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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Set Specification

METEOR identifier: 376403

Registration status: Health, Superseded 04/12/2013

DSS type: National Minimum Data Set (NMDS)

Scope: The scope of this dataset is direct government and government-funded expenditure on health and health–related goods and services.

The purpose of this NMDS is to provide an enhanced understanding of the overall financial resources (recurrent and capital) used by the health system, and of unit costs and performance; to enable greater comparability of health expenditure data between jurisdictions and over time; and to provide a more efficient compilation of national reports and analyses on government funded health expenditure.

Collection and usage attributes

Statistical unit: Providers of health or health related goods and services or non-health services that support the health services industry; health or health related functions; and the sources of funds for these providers or functions.

Guide for use: The GHE NMDS consists of 5 mandatory data clusters and 1 conditional data cluster.

The first two data elements named in each data cluster form one of the two axes of a matrix that combine to provide all data in Australian dollars.

Data are to be reported in Australian dollars except when reporting the State/Territory identifier of the Jurisdiction.

Collection methods: Data are collected by a number of providers from their administrative systems and forwarded to the relevant state or territory health authority on a regular basis (for example, monthly).

Hospitals forward data obtained from patient administrative and clinical record systems to the relevant state or territory health authority on a regular basis (for example, monthly). Other data are obtained either directly from annual reports or through surveys.

National reporting arrangements

State and Territory health authorities provide the data to the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare for national collation, on an annual basis.

Periods for which data are collected and nationally collated:

Financial years ending 30 June each year.

Implementation start date: 01/07/2009

Implementation end date: 30/06/2014

Comments: Scope links with other NMDSs

- National Public Hospital Establishments NMDS
- Mental Health Establishments NMDS

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Health Expenditure Advisory Committee

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes Government health expenditure NMDS 2008-09 Health, Superseded 03/12/2008

Has been superseded by Government health expenditure NMDS 2014-Health, Standard 04/12/2013

Metadata items in this Data Set Specification

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
1	Government health expenditure organisation revenue data element cluster	Mandatory	1
-	Health industry relevant organisation—main activity type, code NNN	Mandatory	1
-	Health industry relevant organisation—source of revenue, public and private code NNN	Mandatory	1
-	Organisation—revenue, total Australian currency NNNNN.N	Conditional	99
2	Government health expenditure organisation expenditure data element cluster	Mandatory	1
-	Health industry relevant organisation—main activity type, code NNN	Mandatory	1
-	Organisation—capital consumption expenses, total Australian currency NNNNN.N	Mandatory	1
-	Organisation—employee related expenses, total Australian currency NNNNN.N	Mandatory	1
-	Organisation—expenses, total Australian currency NNNNN.N	Mandatory	1
-	Organisation—purchase of goods and services, total Australian currency NNNNN.N	Mandatory	1
-	Organisation—type of health or health related function, code NNN	Mandatory	1
3	Government health expenditure organisation expenditure purchase of goods and services data element cluster	Mandatory	1
-	Health industry relevant organisation—main activity type, code NNN	Conditional	1
-	Organisation—purchase of goods and services, total Australian currency NNNNN.N	Mandatory	1
-	Organisation—type of health or health related function, code NNN	Conditional	1
4	Government health expenditure organisation expenditure employee related data element cluster	Mandatory	1
-	Health industry relevant organisation—main activity type, code NNN	Conditional	1
-	Organisation—employee related expenses, total Australian currency NNNNN.N	Mandatory	1
-	Organisation—type of health or health related function, code NNN	Conditional	1
5	Government health expenditure organisation expenditure capital consumption data element cluster	Mandatory	1
-	Health industry relevant organisation—main activity type, code NNN	Conditional	1
-	Organisation—capital consumption expenses, total Australian currency NNNNN.N	Conditional	1
-	Organisation—type of health or health related function, code NNN	Conditional	1
6	Government health expenditure function revenue data element cluster	Conditional	1
-	Health industry relevant organisation—source of revenue, public and private code NNN	Mandatory	1
-	Organisation—revenue, total Australian currency NNNNN.N	Mandatory	99
-	Organisation—type of health or health related function, code NNN	Mandatory	1
7	Jurisdiction—Australian state/territory identifier, code N	Mandatory	1