

The Fourth Australian Atlas of Healthcare Variation

2021

INCLUDES: 300<sup>+</sup> local areas 15 interactive maps 100<sup>+</sup> interactive graphs

**41** Recommendations

43-56%

C-SECTIONS < 39 WEEKS HAD NO MEDICAL REASON RECORDED

2017 data from seven states and territories

2018–19

MORE THAN **3 X HIGHER** RATES OF REPEAT GASTROSCOPY, MAJOR CITIES VS REMOTE AREAS 2018-19

30<sup>%</sup> IN 5 YEARS MYRINGOTOMY RATES IN

ABORIGINAL & TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER CHILDREN

2017–18 compared with 2012–13

12-fold variation

IN HOSPITALISATION RATES FOR DIABETES COMPLICATIONS

2017–18



OF GASTROSCOPIES DONE ON SAME DAY AS A COLONOSCOPY

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