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# Indigenous primary health care: PI10a-Number of regular clients with a smoking status result, 2015-2017

# Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Indicator

**Indicator type:** Output measure

**Short name:** PI10a-Number of regular clients with a smoking status result, 2015-2017

METEOR identifier: 663870

**Registration status:** <u>Health</u>, Superseded 25/01/2018

Indigenous, Superseded 27/02/2018

**Description:** Number of regular clients who are Indigenous, aged 15 years and over and whose

smoking status has been recorded within the previous 24 months as one of the

following:

current smoker;ex-smoker or;never smoked.

Rationale: Smoking has been identified as one of the key risk factors contributing to the

burden of disease for Indigenous Australians. It is important that Indigenous primary

health care services know the smoking status of clients in order to provide

appropriate medical care.

Indicator set: Indigenous primary health care key performance indicators (2015-2017)

Health, Superseded 25/01/2018 Indigenous, Superseded 27/02/2018

# Collection and usage attributes

Population group age

from:

15 years

Computation description: Count of regular clients who are Indigenous, aged 15 years and over and whose

smoking status has been recorded within the previous 24 months as one of the

following:

- · current smoker;
- ex-smoker or;
- · never smoked.

'Regular client' refers to a client of an Australian Government Department of Healthfunded primary health care service (that is required to report against the Indigenous primary health care key performance indicators) who has an active medical record; that is, a client who has attended the Department of Health-funded primary health care service at least 3 times in 2 years.

Operationalisation of smoking status:

Where an Indigenous regular client's tobacco smoking status does not have an assessment date assigned within the Patient Information Record System (PIRS), smoking status as recorded in the PIRS should be treated as current (i.e. as having been updated within the previous 24 months).

been updated within the previous 24 month

Presented as a number.

Calculated separately for each smoking status.

**Computation:** Numerator only.

### **Numerator:**

Calculation A: Number of regular clients who are Indigenous, aged 15 years and over and whose smoking status has been recorded as 'current smoker' within the previous 24 months.

Calculation B: Number of regular clients who are Indigenous, aged 15 years and over and whose smoking status has been recorded as 'ex-smoker' within the previous 24 months.

Calculation C: Number of regular clients who are Indigenous, aged 15 years and over and whose smoking status has been recorded as 'never smoked' within the previous 24 months.

### Numerator data elements:

### Data Element / Data Set-

Person—tobacco smoking status, code N

**Data Source** 

Indigenous primary health care data collection

NMDS / DSS

Indigenous primary health care DSS 2015-17

Guide for use

'Daily smoker', 'weekly smoker' and 'irregular smoker' are aggregated into 'current smoker'.

### Data Element / Data Set-

Person—Indigenous status, code N

**Data Source** 

Indigenous primary health care data collection

NMDS / DSS

Indigenous primary health care DSS 2015-17

### Data Element / Data Set

Person—age, total years N[NN]

**Data Source** 

Indigenous primary health care data collection

NMDS / DSS

Indigenous primary health care DSS 2015-17

# Data Element / Data Set-

Person—regular client indicator, yes/no code N

**Data Source** 

Indigenous primary health care data collection

NMDS / DSS

Indigenous primary health care DSS 2015-17

**Disaggregation:** 1. Sex:

a) Male

b) Female

2. Age group:

a) 15-24 years b) 25-34 years

c) 35-44 years

d) 45-54 years

e) 55-64 years

f) 65 years and over

# Disaggregation data elements:

# Data Element / Data Set

Person-sex, code N

**Data Source** 

Indigenous primary health care data collection

NMDS / DSS

Indigenous primary health care DSS 2015-17

# Data Element / Data Set-

Person—age, total years N[NN]

Data Source

Indigenous primary health care data collection

NMDS / DSS

Indigenous primary health care DSS 2015-17

# Representational attributes

Representation class: Count

Data type: Real

Unit of measure: Person

# Indicator conceptual framework

Framework and dimensions:

**Health Behaviours** 

### **Data source attributes**

Data sources:

### Data Source

Indigenous primary health care data collection

Frequency

6 monthly

Data custodian

Australian Institute of Health and Welfare.

# Source and reference attributes

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

Australian Government Department of Health

# Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes <u>Indigenous primary health care: PI10a-Number of regular clients with a smoking status result, 2015</u>

Health, Superseded 05/10/2016 Indigenous, Superseded 20/01/2017

Has been superseded by <u>Indigenous primary health care: PI10a-Number of regular clients with a smoking status result, 2015-2017</u>

<u>Health</u>, Superseded 17/10/2018 <u>Indigenous</u>, Superseded 17/10/2018

See also Indigenous primary health care: PI10b-Proportion of regular clients with a smoking status result, 2015-2017

Health, Superseded 25/01/2018 Indigenous, Superseded 27/02/2018