

# Establishment—recurrent expenditure (repairs and maintenance)

**Metadata item type:** Data Element Concept  
**METEOR identifier:** 269412  
**Registration status:**

- [Health](#), Standard 01/03/2005

**Definition:** The costs incurred in maintaining, repairing, replacing and providing additional equipment, maintaining and renovating building and minor additional works.

**Context:** Health expenditure:

This is a significant element of non-salary recurrent expenditure for most establishments within the Public hospital establishments National minimum data set and is thus required for any health expenditure analysis at the national level.

Mental health establishments NMDS:

For the Mental health establishments national minimum data set reporting of this data element is optional for non-government residential mental health services and specialised mental health services provided by private hospitals that receive State or Territory government funding.

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

**Object class:** [Establishment](#)

**Definition:** Institutions, organisations or the community from which health services are provided. The term establishment covers conventional health establishments and also organisations which may provide services in the community.

**Specialisation of:** [Organisation](#)

### Source and reference attributes

**Origin:** National Health Data Committee

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

**Property:** [Recurrent expenditure](#)

**Definition:** Expenditure which does not result in the acquisition or enhancement of an asset.

**Property group:** [Financial characteristics](#)

### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

**Reference documents:** Australian Bureau of Statistics: Government Finance Statistics 1998, Cat. No. 5514.0

## Data element concept attributes

### Relational attributes

**Data Elements  
implementing this Data  
Element Concept:**

[Establishment—recurrent expenditure \(repairs and maintenance\) \(financial year\),  
total Australian currency N\[N\(8\)\]](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 17/08/2018
- [Health](#), Standard 01/03/2005