




INTERNATIONAL DNA TESTING PROCESS

The DNA Testing Process has been streamlined to enable members to have more traceability of their requests and enabling the AWA to correlate results to these requests more efficiently. Members are asked to adhere to the following process when submitting requests for DNA Testing.

It's critical that you download the most up-to-date copy of the **International DNA Test Request Form** each time you request a DNA test. Download the latest Excel Sheet from our website. Please ensure the Member Agreement area is completed BEFORE submitting the form to the AWA.

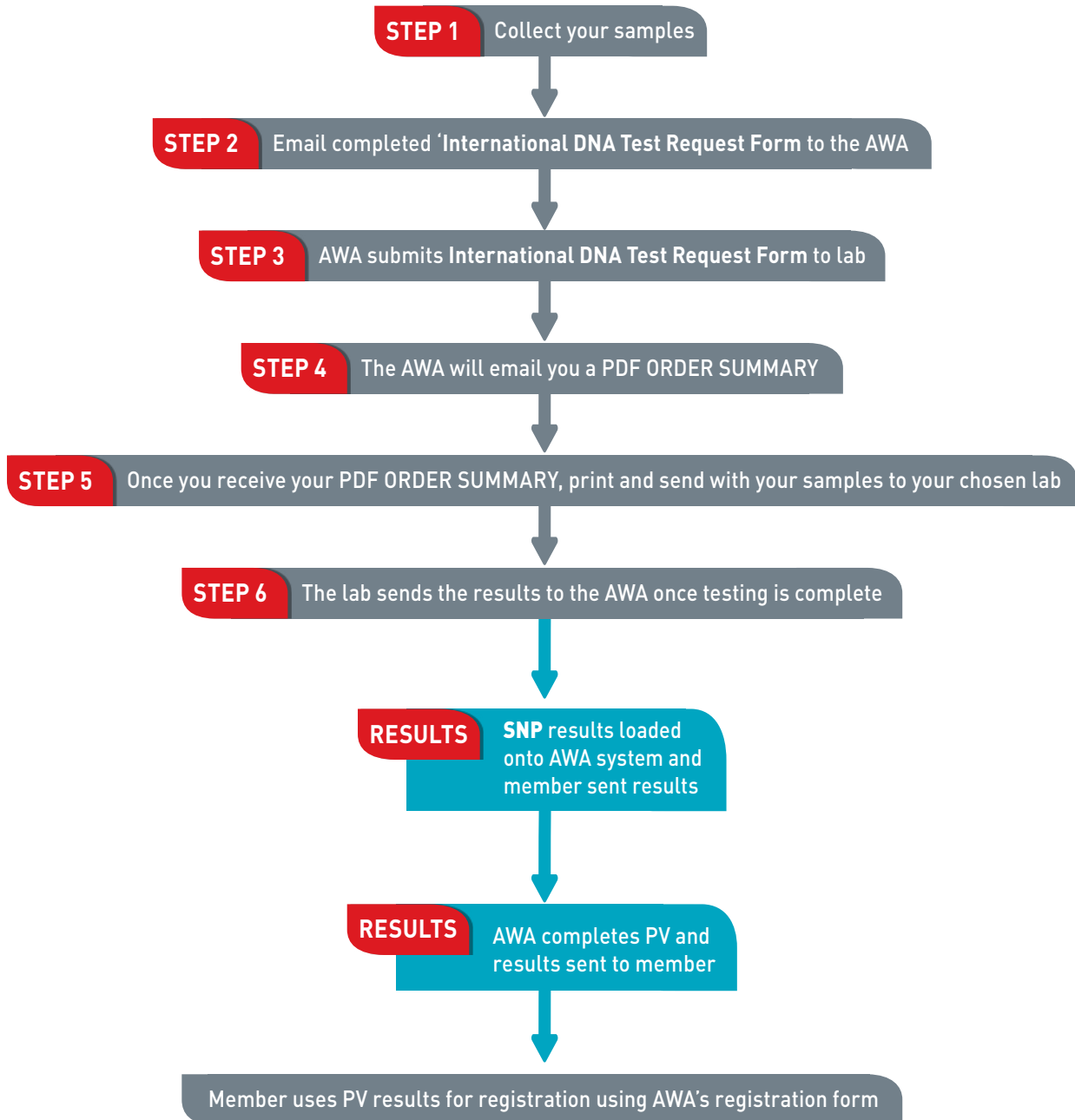
STEPS TO THE DNA TESTING PROCESS

- STEP 1** Collect your samples.
- STEP 2** Download an excel '**International Test Request Form**'. Complete and email to:
 dna@wagyu.org.au
When the AWA receives your DNA Test Request Form, a Member Services Officer (MSO) will check the details offering any advice to you needed in order to complete the form correctly.
- STEP 3** The AWA will load your completed '**International Test Request Form**' into our system and submit it to the lab for processing.
The AWA will invoice you for this testing.
- STEP 4** You will be emailed an acknowledgement letter with a batch number identifier when the '**International Test Request Form**' has been submitted to the lab.
- STEP 5** **DO NOT USE THIS TO SEND WITH YOUR SAMPLES – IT IS FOR AUSTRALIAN RESIDENTS ONLY**
Please wait for a **PDF Order Summary** which the lab will generate and send to the AWA to pass onto you, to print and send with your samples. This step is critical to ensure your testing can be completed.
- STEP 6** The lab sends the results to the AWA once testing is complete.

RESULTS FROM DNA TESTING

- SNP** Once the lab has completed its testing, results are sent to the AWA. A member of the AWA's MSO team will load the results into AWA's system and email the results to you.
[SNP parent verification \(PV\) & parent discovery](#)
The AWA completes SNP PV and parent discovery. Results are loaded into our system and reported to you. Allow up to a week for this to be completed once the AWA receive the results from the lab.

A SUMMARY OF THE INTERNATIONAL DNA TESTING PROCESS



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DOWNLOAD THE International DNA Test Request Form