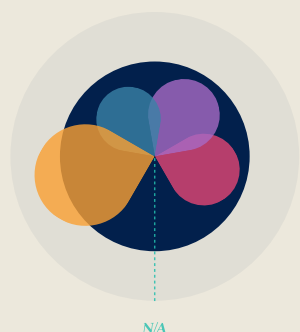


Country factsheet



# Australia



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**Overall Index**

**position 5 of 30 countries**

**85/100** **USE OF EXTREME SENTENCING AND RESPONSES**

**54/100** **PROPORTIONALITY OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE RESPONSE**

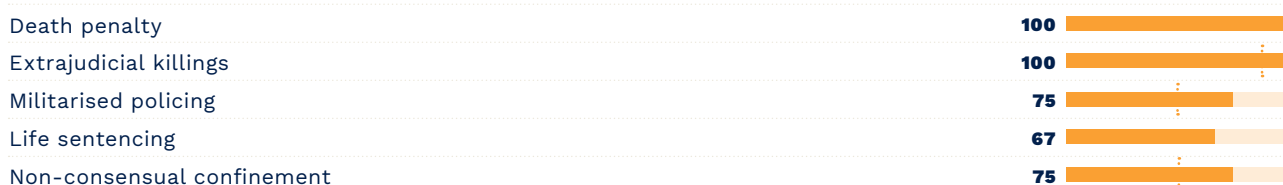
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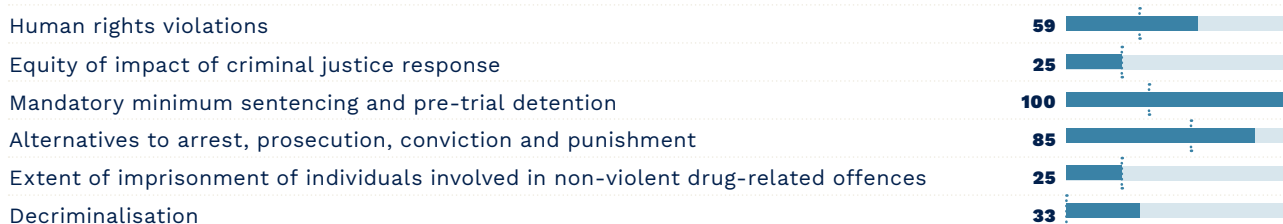
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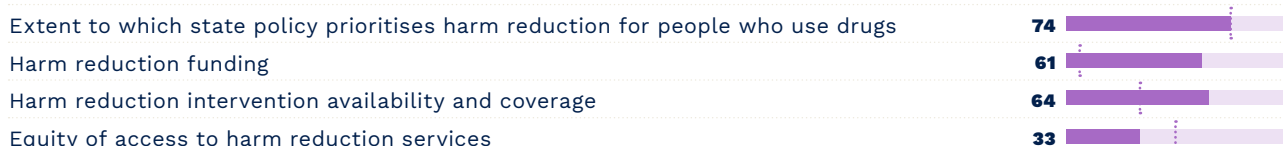
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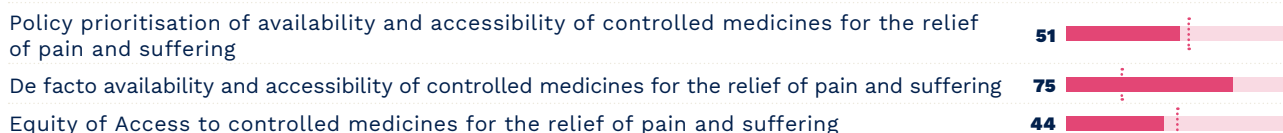
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## HEALTH AND HARM REDUCTION



## AVAILABILITY OF AND ACCESS TO INTERNATIONALLY CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES FOR PAIN RELIEF



## DEVELOPMENT



*'You're under the watchful eye (without being stared at!) of a nurse, just to make sure you're not in the throes of overdose. Because this is a medically-supervised injection centre; emphasis on medically. No one dies here. No one has died. And it's been 19 years running. So...well done!'*

*-Kevin, ex-client of Sydney's Medically Supervised Injecting Centre (MSIC)*