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## **Figure 1**: Area of residence, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status





**Figure 2:** Reporting of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status at notification of selected sexually transmissible infections, 2014, by State/Territory



Only states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status were included in the analyses presented



**Figure 3**: Reporting of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status at notification of viral hepatitis diagnosis, 2014, by State/Territory



Source: Australian Notifiable Diseases Surveillance System



**Figure 4:** Proportion of all diagnoses by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status, 2014





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## Figure 7: Newly diagnosed HIV infection and HIV exposure category, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (ACT, NSW, NT, SA, Tas, WA, Vic, QLD)

75%



## Figure 8: Newly diagnosed HIV notifications by heterosexual exposure category, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status



## Australian-born non-Indigenous

\* Includes heterosexual sex with a person who injects drugs, a bisexual male, someone who received blood/tissue, a person with haemophilia/clotting disorder or someone with HIV whose exposure could not be determined



**Figure 9:** Newly diagnosed HIV notification rate in the Australian-born population per 100 000, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and area of residence





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**Figure 13:** Used a condom at last sex, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples aged 16-29 years, by area of residence



14 Source: Australian study of knowledge, risk practices and health service access for Sexually Transmissible Infections (STIs) and Blood Borne Viruses (BBVs) among young Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people (The Goanna Survey)



**Figure 14:** Prevalence of inconsistent condom use with casual partners<sup>1</sup> among people who inject drugs attending needle and syringe programs, 2005-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and sex





**Figure 15:** Newly diagnosed hepatitis C notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status





**Figure 16:** Newly diagnosed hepatitis C notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and sex



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (NT, SA, Tas, WA)

Source: Australian National Notifiable Diseases Surveillance System



**Figure 17:** Number of notifications of newly diagnosed hepatitis C infection, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status, age and sex



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (NT, SA, Tas, WA)

Source: Australian National Notifiable Diseases Surveillance System



**Figure 18:** Newly diagnosed hepatitis C notification rate per 100 000, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status, sex and age group





**Figure 19:** Newly diagnosed hepatitis C notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, by age group





**Figure 20:** Newly diagnosed hepatitis C notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and State/Territory





**Figure 21:** Newly diagnosed hepatitis C notification rate per 100 000, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and area of residence





**Figure 22:** Newly diagnosed hepatitis C notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by area of residence



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (NT, SA, Tas, WA)

Source: Australian National Notifiable Diseases Surveillance System



**Figure 23:** Newly acquired hepatitis C notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status





**Figure 24:** Newly acquired hepatitis C notification rate per 100 000, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and age group



Source: Australian National Notifiable Diseases Surveillance System



**Figure 25:** Newly acquired hepatitis C notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by age group





**Figure 26:** Newly acquired hepatitis C notification rate per 100 000, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and area of residence





**Figure 27:** Newly acquired hepatitis C notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by area of residence





**Figure 28:** Hepatitis C antibody prevalence in needle and syringe program participants, 2005-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status





**Figure 29:** Hepatitis C antibody prevalence among a sample of incoming Australian prisoners, by year of survey, and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status





**Figure 30:** Injecting drug use in the last year, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people aged 16-29 years, by sex, and age group



31 Source: Australian study of knowledge, risk practices and health service access for Sexually Transmissible Infections (STIs) and Blood Borne Viruses (BBVs) among young Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people (The Goanna Survey)



**Figure 31:** Prevalence of receptive syringe sharing (RSS)<sup>1</sup> by needle and syringe program participants, 2005-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status



<sup>1</sup> Denominator includes only those who injected in the last month



**Figure 32:** Proportion of people who inject drugs seen at needle and syringe programs who reported a hepatitis C antibody test in the past twelve months, 2005-2014





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**Figure 35:** Newly diagnosed hepatitis B notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and sex



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (ACT, NT, SA, Tas, WA)

Source: Australian National Notifiable Diseases Surveillance System


**Figure 36:** Number of cases of newly diagnosed hepatitis B, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and age group



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (ACT, NT, SA, Tas, WA)



**Figure 37:** Newly diagnosed hepatitis B notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and age group



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (ACT, NT, SA, Tas, WA)



**Figure 38:** Newly diagnosed hepatitis B notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, by age group





**Figure 39:** Newly diagnosed hepatitis B notification rate per 100 000 population, 2005-2014, by State/Territory and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status





**Figure 40:** Newly diagnosed hepatitis B notification rate per 100 000, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and area of residence





**Figure 41:** Newly diagnosed hepatitis B notification rate in Australianborn population, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and area of residence





**Figure 42:** Newly acquired hepatitis B notification rate per 100 000, 2005-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and sex



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (ACT, NSW, NT, QLD, SA, Tas, Vic, WA)



**Figure 43:** Newly acquired hepatitis B notification rate per 100 000, 2005-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and sex





**Figure 44:** Number of notifications of newly acquired hepatitis B, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status, age and sex





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**Figure 46:** Newly acquired hepatitis B notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, by age group



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (ACT, NSW, NT, QLD, SA, Tas, Vic, WA)



**Figure 47:** Hepatitis B surface antigen prevalence among a sample of incoming Australian prisoners, by year of survey and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status





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## **Figure 49:** Chlamydia notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status





**Figure 50:** Chlamydia notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and sex



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (NT, QLD, SA, WA)



**Figure 51:** Number of chlamydia notifications, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status, age group and sex





**Figure 52:** Chlamydia notification rate per 100 000, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status, age group and sex



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**Figure 53:** Chlamydia notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, by selected age group



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (NT, QLD, SA, WA)



**Figure 54:** Chlamydia notification rate per 100 000 population, 2010-2014, by State/Territory and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status



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**Figure 55:** Chlamydia notification rate per 100 000, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and area of residence





**Figure 56:** Chlamydia notification rate, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and area of residence



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**Figure 57:** Gonorrhoea notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status





**Figure 58:** Gonorrhoea notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and sex



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (ACT, NT, SA, Tas., Vic, WA)



**Figure 59:** Number of gonorrhoea notifications, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status, age group and sex



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**Figure 60:** Gonorrhoea notification rate per 100 000, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status, age group and sex





**Figure 61:** Gonorrhoea notification rate per 100 000 in selected age groups, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status



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**Figure 62:** Gonorrhoea notification rate per 100 000 population, 2010-2014, by State/Territory and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status





**Figure 63:** Gonorrhoea notification rate per 100 000 in 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and area of residence





## **Figure 64:** Gonorrhoea notification rate, 2010-2014, by area of residence





**Figure 65:** Syphilis and infectious syphilis notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (ACT, NSW, NT, QLD, SA, Tas, Vic, WA)



**Figure 66:** Number of infectious syphilis notifications, 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status, sex and age group



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (ACT, NSW, NT, QLD, SA, Tas, Vic, WA)



**Figure 67:** Infectious syphilis notification rate per 100 000 in 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status, sex and age group



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (ACT, NSW, NT, QLD, SA, Tas, Vic, WA)



**Figure 68:** Syphilis notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by select age group and duration of infection



- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people aged 20-29 syphilis infection < 2 years



**Figure 69:** Infectious syphilis notification rate per 100 000 population, 2010-2014, by State/Territory and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status





**Figure 70:** Infectious syphilis notification rate per 100 000 in 2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status and area of residence



Includes states/territories with >50% completeness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status (ACT, NSW, NT, QLD, SA, Tas, Vic, WA)



**Figure 71:** Infectious syphilis notification rate per 100 000, 2010-2014, by area of residence




**Figure 72:** Number of cases of congenital syphilis notifications, 2005–2014, by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander status



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