

# Appendix B:

## Abbreviations, acronyms and glossary

**Abbreviations** We use the following abbreviations in this report:

### Abbreviation

the department	Department of Health
Bendigo hub	Bendigo Community Health Services
Gippsland hub	Gippsland Lakes Complete Health
Monash hub	Monash Health
the Plan	<i>Women's sexual and reproductive health: Key priorities 2017–2020</i>

**Acronyms** We use the following acronyms in this report:

### Acronym

DFFH	Department of Families, Fairness and Housing
GP	general practitioner
IUD	intra-uterine device
LGA	local government area
SRH	sexual and reproductive health
STI	sexually transmitted infection
VAGO	Victorian Auditor-General's Office
WHV	Women's Health Victoria

Glossary

This glossary includes an explanation of the types of engagements we perform:

Term

Reasonable assurance	<p>We achieve reasonable assurance by obtaining and verifying direct evidence from a variety of internal and external sources about an agency's performance. This enables us to express an opinion or draw a conclusion against an audit objective with a high level of assurance. We call these audit engagements.</p> <p>See our <a href="#">assurance services fact sheet</a> for more information.</p>
Limited assurance	<p>We obtain less assurance when we rely primarily on an agency's representations and other evidence generated by that agency. However, we aim to have enough confidence in our conclusion for it to be meaningful. We call these types of engagements assurance reviews and typically express our opinions in negative terms. For example, that nothing has come to our attention to indicate there is a problem.</p> <p>See our <a href="#">assurance services fact sheet</a> for more information.</p>