

# Alaska

All citations are to “Alaska Stat.” unless otherwise noted.

## DEFINITIONS

- (1) “AIDS,” “HIV,” and “counseling” are defined at § 18.15.310.
- (2) “Disability” is defined at § 47.20.290.

## CRIMINAL LAW

Testing & Reporting (1)

## EDUCATION

## EMPLOYMENT

## HOUSING

## INSURANCE

## RESEARCH

## SOCIAL & MEDICAL SERVICES

(1) The Department of Health and Social Services provides services for developmentally delayed or disabled children under the age of three. AIDS (see Definitions (1)) is a listed disability (see Definitions (2)). §§ 47.20.070 to 290.

Definitions (5)

Testing & Reporting (1)

## TESTING & REPORTING

(1) A court may order blood testing for a defendant charged with a violation that includes sexual penetration based on probable cause that the crime has been committed and that the sexual penetration has occurred. An alleged victim, the parent or guardian of an alleged victim who is a minor, or the prosecuting attorney, on behalf of the alleged victim, may petition the court for testing. The following parties shall receive copies of the test results: the defendant; each of the requesting victims; and, if the defendant is incarcerated, the officer in charge and the chief medical officer of the corrections facility. § 18.15.300. Results are to be transmitted with a disclaimer that such tests cannot be absolutely accurate. Confidentiality is imposed, but there is an exception for civil actions against the defendant. The results are not admissible evidence in a criminal proceeding. Persons performing testing, transmitting test results, or disclosing

information are immune from civil liability for violations of these provisions unless the action is grossly negligent or intentional. If the results indicate exposure or infection, free counseling (see Definitions (1)) and testing shall be provided to the victim.  
§ 18.15.310.

## MISCELLANEOUS