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Dear Colleague,

You may recently have received letters from the Central and South Genomic Laboratory Hub detailing the urgent need for clinicians to assist in managing the current demand for genomic investigations to provide a sustainable and efficient service. If you have not received any letters, they are <u>available on our website</u>.

We are writing to you to inform you that there are now new test request forms for requesting rare disease genetic testing, and these updated forms should be used for requesting testing.

The rare disease genetic test forms are available on the <u>Central and South Genomics</u> <u>website</u>, as well as through local trust sites:

- West Midlands referrals through Birmingham Women's and Children's NHS Foundation Trust
- Thames Valley referrals through Oxford University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
- Wessex referrals through Salisbury NHS Foundation Trust

If you have any queries on this, please do not hesitate to contact us at bwc.centralandsouthglhsupport@nhs.net.

Kind regards,

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