

# Child—preschool program hours usually attended 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>	Preschool hours attended (total)
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	397301
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Community Services (retired)</a> , Recorded 04/03/2010
<b>Definition:</b>	The number of hours of a preschool service that a child usually attends in a given week, in total hours from 0 to 60.
<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 number of hours usually attended refers to the normal pattern of attendance for a child at a preschool program within the census week. That is, non attendance due to illness or other non standard events during the census work are not subtracted from the count of hours.
<b>Collection methods:</b>	Total hours should be expressed as a number from 0 to 60. Responses of greater than 60 hours should be ignored.

## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Early Childhood Data Sub Group (ECDSG)
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