on the Welsh language, specifically on opportunities for people to use Welsh, and on treating the Welsh language no less favourably than English:****What effects do you think there would be?** **How could positive effects be increased, or negative effects be mitigated?** |
| **Comments:** |

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| **Question 7:**  **Please also explain how you believe the draft Regulations could be formulated or changed so as to have:*** **positive effects or increased positive effects on opportunities for people to use the Welsh language and on treating the Welsh language no less favourably than the English language, and**
* **no adverse effects on opportunities for people to use the Welsh language and on treating the Welsh language no less favourably than the English language.**

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| **Comments:** |

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| **Question 8: Any other general comments or observations?****We have asked a number of specific questions. If you have any related issues which we have not specifically addressed, please use this space to report them.** |
| **Comments:** |