

# Bringing them Home/Link Up Counselling Program client numbers cluster

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Set Specification
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	577561
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Indigenous</a> , Standard 16/09/2014
<b>DSS type:</b>	Data Element Cluster
<b>Scope:</b>	Bringing them Home/Link Up Counselling Program client numbers cluster describes the type of clients seen by the Bringing them Home or Link Up Counselling Program service during the reporting period.

The data elements are used together to provide a count of the number of clients by the Indigenous status and sex of the Bringing Them Home or Link Up Counselling Program clients.

### Number of clients

	<b>Male clients</b>	<b>Female clients</b>	<b>Total clients</b>
<b>First generation clients</b> (those that were moved from their families and communities)	N[NNN]	N[NNN]	N[NNN]
<b>Second generation clients</b> (those clients whose parent/s are first generation members)	N[NNN]	N[NNN]	N[NNN]
<b>Third and subsequent generation clients</b> (those clients whose grandparent/s are first generation members or who are directly descended from people who were moved from their families and communities in subsequent generations)	N[NNN]	N[NNN]	N[NNN]
Other Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander clients	N[NNN]	N[NNN]	N[NNN]
Non-Indigenous clients	N[NNN]	N[NNN]	N[NNN]
<b>Total clients</b>	N[NNN]	N[NNN]	N[NNN]

## Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:** Each individual client is counted once only, irrespective of the number of times that they have been seen, and whether they attended more than one program.

Exclusions:

- Clients who attended groups and did not attend the service individually.
- Family members of clients unless the family member is also a client of the service in their own right and has their own file/record.

## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

## Relational attributes

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [Bringing them Home/Link Up Counsellors DSS Indigenous](#), Superseded 07/12/2017  
**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2010  
**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2011

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**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2011  
**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2012

[Bringing them Home/Link Up Counsellors DSS Indigenous](#), Superseded 07/12/2017  
**Implementation start date:** 01/06/2008  
**Implementation end date:** 30/07/2009

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**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2009  
**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2010

## Metadata items in this Data Set Specification

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
-	<a href="#">Client—Bringing them Home/Link Up Counsellor Program client type, code N</a>	Mandatory	5
-	<a href="#">Person—sex, code N</a>	Mandatory	2
	<b>DSS specific information:</b>		
	This data element is used to determine the sex of the Bringing Them Home or Link Up Counselling Program clients.		
-	<a href="#">Service provider organisation—number of clients, total people N[NNNN]</a>	Mandatory	1
	<b>DSS specific information:</b>		
	This data element refers to the number of Bringing Them Home or Link Up Counselling Program clients.		