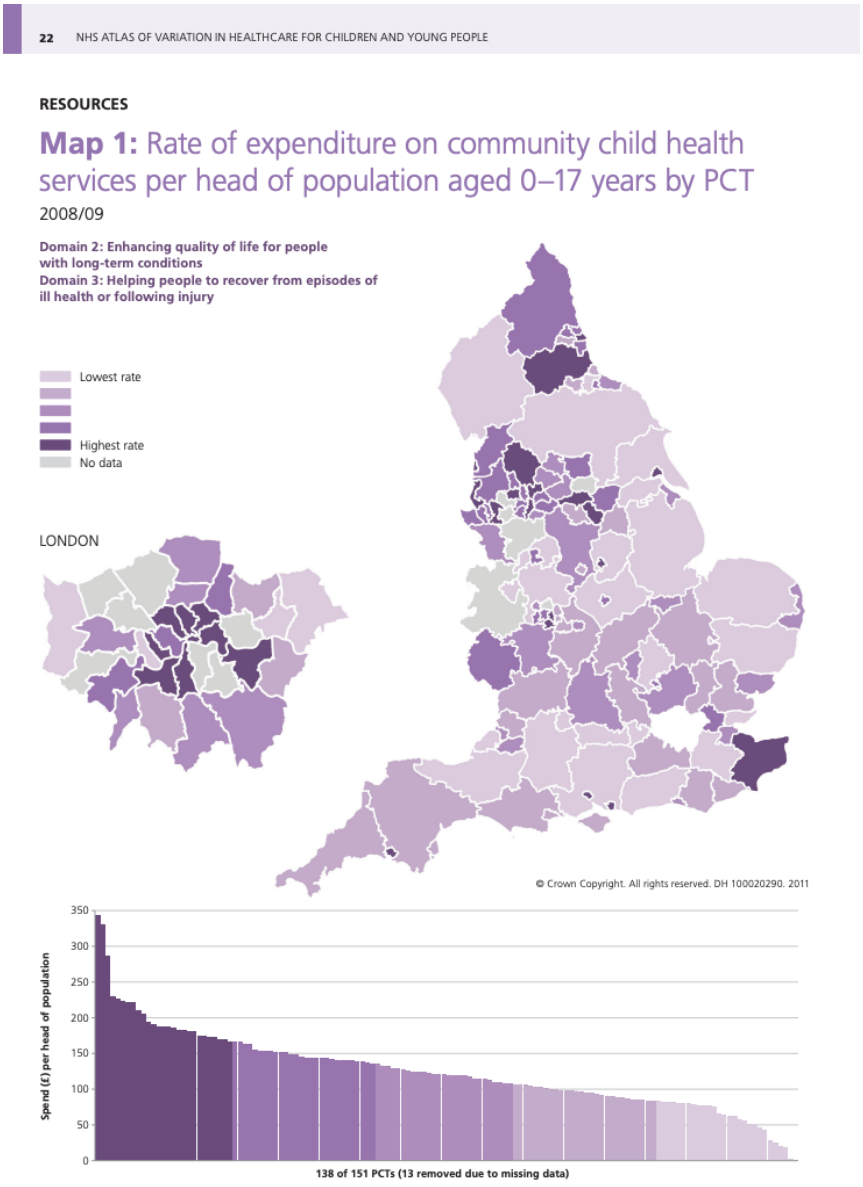
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Atlas of Variation

Your clinical director has just read the “Atlas of Variation”. She notices that the rate of expenditure on community child health services in your area is much lower compared to neighbouring regions. She calls a departmental meeting to discuss this further and poses the



following questions:

- What could be the causes of the variation in expenditure?
- How might we start to investigate this further?
- What are the potential implications for the local population?

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- What can we do about it?