

PAF-Efficiency

Efficiency indicators (the relationship of inputs to outputs) measure how efficiently the outputs of a service were achieved. Technical efficiency indicators measure how well services use their resources (inputs) to produce outputs. Government funding per unit of output delivered is a typical indicator of technical efficiency. Allocative efficiency considers the use of resources across different care/treatment domains and strategic options, including in hospitals and primary care settings. Whilst indicators of allocative efficiency are not currently well developed in health care, they will be a focus for future development.

Indicators in this framework

- [National Health Performance Authority, Healthy Communities: Expenditure on specialist attendances, 2011–12](#)
[National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Superseded 27/03/2014
- [National Health Performance Authority, Healthy Communities: Expenditure on specialist attendances, 2012–13](#)
[National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Retired 01/07/2016
- [National Health Performance Authority, Hospital Performance: Comparable Cost of Care, 2015](#)
[National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Retired 01/07/2016
- [National Health Performance Authority, Hospital Performance: Cost per National Weighted Activity Unit \(NWAU\), 2015](#)
[National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Retired 01/07/2016
- [National Health Performance Authority, Hospital Performance: Total National Weighted Activity Unit \(NWAU\), 2015](#)
[National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Retired 01/07/2016
- [National Health Performance Authority, Hospital Performance: Average length of stay \(ALOS\) for multi-day stay patients in Australian public hospitals, 2013-2015](#)
[National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Retired 01/07/2016
- [National Health Performance Authority, Healthy Communities: Expenditure on after-hours GP attendances, 2012–13](#)
[National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Retired 01/07/2016
- [National Health Performance Authority, Hospital Performance: Total National Weighted Activity Unit \(NWAU\), 2016](#)
[National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Retired 01/07/2016
- [National Health Performance Authority, Hospital Performance: Cost per National Weighted Activity Unit \(NWAU\), 2016](#)
[National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Retired 01/07/2016