

National Healthcare Agreement: PI 02-Incidence of sexually transmissible infections and blood-borne viruses, 2012

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Indicator
Indicator type:	Progress measure
Short name:	PI 02-Incidence of sexually transmissible infections and blood-borne viruses, 2012
METEOR identifier:	435959
Registration status:	Health , Retired 25/06/2013
Description:	Incidence of sexually transmissible infections and blood-borne viruses
Indicator set:	National Healthcare Agreement (2012) Health , Superseded 25/06/2013
Outcome area:	Prevention Health , Standard 07/07/2010
Data quality statement:	National Healthcare Agreement: PI 02-Incidence of sexually transmitted infections and blood-borne viruses, 2012 QS Health , Retired 14/01/2015

Collection and usage attributes

Computation description:	<p>The current case definitions for these infections, including any historical edits, are available at: https://www.health.gov.au/casedefinitions.</p> <p>Syphilis data limited to notifications of less than 2 years duration and includes notifications of congenital syphilis.</p> <p>HIV data contains notifications of newly diagnosed HIV infection and includes HIV infections known to have been acquired within 12 months prior to diagnosis.</p> <p>Hepatitis B and hepatitis C data contains notifications of newly diagnosed infections, including cases known to have been acquired within 24 months prior to diagnosis.</p> <p>Chlamydia and gonococcal notifications may include cases that are not sexually acquired, especially in the 0-4 year age group.</p> <p>Rates directly age-standardised to the 2001 Australian population.</p> <p>Analysis by state and territory, remoteness and SEIFA Index of Relative Socioeconomic Disadvantage (IRSD) is based on usual residence of person.</p> <p>Presented per 100,000 population.</p>
Computation:	$100,000 \times (\text{Numerator} \div \text{Denominator})$ Calculated separately for each type of infection
Numerator:	Number of notifications of new diagnoses of syphilis, HIV, hepatitis B, hepatitis C, chlamydia and gonococcal infection.

Numerator data elements:

Data Element / Data Set
Notifications of new diagnoses of selected sexually transmissible disease and/or blood-borne viruses

Data Source
[National Notifiable Diseases Surveillance System \(NNDSS\)](#)

Guide for use
Data source type: Administrative by-product data

Data Element / Data Set
Notifications of new diagnoses of selected sexually transmissible disease and/or blood-borne viruses

Data Source
[National HIV Registry](#)

Guide for use
Data source type: Administrative by-product data

Denominator:

Total population

Denominator data elements:

Data Element / Data Set
Person—estimated resident population of Australia

Data Source
[ABS Estimated resident population \(total population\)](#)

Guide for use
Data source type: Census-based plus administrative by-product data

Data Element / Data Set
Person—estimated resident population of Australia

Data Source
[ABS Indigenous experimental estimates and projections \(2001 Census-based\)](#)

Guide for use
Data source type: Census-based plus administrative by-product data

Disaggregation:

2010—Nationally (by each type of infection) by SEIFA Index of Relative Socioeconomic Disadvantage (IRSD) deciles

2008 (revised WA chlamydia data), and 2010—State and territory, by each type of infection, by:

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

Some disaggregation may result in numbers too small for publication.

Disaggregation data elements:

Data Element / Data Set
Person—age

Data Source

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Data Element / Data Set

Person—area of usual residence

Data Source

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Guide for use

Data source type: Administrative by-product data

Used for disaggregation by state/territory, remoteness and SEIFA IRSD

Data Element / Data Set

Person—Indigenous status

Data Source

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Data source type: Administrative by-product data

Data Element / Data Set

Person—sex

Data Source

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Data source type: Administrative by-product data

Data Element / Data Set

Person—age

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Person—area of usual residence

Data Source

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Person—sex

Data Source

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Data source type: Administrative by-product data

Comments:

Most recent data available for 2012 CRC report: 2010 (calendar year data).

Representational attributes

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

Indicator conceptual framework

Framework and dimensions: [Health conditions](#)

Data source attributes

Data sources:

Data Source

[ABS Estimated resident population \(total population\)](#)

Frequency

Quarterly

Data quality statement

[ABS Estimated resident population \(total population\), QS](#)

Data custodian

Australian Bureau of Statistics

Data Source

[National Notifiable Diseases Surveillance System \(NNDSS\)](#)

Frequency

Annual

Data custodian

Australian Government Department of Health

Data Source

[ABS Indigenous experimental estimates and projections \(2001 Census-based\)](#)

Frequency

Periodic

Data quality statement

[ABS Indigenous experimental estimates and projections, QS](#)

Data custodian

Australian Bureau of Statistics

Data Source

[National HIV Registry](#)

Frequency

Annual

Data custodian

The Kirby Institute for infection and immunity in society

Accountability attributes

Reporting requirements: National Healthcare Agreement

Organisation responsible for providing data: Department of Health and Ageing

Further data development / collection required: Specification: Long-term

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 02-Incidence of sexually transmissible infections and blood-borne viruses, 2011](#)
[Health](#), Superseded 30/10/2011

See also [Australian Health Performance Framework: PI 3.1.3–Incidence of sexually transmissible infections and blood-borne viruses, 2020](#)
[Health](#), Superseded 07/09/2023

See also [Australian Health Performance Framework: PI 3.1.3–Incidence of sexually transmissible infections and blood-borne viruses, 2021](#)
[Health](#), Superseded 29/05/2024

See also [Australian Health Performance Framework: PI 3.1.3–Incidence of sexually transmissible infections and blood-borne viruses, 2024](#)
[Health](#), Standard 29/05/2024

See also [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 08-Proportion of men reporting unprotected anal intercourse with casual male partners, 2012](#)
[Health](#), Retired 25/06/2013