

# National Healthcare Agreement: PI 52-Falls in residential aged care resulting in patient harm and treated in hospital, 2012

## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Indicator
<b>Indicator type:</b>	Progress measure
<b>Short name:</b>	PI 52-Falls resulting in patient harm in residential aged care, 2012
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	435893
<b>Registration status:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Health</a>, Retired 25/06/2013</li></ul>
<b>Description:</b>	Falls occurring in residential aged care and resulting in patient harm treated in hospital
<b>Indicator set:</b>	<a href="#">National Healthcare Agreement (2012)</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 25/06/2013
<b>Outcome area:</b>	<a href="#">Aged Care</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 07/07/2010
<b>Quality statement:</b>	<a href="#">National Healthcare Agreement: PI 52-Falls resulting in patient harm in residential aged care, 2012 QS</a> Health, Retired 14/01/2015

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Computation description:</b>	<p>Injury resulting from fall defined by ICD-10-AM external cause codes of W00–W19.</p> <p>Events occurring in residential aged care defined by a place of occurrence code of Y92.14 (Aged Care Facility).</p> <p>Only includes in the numerator those separations where the ICD-10-AM code for the principal diagnosis is in the range of S00–T14 (inclusive).</p> <p>Analysis by state and territory is based on location of service.</p> <p>Analysis by remoteness and SEIFA Index of Relative Socioeconomic Disadvantage (IRSD) is based on usual residence of person.</p> <p>Presented as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• number of separations</li><li>• per 10,000 resident-occupied place days.</li></ul>
<b>Computation:</b>	Number $10,000 \times (\text{Numerator} \div \text{Denominator})$
<b>Numerator:</b>	Number of hospital separations with a diagnosis of injury resulting from fall, where the event occurred in residential aged care

**Numerator data elements:**

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Episode of admitted patient care—admission date, DDMMYYYY](#)

**Data Source**

[National Hospital Morbidity Database \(NHMD\)](#)

**NMDS / DSS**

[Admitted patient care NMDS 2009-10](#)

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**Data Element / Data Set**

[Episode of admitted patient care—separation date, DDMMYYYY](#)

**Data Source**

[National Hospital Morbidity Database \(NHMD\)](#)

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**Data Element / Data Set**

[Injury event—place of occurrence, code \(ICD-10-AM 6th edn\) ANN{.N\[N\]}](#)

**Data Source**

[National Hospital Morbidity Database \(NHMD\)](#)

**NMDS / DSS**

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**Data Element / Data Set**

[Injury event—external cause, code \(ICD-10-AM 6th edn\) ANN{.N\[N\]}](#)

**Data Source**

[National Hospital Morbidity Database \(NHMD\)](#)

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**Denominator:**

Number of resident-occupied place days

**Denominator data elements:**

**Data Element / Data Set**

**Data Element**

Number of resident-occupied place days

**Data Source**

[Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing's Ageing and Aged Care data warehouse](#)

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**Disaggregation:**

2009–10—Nationally, by SEIFA Index of Relative Socioeconomic Disadvantage (IRSD) deciles

2009–10—State and territory, by:

- Indigenous status
- remoteness (Australian Standard Geographical Classification Remoteness Structure)
- SEIFA IRSD quintiles

Some disaggregation may result in numbers too small for publication. National disaggregation by Indigenous status will be based on data only from jurisdictions for which the quality of Indigenous identification is considered acceptable.

**Disaggregation data elements:**

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Establishment—organisation identifier \(state/territory\), NNNNN](#)

**Data Source**

[National Hospital Morbidity Database \(NHMD\)](#)

**NMDS / DSS**

[Admitted patient care NMDS 2009-10](#)

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Data source type: Administrative by-product data  
Used for disaggregation by state/territory

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Person—Indigenous status, code N](#)

**Data Source**

[National Hospital Morbidity Database \(NHMD\)](#)

**NMDS / DSS**

[Admitted patient care NMDS 2009-10](#)

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Data source type: Administrative by-product data

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Person—area of usual residence, geographical location code \(ASGC 2008\) NNNNN](#)

**Data Source**

[National Hospital Morbidity Database \(NHMD\)](#)

**NMDS / DSS**

[Admitted patient care NMDS 2009-10](#)

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Data source type: Administrative by-product data  
Used for disaggregation by remoteness and SEIFA IRSD

**Comments:**

Most recent data available for 2012 CRC report: 2009–10

The scope of the National Hospital Morbidity Database (NHMD) is episodes of care for admitted patients in essentially all hospitals in Australia, including public and private acute and psychiatric hospitals, free-standing day hospital facilities, alcohol and drug treatment hospitals and dental hospitals.

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Count
<b>Data type:</b>	Real
<b>Unit of measure:</b>	Episode
<b>Format:</b>	N[NNNN]

## Indicator conceptual framework

**Framework and dimensions:** [Safety](#)

## Data source attributes

**Data sources:** **Data Source**

[Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing's Ageing and Aged Care data warehouse](#)

**Frequency**

Annual (based on ongoing data collection)

**Data custodian**

Department of Health and Ageing

**Data Source**

[National Hospital Morbidity Database \(NHMD\)](#)

**Frequency**

Annual

**Data custodian**

Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

## Accountability attributes

**Reporting requirements:** National Healthcare Agreement

**Organisation responsible for providing data:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

**Further data development / collection required:** Specification: Proxy

## Source and reference attributes

## Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:**

See also [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 40-Pressure ulcers in hospitals, 2012](#)

- [Health](#), Retired 25/06/2013

See also [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 41-Falls resulting in patient harm in hospitals, 2012](#)

- [Health](#), Retired 25/06/2013

See also [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 42-Intentional self-harm in hospitals, 2012](#)

- [Health](#), Retired 25/06/2013

See also [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 50-Staphylococcus aureus \(including MRSA\) bacteraemia in residential aged care, 2012](#)

- [Health](#), Retired 25/06/2013

See also [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 51-Pressure ulcers in residential aged care, 2012](#)

- [Health](#), Retired 25/06/2013

Supersedes [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 52-Falls in residential aged care resulting in patient harm and treated in hospital, 2011](#)

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

See also [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 56-People aged 65 years or over receiving sub-acute services, 2012](#)

- [Health](#), Retired 25/06/2013

See also [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 57-Hospital patient days used by those eligible and waiting for residential aged care, 2012](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 25/06/2013