# NORTHERN QUEENSLAND HEALTH ATLAS - PILOT

# **NAVIGATION HINTS**

The Northern Queensland Health Atlas is an online interactive platform presenting population, health status, hospital utilisation, workforce, health care provision and service location data in map form. The draft map is now available for project partners and stakeholders for feedback. Click on the button below to access the map.

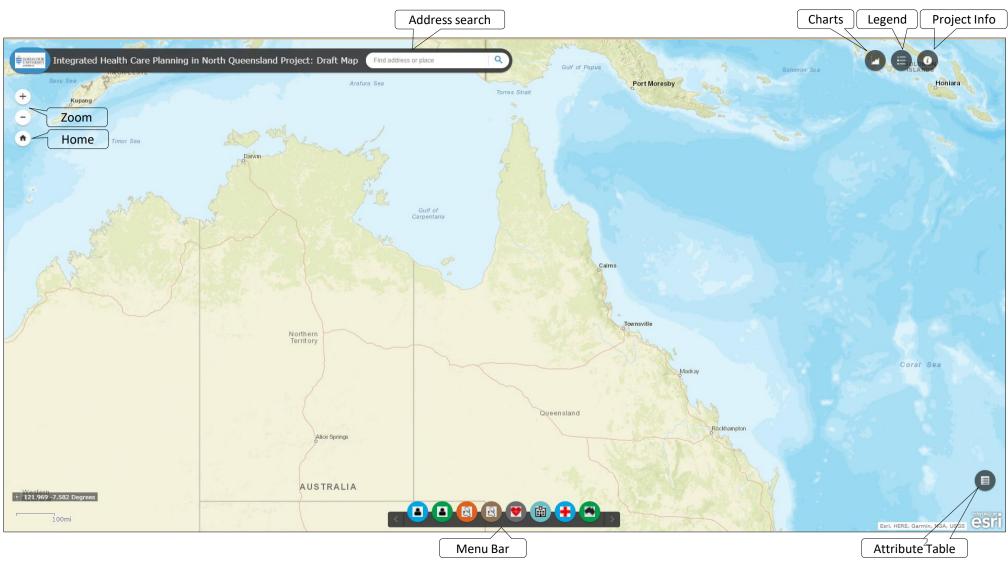
Please note: Due to the map file size, it may take a few minutes to load.

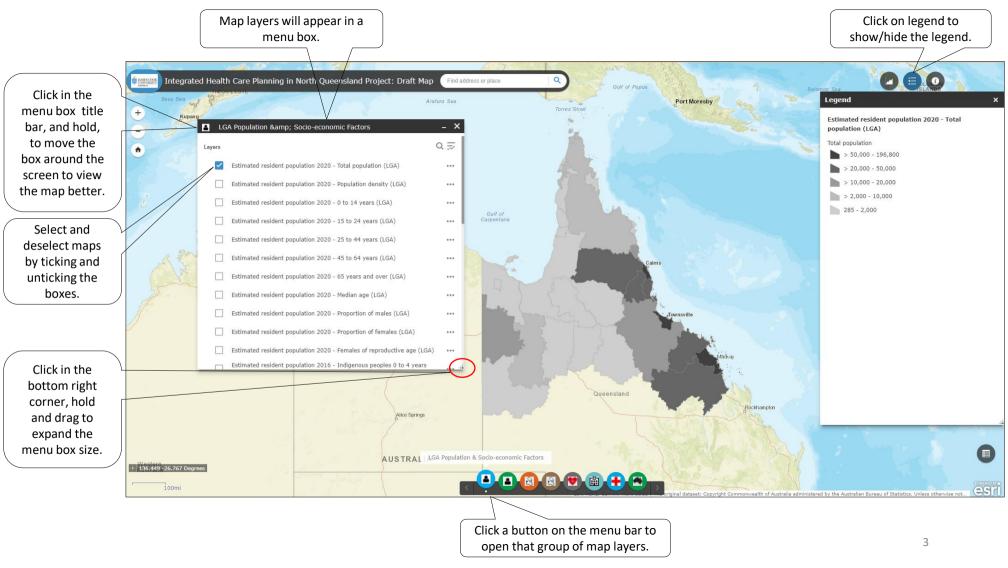
# **EXPLORE THE ATLAS**

#### Guide to the Atlas

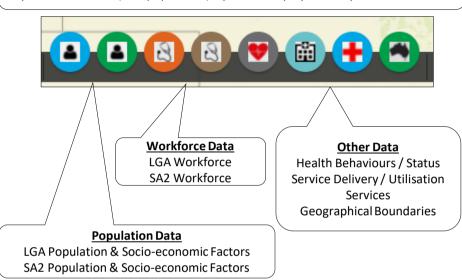
- Address search quickly go to a town by entering the name in the search bar.
- Attribute table displays the data table of the variable you are currently viewing.
- Charts list of charts available.
- Home defaults back to the NQ level map.
- Legend defines the colours or symbols of the chosen layers.
- Map zoom zoom in and out of the map to see more or less detail.
- Menu bar lists all map layer options grouped into categories. Lists will appear in pop-up boxes.
- Project Info brief description of the project and links for further information.



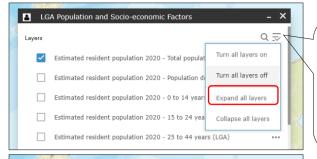




When combining data layers, we recommend that a maximum of one population layer and 1-2 other (non-population) layers are displayed at any one time.



#### In the menu boxes...



To clear all selections in the list of menu layers, select 'Turn all layers off' in the drop-down box, from the top right-hand corner of the menu box.



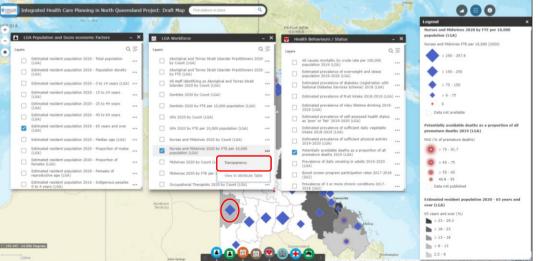
Click on the three dots beside each layer to change the transparency of that layer or to view the attribute table.

## Example

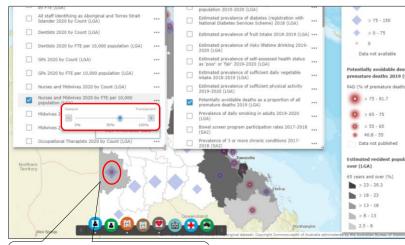
If you are interested in looking at the population aged over 65 years across the region, the number of nurses per head of population and the premature years of life lost, here are the steps you would take.

- 1. From the menu bar open:
  - a) LGA Population and Socio-economic factors and select "Estimated resident population 2020 65 years and over"
  - b) LGA Workforce menu box and select "Nurses and Midwives 2020 by FTE per 10,000 population"
  - c) Health Behaviours/Status menu box and select "Potentially avoidable deaths as a proportion of all premature deaths 2019"
  - d) Open the legend to see all data symbology.
- 2. On the map the red symbols aren't appearing as they are covered by the blue diamonds. This can be fixed by changing the transparency of the blue diamonds in that menu box. Click the three dots beside this layer, select transparency, and make the shape more transparent.
- 3. White on the map indicates data has not been published for that indicator.

### Step 1



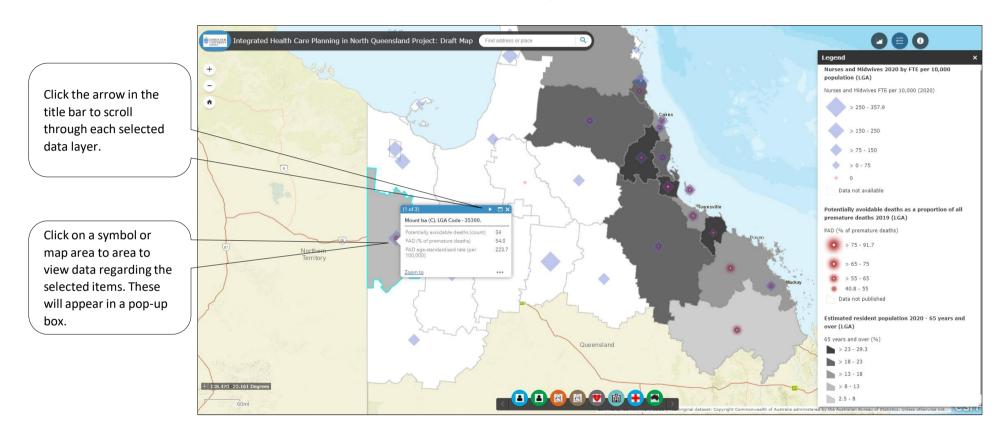
## Steps 2 - 3



The red symbol can now be seen through the blue diamond.

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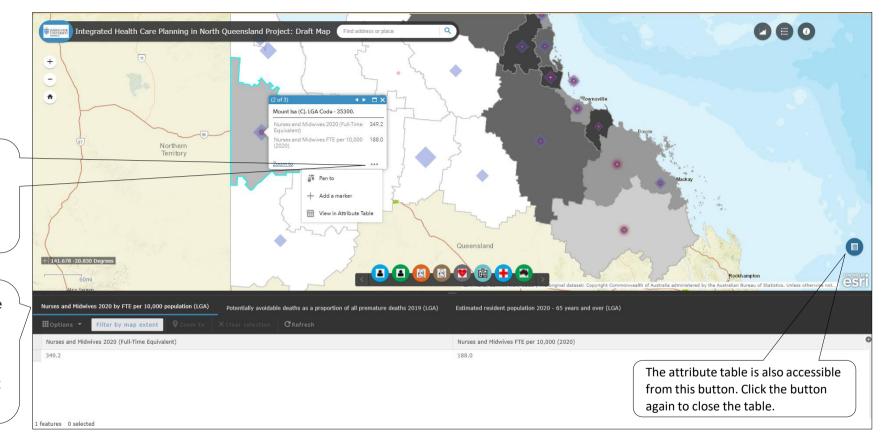
4. Close all of the menu boxes to view the map. Zoom in to the area in which you are interested.



Click on the three dots to 'view the attribute table' for the selected data layer.

The attribute table will appear at the bottom of the screen.

Click each heading to see the data.



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