

National Healthcare Agreement: PI 64b-Indigenous Australians in the health workforce, 2011

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Indicator
Indicator type:	Output measure
Short name:	PI 64b-Indigenous Australians in the health workforce, 2011
METEOR identifier:	421581
Registration status:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health, Superseded 31/10/2011
Description:	Indigenous Australians in the health workforce
Indicator set:	National Healthcare Agreement (2011) Health , Superseded 31/10/2011
Outcome area:	Social Inclusion and Indigenous Health Health , Standard 07/07/2010 Indigenous , Standard 11/09/2012

Collection and usage attributes

Computation description:	<p>The scope of the health workforce for this indicator is those employed in health occupations. Those occupations that are defined as health occupations are detailed in AIHW's Health and community services labour force 2006 publication.</p> <p>Occupation groupings are medical practitioners, medical imaging workers, dental workers, nursing workers, pharmacists, allied health workers, complementary therapists and other health workers.</p> <p>Calculation excludes 'not stated' responses to the Indigenous status question.</p> <p>Presented as a percentage.</p>
Computation:	$100 \times (\text{Numerator} \div \text{Denominator})$
Numerator:	Number of Indigenous Australians in the health workforce

Numerator data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—Indigenous status, code N](#)

Data Source

[ABS 2006 Census of Population and Housing](#)

Guide for use

Data source type: Census

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—occupation \(main\), code \(ANZSCO 1st edition\) N\[NNN\]{NN}](#)

Data Source

[ABS 2006 Census of Population and Housing](#)

Guide for use

Data source type: Census
Number of people employed in those codes that equate to health occupations, as defined in the *Health and community services labour force* publication (AIHW, 2006)

Denominator:

Total health workforce

Denominator data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—occupation \(main\), code \(ANZSCO 1st edition\) N\[NNN\]{NN}](#)

Data Source

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Number of people employed in those codes that equate to health occupations, as defined in the *Health and community services labour force* publication (AIHW, 2006)

Disaggregation:

2008—State and territory, occupation grouping

Disaggregation data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—area of usual residence, geographical location code \(ASGC 2006\) NNNNN](#)

Data Source

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Data source type: Census
The first character of the 5 digit ASGC code is the state/territory identifier

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—occupation \(main\), code \(ANZSCO 1st edition\) N\[NNN\]{NN}](#)

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Data source type: Census

Comments:

Most recent data available for 2011 CRC report: 2006

NO NEW DATA FOR 2011 REPORTING.

Representational attributes

Representation class: Percentage
Data type: Real
Unit of measure: Person
Format: N[N].N

Indicator conceptual framework

Framework and dimensions: [Effectiveness](#)
[Efficiency & Sustainability](#)

Data source attributes

Data sources: **Data Source**
[ABS 2006 Census of Population and Housing](#)
Frequency
Every 5 years
Data custodian
Australian Bureau of Statistics

Accountability attributes

Reporting requirements: National Healthcare Agreement
Organisation responsible for providing data: Australian Bureau of Statistics

Further data development / Specification: Interim collection required:

Source and reference attributes

Reference documents: *Health and community services labour force* publication (AIHW, 2006): <http://www.aihw.gov.au/publications/index.cfm/title/10677>

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Supersedes [National Healthcare Agreement: P64b-Indigenous Australians in the health workforce, 2010](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 08/06/2011

See also [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 64a-Indigenous Australians in the health workforce, 2011](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 31/10/2011
- [Indigenous](#), Superseded 31/10/2011

Has been superseded by [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 64b-Indigenous Australians in the health workforce, 2012](#)

- [Health](#), Retired 25/06/2013
- [Indigenous](#), Standard 11/09/2012

See also [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 65-Net growth in health workforce, 2011](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 31/10/2011