S.I. 2011 No. 76

Health Services Act Cap. 44

HEALTH SERVICES (LADYMEADE REFERENCE UNIT) (FEES) REGULATIONS, 2011

The Minister, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 10(1)(z) of the *Health Services Act*, makes the following Regulations:

- 1. These Regulations may be cited as the Health Services (Ladymeade Reference Unit) (Fees) Regulations, 2011.
 - 2. In these Regulations,
- "AIDS" means the Acquired Immuno-deficiency Syndrome that is a collection of diseases caused by HIV;
- "CD4 count test" means the test given to determine the level of immunity in a person infected with the HIV virus;
- "HIV" means the Human Immuno-deficiency Virus that causes AIDS;
- "Viral load test" means the test that measures how much HIV there is in each drop of blood in a person infected with the HIV virus.
- 3. The fees payable under these Regulations in respect of the CD4 count test and the viral load test are those provided for in the *Schedule*.

Schedule.

4. The Health Services (Ladymeade Reference Unit) (Fees) S.I. 2008 Regulations, 2008 are hereby revoked.

SCHEDULE

(Paragraph 3)

FEES

Diagnostic and Monitoring tests	Citizens and persons ordinarily resident in Barbados	Nationals of Caribbean Community States and Others
CD4 count test	Free	\$11.20
Viral load test	Free	\$98.00

Made by the Minister this 12th day of July, 2011.

DONVILLE O. INNISS Minister responsible for Health.