

Informal carer—average number of hours available to provide care, hours NN

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Informal carer available hours
METEOR identifier:	496100
Registration status:	Community Services (retired) , Standard 10/04/2013 Disability , Standard 13/08/2015
Definition:	The average number of hours a carer is available to provide physical needs, help, or comfort.
Data Element Concept:	Informal carer—number of hours available to provide care
Value Domain:	Average hours NN

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Average	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	NN	
Maximum character length:	2	
	Value	Meaning
Supplementary values:	99	Unknown/not stated/inadequately described
Unit of measure:	Hour (h)	

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	The number of hours may vary across a reference period, so an estimate of the usual or typical hours available should be provided.
Collection methods:	This item should be collected along with Informal carer available days to provide an indication of the total hours available to provide care in a typical week.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	See also Informal carer—average number of days available to provide care, code N Community Services (retired) , Standard 10/04/2013 Disability , Standard 13/08/2015
Implementation in Data Set Specifications:	Disability services carer details cluster Community Services (retired) , Standard 10/04/2013 Disability , Standard 13/08/2015

