

Heavy menstrual bleeding



Affects 1 in 4 women



Has a significant impact on women's social, emotional and physical wellbeing



Hysterectomy rates are 6.6 times higher in some parts of Australia than others, even though less invasive treatments are available

The Heavy Menstrual Bleeding Clinical Care Standard describes the care that women should expect to receive:

The opportunity to make informed treatment choices and share decision-making

A detailed history, physical examination and assessment, and a quality ultrasound when needed



Information and access to effective drug treatment and less invasive surgery

Clinicians and health services can support women by providing balanced information about all the treatment options and helping women get the care they want.

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