

People In NSW Public Prisons

Snapshot of Women's Health Reported at Reception – 2020



Number of Women: 1,533

Pathology & Cancer

35%

1/3 Reported having had a Pap test within the year prior to coming into custody.

2%

30 Reported having breast lumps at some stage in their life.

2 Of these women reported having had breast cancer



Breast Surgery

4%

63 Have had breast surgery.

47 Of these reported having breast implants.



Pregnancy

3%

53 Were pregnant at the time of reception into custody.

51 Of those pregnancies were confirmed at the time of reception into custody.

2 Had their pregnancies confirmed prior to the assessment date.

1/3 Of pregnant women identified as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander.

Age of pregnant women (years)

