

**Supplementary information:**

**Table S1 – MBS item statistics report based on MBS item number, demonstrating services per capita/per 100,000 population in 2022 regarding BPH procedures.**

<b>Procedure</b>	<b>Medicare item number</b>	<b>Total services per 100,000 population</b>
Prostatic urethral lift (PUL)	36811	4
Transurethral incision of prostate (TUIP)	36854	5
Open prostatectomy	37200	1
Transurethral radiofrequency needle ablation (TUNA)	37201	2
Transurethral resection of prostate (TURP)	37203	40
Photoselective vaporization of prostate (PVP)	37207	7
Transurethral microwave thermoablation (TUMT)	37230	0
Holmium:YAG laser enucleation of prostate (HoLEP)	37245	6

**S2 data:**

With the post hoc GH test, there were significant differences within the subsection scores. For the subsection 1 scores, significant differences were between bottom and top rank webpage, mean difference= 5.58 (95% CI 3.57–7.59,  $p < 0.001$ ); between bottom and middle rank webpage, mean difference= 3.320 (95% CI 0.671–5.970,  $p < 0.011$ ).

For the subsection 2 score, significant difference was between bottom and top rank webpage, mean difference= 3.136 (95% CI 0.640–5.632,  $p = 0.01$ ).

Lastly, for the subsection 3 score, significant differences were between bottom and top rank webpage mean difference= 1.246 (95% CI 0.909–1.584,  $p < 0.001$ ); between bottom and middle rank webpage, mean difference= 0.543 (95% CI 0.031–1.055,  $p = 0.035$ ); between middle and top rank webpage, mean difference= 0.703 (95% CI 0.142–1.265,  $p = 0.011$ ).