

# Draft NMDS - Children's Services National Minimum Data Set

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**Scope:** The Children's Services National Minimum Data Set (CS NMDS) relates to the provision of child care and preschool services funded by Commonwealth and State/Territory governments and is being developed by the NCSIMG Children's Services Data Working Group. The CS NMDS is a client centred minimum data set that describes:  
- the children who use child care and preschool services;  
- the organisations (outlets) providing child care and preschool services and the nature of the services provided; and  
- the workers delivering child care and preschool services to children.

## *Data elements linked to this Data set specification*

Name	Data	Reg.	ID	Vers	Type	Current
Arrival time	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000906	2	Data Element	Draft
Child - child care and preschool services	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000900	2	Data Element Concept	Draft
Child ID	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000901	2	Data Element	Draft
Date of birth	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000902	2	Data Element	Draft
Days of operation - per week	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000912	2	Data Element	Draft
Departure time	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000907	2	Data Element	Draft
Finish time	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000914	2	Data Element	Draft
Indigenous status	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000904	2	Data Element	Draft
Licensed places	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000918	2	Data Element	Draft
Outlet - child care and	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000908	2	Data	Draft

preschool services				Element Concept	
Outlet ID	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000909	2	Data Element Draft
Outlet address	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000910	2	Data Element Draft
Place - child care and preschool services	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000917	2	Data Element Concept Draft
Places offered	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000919	2	Data Element Draft
Qualification status - paid primary contact worker	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000922	2	Data Element Draft
School child status	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000905	2	Data Element Draft
Service delivery mode	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000915	2	Data Element Draft
Service delivery setting	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000916	2	Data Element Draft
Sex	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000903	2	Data Element Draft
Start time	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000913	2	Data Element Draft
Weeks of operation - per year	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000911	2	Data Element Draft
Worker - child care and preschool services	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000920	2	Data Element Concept Draft
Worker ID	NCHSDD	NCSIMG	000921	2	Data Element Draft