



Appendix

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Appendix: Trends in the rate of hospital admissions for sports injury in Victoria 2003/04 - 2011/12

	Rate (per 100,000 annual resident population)								
	2003/ 2004	2004/ 2005	2005/ 2006	2006/ 2007	2007/ 2008	2008/ 2009	2009/ 2010	2010/ 2011	2011/ 2012
Child									
Metropolitan	279.2	236.1	214	225.9	218.2	190.4	178.8	206	212.2
Rural/regional	292.6	306.8	271.8	321.4	282.3	250.2	278.9	254.7	282.2
Adult									
Metropolitan	136.7	153.5	147.3	162.9	161.3	168	159.2	175.9	184.8
Rural/regional	181.2	205.2	198.6	212.4	208.4	203.6	212	208.7	241.5
Total									
Metropolitan	151.5	169.1	159.8	174.6	171.8	172.1	162.7	181.4	189.8
Rural/regional	204.8	226.4	213.6	234.5	223.2	212.8	225.1	217.6	249.3