



Northern Territory of Australia


*Public and Environmental Health Act 2011*

**COVID-19 Directions (No. 51) 2021:  
Amendment to COVID-19 Directions (No. 45) 2021**

I, Hugh Crosbie Heggie, Chief Health Officer, under section 52 of the *Public and Environmental Health Act 2011*, consider it necessary, appropriate or desirable to take action to alleviate the public health emergency in the Territory, declared by instrument entitled "Declaration of Public Health Emergency", dated 18 March 2020, by amending my COVID-19 Directions (No. 45) 2021 to omit the definition **health practitioner** from direction 2 and insert instead:

**health practitioner** means:

- (a) a person registered under the Health Practitioner Regulation National Law to practise in a health profession (other than as a student); or
- (b) an audiologist or a speech pathologist.

  
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