

## Table 2. Causes of postmenopausal bleeding

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### **Gynaecological (96%)**

#### Malignant (12%)

Primary tumours

Secondary tumours

#### Benign (88%)

Atrophical genital changes

Exogenous/endogenous

#### Oestrogen

Benign tumours

Infection

Injuries

### **Non-gynaecological (4%)**

Per rectum or per urethram bleeding, from gastrointestinal or genitourinary tract pathology, may be mistaken for per vaginam bleeding in a minority of cases