

# Child—maximum preschool program hours available per week, total hours N[N]

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Maximum preschool program hours available per week (Child)
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	397151
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Community Services (retired)</a> , Standard 21/05/2010 [Non Dictionary] <a href="#">Early Childhood</a> , Superseded 08/04/2013
<b>Definition:</b>	The maximum number of hours of preschool program available to the child at this service per week, in total hours from 0 to 60.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Child—maximum preschool program hours available per week</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Total hours N[N]</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Total
<b>Data type:</b>	Number
<b>Format:</b>	N[N]
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	2
<b>Unit of measure:</b>	Hour (h)

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	Total hours expressed as 0, 1, 2, 25, 60 etc.
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## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	The maximum hours available to the child may be less than the opening hours of the service, but may exceed the number of hours the child is enrolled for at the service or hours attended in the reference week
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## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Early Childhood Data Sub Group (ECDSG)
<b>Steward:</b>	<a href="#">Early Childhood Data Sub Group (ECDSG)</a>

## Relational attributes

<b>Related metadata references:</b>	Has been superseded by <a href="#">Child—maximum preschool program hours available, total hours N[N]</a> <a href="#">Early Childhood</a> , Superseded 28/05/2014
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**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [Early Childhood Education and Care: Unit Record Level NMDS 2010](#)  
[Early Childhood](#), Superseded 07/06/2011  
**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2010  
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**Implementation in Indicators:** **Used as Numerator**  
[National Partnership Agreement on Early Childhood Education: 2009, P03.1- Proportion of children enrolled in a preschool program that is available for at least 15 hours a week, 2010](#)  
[Early Childhood](#), Recorded 08/08/2012