

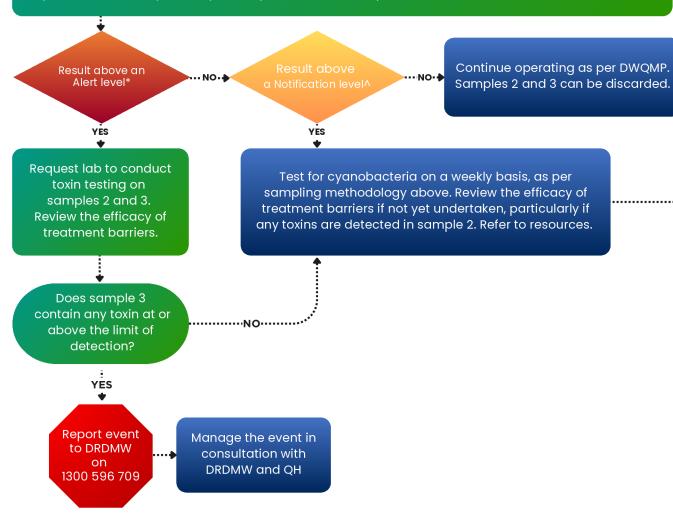
If a HAB is still suspected, collect and send in the following three samples to a suitably qualified laboratory:

Sample 1: A raw water sample for cyanobacterial cell count (identification and enumeration)

Sample 2: A raw water sample for toxin testing

Sample 3: A treated water sample for toxin testing

Request the laboratory to analyse sample 1, and hold samples 2 and 3.



Cyanobacterial species name	*Alert level	^Notification level
Raphidiopsis raciborskii (formerly Cylindrospermopsis raciborskii), Umezakia ovalisporum (formerly Chrysosporum ovalisporum), Microseira wollei, Phormidium ambiguum, Raphidiopsis mediterranea	15,000 cells/mL or 0.6 mm³/L	4,500 cells/mL or 0.2 mm³/L
Microcystis aeruginosa, Fischerella sp., Nostoc linckia	6,500 cells/mL or 0.6 mm³/L	2,000 cells/mL or 0.2 mm³/L
Dolichospermum circinale (formerly Anabaena circinalis), Heteroscytonema crispum	20,000 cells/mL or 5 mm³/L	6,000 cells/mL or 1.5mm³/L