

## National and Statewide Data Series

# Sexual and reproductive health

These key Australian and Victorian datasets and reports may be useful where local government level data is not available in the Women's Health Atlas, or where broader context is needed.

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Women's Health Victoria, 2020
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## Contraception

- [Mapping availability of sexual and reproductive health pharmaceuticals in Melbourne's Northern Metropolitan Region](#)  
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- [Victorian rural women's access to family planning services: survey report](#)  
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- [The Household, Income and Labour Dynamics in Australia Survey: selected findings from Waves 1 to 19: Chapter 2: Households and family life](#)  
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- [Assisted reproductive technology in Australia and New Zealand 2019](#)  
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Consultative Council on Obstetric and Paediatric Mortality and Morbidity (CCOPMM), 2023
- [National Perinatal Data Collection: data availability resource \[Report\]](#) Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, 2023  
Directory of pregnancy and childbirth data at the national and state/territory level, with the years available, history of data development, and practical information for data users.
- [Mothers and babies reports](#) – and related [Mothers and babies data](#)  
Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, ongoing
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- [COVID-19 Survey reports 2020](#)  
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- [Spatial variation in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women's access to 4 types of maternal health services](#)  
Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, 2017
- [Local Government Performance Framework: Full Data Set](#) (Excel file)  
Know Your Council, annual  
Maternal and child health participation data for every Victorian LGA – latest 5 years  
MC2 - % of infants / MC4 - % of children / MC5 - % of Aboriginal children

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- [Sexual health policy brief](#)  
Australian Longitudinal Study on Women's Health, 2019
- [Love during lockdown: findings from an online survey examining the impact of COVID-19 on the sexual health of people living in Australia](#)  
Sexually Transmitted Infections, 2020

## Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women: sexual and reproductive health

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- [Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Performance Framework: Measures](#)  
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- [Data Report: Sexual and Reproductive Health](#)  
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Summarises the latest available data across a range of areas that impact on the SRH of migrant and refugee women in Australia. Outlines key and emerging issues, and considerations for policy, programs and service delivery

- [Refugee and migrant women's engagement with sexual and reproductive health care in Australia: A socio-ecological analysis of health care professional perspectives](#)  
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- [Women from migrant and refugee backgrounds' perceptions and experiences of the continuum of maternity care in Australia: A qualitative evidence synthesis](#)  
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### Older women: sexual and reproductive health

- [Sex, Age & Me: a national study of sex, sexual health, and relationships among older Australians](#)  
Australian Research Centre in Sex, Health and Society; La Trobe University, 2017
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- [Do we need to worry about sexually transmissible infections \(STIs\) in older women in Australia? an investigation of STI trends between 2000 and 2018](#)  
*Sexual Health*, 2020

### Women with disabilities: sexual and reproductive health

- [Facts on sexual and reproductive health of women with disabilities](#)  
Women with Disabilities Victoria, 2021
- [Recognising disabilities vital to improve maternal outcomes, say researchers](#)  
Royal Women's Hospital, 2021

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### Feedback and suggestions

We welcome feedback and/or suggestions for key Australian and Victorian datasets to consider including in this resource. Please send an email to: [atlas@whv.org.au](mailto:atlas@whv.org.au)

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