Flowchart 6.1. Cervical screening pathway for primary oncogenic HPV testing

Oncogenic HPV test with partial genotyping

- **HPV not detected**
  - Routine 5-yearly screening

- **HPV detected (not 16/18)**
  - Reflex LBC
    - **Unsatisfactory LBC**
      - Retest for LBC only in 6–12 weeks
    - **Negative**
      - Routine 5-yearly screening
    - **pLSIL/LSIL**
      - Repeat HPV test in 12 months
        - HPV not detected
          - Retest for LBC
    - **pHSIL/HSIL**
      - Reflex LBC

- **HPV detected (16/18)**
  - Reflex LBC
    - Any LBC result or unsatisfactory
      - Refer for colposcopic assessment

- **Unsatisfactory HPV test**
  - Retest HPV in 6–12 weeks