Equity of access to abortion and contraception among Māori women



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Introduction

- Law Commission
- Decriminalise abortion
- Three Models



Who gets an abortion?

- 1 in 3 women over lifetime
- Māori women



Barriers to access

- Access to primary healthcare
- Services far from home
- Stigma suppressed information



Māori understandings

- Selfdetermination
- Māori terms
- Māori knowledges
- Positive understandings



Outcomes

- Support decriminalisation
- Support Model A
- Reduce stigma attached to abortion
- Earlier access

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