

<b>Project title:</b>	<b>The impact of endometriosis on health service use and chronic disease</b>
<b>Hours of engagement &amp; delivery mode</b>	24-28 hours per week (4 days)  In Person Herston Campus, Level 2, Edith Cavell Building
<b>Description:</b>	Endometriosis affects around 10% of women of reproductive age and is associated with substantial symptom burden, complex care needs, and potential long-term health risks. This project will draw on current literature and existing cohort data to investigate the association between endometriosis and health service utilisation or selected chronic conditions.
<b>Expected learning outcomes and deliverables:</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Literature review skills: Develop the ability to frame a focused research question and produce a 1-2 page synthesis of existing evidence.</li> <li>2. Data analysis skills: Gain hands-on experience in cleaning, harmonising, and analysing longitudinal cohort data.</li> <li>3. Research reporting: Produce a research report summarising methods, results, interpretation, and limitations. This report will be suitable for inclusion in an academic or professional portfolio.</li> </ol>
<b>Suitable for:</b>	<p>This project is open to students with a foundation in epidemiology, biostatistics, and public health, particularly those in their last year of undergrad or 2nd year of Master's who are interested in women's health and considering honours or further research experience.</p> <p>Prior experience with data analysis is desirable but not essential. Familiarity with statistical software (e.g. SAS, Stata, SPSS, or R) and a basic understanding of statistical methods will be helpful.</p>
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