

**CATEGORY: NATIONAL GUIDELINES**

# **Cervical cancer screening in Australia and New Zealand**

## **1. Introduction**



## 5. Useful Links

### a) Australia

Both long-form and short-form versions of the Australian National Cervical Screening Guideline are available at the following link: [https://wiki.cancer.org.au/australia/Guidelines:Cervical\\_cancer/Screening](https://wiki.cancer.org.au/australia/Guidelines:Cervical_cancer/Screening)

### a) New Zealand

Details of the NZ NCSP can be found on the Ministry of Health website.

<https://www.nsu.govt.nz/health-professionals/national-cervical-screening-programme/clinical-practice-guidelines-cervical>

The MOH website also provides updates on the roll out of the planned primary HPV screening program.

## 6. References

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## Appendices

### Appendix A ~~Women's Health Committee Membership~~

Name	Position on Committee
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### Appendix B Overview of the development and review process for this statement

#### *i. Steps in developing and updating this statement*

This statement was originally developed in November 2006 and was most recently amended in July 2020. ~~The Women's Health Committee carried out the following steps in reviewing this statement:~~

Declarations of interest were sought from all members prior to reviewing this statement.

An updated literature search was undertaken.

At the July 2020 committee meeting, the existing consensus-based recommendations were reviewed and updated (where appropriate) based on the available body of evidence and clinical expertise. Recommendations were graded as set out below in Appendix B part iii)

#### *ii. Declaration of interest process and management*

Declaring interests is essential in order to prevent any potent

### Appendix C Full Disclaimer

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