Child—preschool program hours usually attended per week, total hours N[N]

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Preschool hours attended (total) |
| METEOR identifier: | 397301 |
| Registration status: | [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Recorded 04/03/2010 |
| Definition: | The number of hours of a preschool service that a child usually attends in a given week, in total hours from 0 to 60. |
| Value Domain: | [Total hours N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/390307) |

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| Value domain attributes |
| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Total |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N[N] |
| Maximum character length: | 2 |
| Unit of measure: | Hour (h) |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | Total hours expressed as 0, 1, 2, 25, 60 etc. |

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Data element attributes  |
| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: |

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| 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. |

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| Collection methods: | 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 |
| Submitting organisation: | Early Childhood Data Sub Group (ECDSG) |