

Indigenous primary health care: PI10a-Number of regular clients with a smoking status result, 2013

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Indicator
Indicator type:	Output measure
Short name:	PI10a-Number of regular clients with a smoking status result, 2013
METEOR identifier:	431736
Registration status:	Health , Superseded 21/11/2013 Indigenous , Superseded 21/11/2013
Description:	<p>Number of regular clients who are Indigenous, aged 15 years and over and whose smoking status has been recorded as one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• current smoker;• ex-smoker or;• never smoked.
Rationale:	Smoking has been identified as one of the key risk factors contributing to the burden of disease for Indigenous Australians. It is important that Indigenous primary health care services know the smoking status of clients in order to provide appropriate medical care.
Indicator set:	Indigenous primary health care key performance indicators (2013) Health , Superseded 21/11/2013 Indigenous , Superseded 21/11/2013

Collection and usage attributes

Population group age from:	15 years
Computation description:	<p>Count of regular clients who are Indigenous, aged 15 years and over and whose smoking status has been recorded as one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• current smoker;• ex-smoker or;• never smoked. <p>'Regular client' refers to a client of an OATSIH-funded primary health care service (that is required to report against the Indigenous primary health care key performance indicators) who has an active medical record; that is, a client who has attended the OATSIH-funded primary health care service at least 3 times in 2 years.</p> <p>Presented as a number.</p> <p>Calculated separately for each smoking status.</p>
Computation:	Numerator only.
Numerator:	<p>Calculation A: Number of regular clients who are Indigenous, aged 15 years and over and whose smoking status has been recorded as "current smoker".</p> <p>Calculation B: Number of regular clients who are Indigenous, aged 15 years and over and whose smoking status has been recorded as a "ex-smoker".</p> <p>Calculation C: Number of regular clients who are Indigenous, aged 15 years and over and whose smoking status has been recorded as a "never smoked".</p>

Numerator data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—tobacco smoking status, code N](#)

Data Source

[Indigenous primary health care data collection](#)

NMDS / DSS

[Indigenous primary health care DSS 2012-14](#)

Guide for use

"Daily smoker", "weekly smoker" and "irregular smoker" are aggregated into "current smoker".

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—Indigenous status, code N](#)

Data Source

[Indigenous primary health care data collection](#)

NMDS / DSS

[Indigenous primary health care DSS 2012-14](#)

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—age, total years N\[NN\]](#)

Data Source

[Indigenous primary health care data collection](#)

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Data Element / Data Set

[Person—regular client indicator, yes/no code N](#)

Data Source

[Indigenous primary health care data collection](#)

NMDS / DSS

[Indigenous primary health care DSS 2012-14](#)

Denominator:

Disaggregation:

1. Sex:
 - a) Male
 - b) Female
2. Age group:
 - a) 15-24 years
 - b) 25-34 years
 - c) 35-44 years
 - d) 45-54 years
 - e) 55-64 years
 - f) 65 years and over

Disaggregation data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

[Person—sex, code N](#)

Data Source

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Data Element / Data Set

[Person—age, total years N\[NN\]](#)

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Representational attributes

Representation class: Count

Data type: Real

Unit of measure: Person

Indicator conceptual framework

Framework and dimensions: [Health Behaviours](#)

Data source attributes

Data sources:

Data Source

[Indigenous primary health care data collection](#)

Frequency

6 monthly

Data custodian

Australian Institute of Health and Welfare.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW)

Department of Health and Ageing (DoHA)

Relational attributes

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