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Identifying and definitional attributes

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Scope: The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services data set specification (DSS) describes the provision of treatment and assistance for a range of substance use issues for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people. This includes both illicit substances and the use of alcohol, tobacco and nicotine.

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services provide treatment and assistance through residential treatment and rehabilitation programs; sobering-up, and residential respite and short-term care; non-residential counselling and rehabilitation programs; or through a combination of these.

The aggregate level collection supports information to be collected at the service provider organisation level.

Collection and usage attributes

Collection methods: Information about residential programs is only collected from standalone substance use services that provide residential treatment/rehabilitation.

Implementation start date: 01/07/2008

Implementation end date: 30/06/2009

Comments: Substance use can cause harm to individuals, their families and communities. It contributes significantly to the gap between Indigenous and non-Indigenous Australians in life expectancy and other health outcomes. The Australian Government aims to reduce alcohol and other drug problems in Indigenous communities. Improved access to treatment is one of the priority areas of the National Drug Strategy (MCDS 2004).

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare.

Reference documents: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare 2010. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health services report, 2008–09: OATSIH Services Reporting—key results. Cat. no. IHW 31. Canberra: AIHW

MCDS (Ministerial Council on Drug Strategy) 2004. The National Drug Strategy: Australia's integrated framework 2004-2009. Canberra: MCDS.

Relational attributes

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Metadata items in this Data Set Specification

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
1	Service provider organisation—substance use program type, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use program type code N[N]	Mandatory	10
2	Service provider organisation—substance use program type, text X[X(199)]	Conditional	1
	Conditional obligation: This data element is collected when a 'Other' response is provided for Service provider organisation—substance use program type, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use program type code N[N].		
3	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services opening hours cluster	Mandatory	1
1	Service provider organisation—service provision outside of usual opening hours indicator, yes/no code N	Mandatory	1
	DSS specific information: This data element is used to determine if the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service provider organisation provides services outside of usual opening hours.		
2	Service provider organisation—service provision outside of usual opening hours type, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services type code N[N]	Conditional	7
	Conditional obligation: This data element is used when a 'Yes' response is provided for Service provider organisation—service provision outside of usual opening hours indicator, yes/no code N.		
3	Service provider organisation—service provision outside of usual opening hours type, text [X(199)]	Conditional	1
	Conditional obligation: This data element is used when an 'Other, please specify' response is provided for Service provider organisation—service provision outside of usual opening hours type, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services type code N[N]. ***DSS specific information:*** This data element refers to the type of care provided by the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service provider organisation.		
4	Referral—referral source, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services referral sources code N[N]	Mandatory	10
5	Referral—referral source, extended text X[X(∞)]	Conditional	1
	Conditional obligation: This data element is used when an 'Other, please specify' response is provided for Referral—referral source, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services referral sources code N[N].		

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6	Service provider organisation—number of clients required to access service as a result of legal proceedings, total number N[NNN] ***DSS specific information:*** This data element refers to the number of clients that are required to access Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services as a result of legal proceedings.	Mandatory	1
7	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services client numbers cluster	Mandatory	1
-	Person—Indigenous status, code N ***DSS specific information:*** This data element is used to determine the Indigenous status of the standalone substance use service clients. In the Indigenous status data element, codes 1 (Aboriginal but not Torres Strait Islander origin), 2 (Torres Strait Islander but not Aboriginal origin) and 3 (Both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin) are aggregated to Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander, code 4 (Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander origin) maps to non-Indigenous and code 9 (Not stated/inadequately described) maps to Unknown Indigenous status.	Mandatory	2
-	Person—sex, code N ***DSS specific information:*** This data element is used to determine the sex of the standalone substance use service clients.	Mandatory	2
-	Service provider organisation—number of clients, total people N[NNNN] ***DSS specific information:*** This data element refers to the number of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service clients.	Mandatory	1
8	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services residential treatment/rehabilitation client numbers cluster	Mandatory	1
-	Person—age range, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone services client age ranges code N ***DSS specific information:*** This data element is used to determine the age range of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service's residential treatment/rehabilitation clients.	Mandatory	3

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-	Person—Indigenous status, code N	Mandatory	2
	DSS specific information: This data element is used to determine the Indigenous status of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service's residential treatment/rehabilitation clients. In the Indigenous status data element, codes 1 (Aboriginal but not Torres Strait Islander origin), 2 (Torres Strait Islander but not Aboriginal origin) and 3 (Both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin) are aggregated to Indigenous; code 4 (Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander origin) maps to non-Indigenous and code 9 (Not stated/inadequately described) maps to Unknown Indigenous status.		
-	Person—sex, code N	Mandatory	2
	DSS specific information: This data element refers to the sex of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service's residential treatment/rehabilitation client.		
-	Service provider organisation—number of clients, total people N[NNNN]	Mandatory	1
	DSS specific information: This data element refers to the number of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service's residential treatment/rehabilitation clients.		
9	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services residential treatment/rehabilitation length of stay cluster	Mandatory	1
-	Episode of residential care—length of stay, number of weeks in residential treatment and/or rehabilitation, code N	Mandatory	8
	DSS specific information: This data element refers to length of stay in the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services residential treatment/rehabilitation.		
-	Person—sex, code N	Mandatory	2
	DSS specific information: This data element refers to the sex of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use residential treatment/rehabilitation client.		
-	Service provider organisation—number of clients, total people N[NNNN]	Mandatory	1
	DSS specific information: This data element refers to the number of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use residential treatment/rehabilitation clients.		
10	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services residential/rehabilitation episodes of care cluster	Mandatory	1

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-	Episode of residential care—number of substance use residential treatment/rehabilitation episodes of care, total number N[NNNN] ***DSS specific information:*** This data element refers to the residential treatment/rehabilitation episodes of care provided by the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service.	Mandatory	1
-	Person—age range, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone services client age ranges code N	Mandatory	3
-	Person—Indigenous status, code N ***DSS specific information:*** This data element is used to determine the Indigenous status of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use residential treatment/rehabilitation clients. In the Indigenous status data element, codes 1 (Aboriginal but not Torres Strait Islander origin), 2 (Torres Strait Islander but not Aboriginal origin) and 3 (Both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin) are aggregated to Indigenous, code 4 (Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander origin) maps to non-Indigenous and code 9 (Not stated/inadequately described) maps to Unknown Indigenous status.	Mandatory	2
-	Person—sex, code N ***DSS specific information:*** This data element is used to determine the sex of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use residential treatment/rehabilitation client.	Mandatory	2
11	Service provider organisation—provision for families in residential accommodation indicator, yes/no code N ***DSS specific information:*** This data element refers to capacity for family to stay with clients in residential treatment and/or rehabilitation provided by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services.	Mandatory	1
12	Client—percentage of clients with family members staying during residential treatment/rehabilitation, percentage N[NN] ***Conditional obligation:*** Completion of this data element is conditional on a 'yes' response to Service provider organisation—provision for families in residential accommodation indicator, yes/no code N. ***DSS specific information:*** This data element refers to family members staying with clients of residential treatment and/or rehabilitation provided by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services.	Conditional	1

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13	Service provider organisation—waiting list indicator, yes/no code N	Mandatory	1
	DSS specific information: This data element refers to a waiting list for residential treatment and/or rehabilitation provided by the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service.		
14	Service provider organisation—waiting list, total people N[NNN]	Conditional	1
	Conditional obligation: This data element is conditional upon a 'Yes' response to Service provider organisation—waiting list indicator, yes/no code N. ***DSS specific information:*** This data element refers to the waiting list for residential treatment and/or rehabilitation provided by the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services. If accurate figures are not available, an estimate is acceptable.		
15	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services sobering-up/residential respite/short-term care client numbers cluster	Mandatory	1
-	Person—age range, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone services client age ranges code N	Mandatory	3
	DSS specific information: This data element refers to the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service's sobering-up/residential respite/short-term care client.		
-	Person—Indigenous status, code N	Mandatory	2
	DSS specific information: This data element is used to determine the Indigenous status of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service's sobering-up/residential respite/short-term care client. In the Indigenous status data element, codes 1 (Aboriginal but not Torres Strait Islander origin), 2 (Torres Strait Islander but not Aboriginal origin) and 3 (Both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin) are aggregated to Indigenous; code 4 (Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander origin) maps to non-Indigenous and code 9 (Not stated/inadequately described) maps to Unknown Indigenous status.		
-	Person—sex, code N	Mandatory	2
	DSS specific information: This data element refers to the sex of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service's sobering up/residential respite/short-term care client.		

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-	Service provider organisation—number of clients, total people N[NNNN]	Mandatory	1
	DSS specific information: This data element refers to the number of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service's sobering-up/residential respite/short-term care clients.		
16	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services sobering-up/residential respite/short-term care episodes of care cluster	Mandatory	1
-	Episode of residential care—number of sobering-up/residential respite/short-term episodes of care for substance use, total number N[NNNN]	Mandatory	1
-	Person—age range, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone services client age ranges code N	Mandatory	3
-	Person—Indigenous status, code N	Mandatory	2
	DSS specific information: This data element is used to determine the Indigenous status of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service clients. In the Indigenous status data element, codes 1 (Aboriginal but not Torres Strait Islander origin), 2 (Torres Strait Islander but not Aboriginal origin) and 3 (Both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin) are aggregated to Indigenous; code 4 (Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander origin) maps to non-Indigenous and code 9 (Not stated/inadequately described) maps to Unknown Indigenous status.		
-	Person—sex, code N	Mandatory	2
	DSS specific information: This data element is used to determine the sex of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service clients.		
17	Service provider organisation—number of substance use treatment beds/residential places, total number N[NNNN]	Mandatory	1
18	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services non-residential/follow-up/aftercare client numbers cluster	Mandatory	1
-	Person—age range, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone services client age ranges code N	Mandatory	3
	DSS specific information: This data element is used to determine the age ranges of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service's non-residential/follow-up/aftercare clients.		

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-	Person—Indigenous status, code N	Mandatory	2
	DSS specific information:		
	This data element is used to determine the Indigenous status of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service's non-residential/follow-up/aftercare clients.		
	In the Indigenous status data element, codes 1 (Aboriginal but not Torres Strait Islander origin), 2 (Torres Strait Islander but not Aboriginal origin) and 3 (Both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin) are aggregated to Indigenous; code 4 (Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander origin) maps to non-Indigenous and code 9 (Not stated/inadequately described) maps to Unknown Indigenous status.		
-	Person—sex, code N	Mandatory	2
	DSS specific information:		
	This data element is used to determine the sex of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service's non-residential/follow-up/aftercare clients.		
-	Service provider organisation—number of clients, total people N[NNNN]	Mandatory	1
	DSS specific information:		
	This data element refers to the number of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service's non-residential/follow-up/aftercare clients.		
19	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services non-residential/follow-up/aftercare episodes of care cluster	Mandatory	1
-	Episode of care—number of substance use non-residential/follow-up/aftercare episodes of care, total number N[NNNN]	Mandatory	1
-	Person—age range, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone services client age ranges code N	Mandatory	3
	DSS specific information:		
	This data element is used to determine the age ranges of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service's non-residential/follow-up/aftercare client.		
-	Person—Indigenous status, code N	Mandatory	2
	DSS specific information:		
	This data element is used to determine the Indigenous status of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service's non-residential/follow-up/aftercare client.		
	In the Indigenous status data element, codes 1 (Aboriginal but not Torres Strait Islander origin), 2 (Torres Strait Islander but not Aboriginal origin) and 3 (Both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin) are aggregated to Indigenous; code 4 (Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander origin) maps to non-Indigenous and code 9 (Not stated/inadequately described) maps to Unknown Indigenous status.		

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-	Person—sex, code N	Mandatory	2
	DSS specific information: This data element is used to determine the sex of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service's non-residential/follow-up/aftercare client.		
20	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander services group activities cluster	Mandatory	1
	DSS specific information: This data cluster refers to the provision of group activities by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services.		
1	Service provider organisation—group session status, yes/no code N	Mandatory	1
2	Service provider organisation—group activity type, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander services group activity type code N[N]	Conditional	16
	Conditional obligation: This data element is used when a 'Yes' response is provided for Service provider organisation—group session status, yes/no code N.		
3	Service provider organisation—group activity type, text X[X(199)]	Conditional	1
	Conditional obligation: This data element is used when an 'Other' response is provided for Service provider organisation—group activity type, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander services group activity type code N[N].		
21	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service paid full-time equivalent positions cluster	Mandatory	1
-	Person—Indigenous status, code N	Mandatory	2
	DSS specific information: This data element is used to determine the Indigenous status of the paid staff in the standalone substance use service. In the Indigenous status data element, codes 1 (Aboriginal but not Torres Strait Islander origin), 2 (Torres Strait Islander but not Aboriginal origin) and 3 (Both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin) are aggregated to Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander; code 4 (Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander origin) maps to non-Indigenous and code 9 (Not stated/inadequately described) maps to Unknown Indigenous status.		
-	Service provider organisation—full-time equivalent staff (paid), total N[NNN{.N}]	Mandatory	99
	DSS specific information: This data element refers to the staff of the standalone substance use service.		
-	Service provider organisation—staffing categories, standalone substance use services paid full time equivalent positions code N[N]	Mandatory	18

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-	Service provider organisation—staffing categories, text X[X(199)]	Conditional	99

Conditional obligation:

This data element is used to provide further information about the type of full-time equivalent social and emotional wellbeing staff; medical specialists and allied health professionals; and other staff of the standalone substance use service.

22	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander service staff vacancy cluster	Mandatory	1

DSS specific information:

This data cluster refers to the staff vacancies within the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services.

1	Service provider organisation—positions vacant indicator, yes/no code N	Mandatory	1
2	Service provider organisation—position title, text [X(250)]	Conditional	99

Conditional obligation:

This data element is collected when a 'Yes' response is provided for Service provider organisation—positions vacant indicator, yes/no code N.

3	Service/care provider—full-time equivalent, unit N{.N}	Conditional	99

Conditional obligation:

This data element is collected when a 'Yes' response is provided for Service provider organisation—positions vacant indicator, yes/no code N.

4	Service provider organisation—length of time position vacant, total weeks N[N]	Conditional	99

Conditional obligation:

This data element is collected when a 'Yes' response is provided for Service provider organisation—positions vacant indicator, yes/no code N.

DSS specific information:

The supplementary code '99' is not used for this collection.

23	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services unpaid full-time equivalent positions cluster	Mandatory	1
-	Person—Indigenous status, code N	Mandatory	2

DSS specific information:

This data element is used to determine the Indigenous status of the unpaid staff in the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance services provider organisation.

In the Indigenous status data element, codes 1 (Aboriginal but not Torres Strait Islander origin), 2 (Torres Strait Islander but not Aboriginal origin) and 3 (Both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin) are aggregated to Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander; code 4 (Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander origin) maps to non-Indigenous and code 9 (Not stated/inadequately described) maps to Unknown Indigenous status.

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-	Service provider organisation—full-time equivalent staff (volunteer/unpaid), total N[NNN{.N}]	Mandatory	99
	DSS specific information: This data element refers to the unpaid staff in the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance services provider organisation.		
-	Service provider organisation—staffing categories, standalone substance use services unpaid full time equivalent staffing categories code N[N]	Conditional	9
-	Service provider organisation—staffing categories, text X[X(199)]	Conditional	99
	Conditional obligation: This data element is used where the following staffing categories are selected: 'Social and emotional wellbeing staff', 'Visiting Medical Specialists/Other allied health professionals' and 'Other staff' for Service provider organisation—staffing categories, standalone substance use services unpaid full time equivalent staffing categories code N[N]. ***DSS specific information:*** This data element provides further information about the type of social and emotional wellbeing staff; medical specialists and allied health professionals; and other staff of the standalone substance use service.		
24	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services cluster	Mandatory	1
1	Service provider organisation—drug of concern, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services drug of concern code N[N]	Mandatory	18
2	Service provider organisation—drug of concern, text X[X(199)]	Conditional	1
	Conditional obligation: This data element is used when a response of 'Other drugs' is provided for Service provider organisation—drug of concern, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services drug of concern code N[N].		
3	Service provider organisation—substance use treatment/assistance delivery method, code N	Mandatory	2
4	Service provider organisation—substance use services type, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services type code N[N]	Mandatory	24
5	Service provider organisation—substance use services type, text X[X(199)]	Conditional	2
	Conditional obligation: This data element is used when a response of 'Referral' or 'Other' is provided for Service provider organisation—substance use services type, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services drug of concern code N[N].		
6	Service provider organisation—substance use treatment approach type, code N[N]	Mandatory	8

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7	Service provider organisation—substance use treatment approach type, text X[X(199)] ***Conditional obligation:*** This data element is used when an 'Other' response is provided for Service provider organisation—substance use treatment approach type, code N[N].	Conditional	1
25	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services social and emotional wellbeing services cluster	Mandatory	1
1	Client—social and emotional wellbeing health issues indicator, yes/no code N ***DSS specific information:*** This data element is used to determine the existence of social and emotional wellbeing issues for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use clients. The term social and emotional wellbeing (SEWB) has particular meaning to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, as Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples view health and wellbeing holistically.	Mandatory	1
2	Client—social and emotional wellbeing health issues type, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander social and emotional wellbeing health issues type code N[N] ***Conditional obligation:*** This data element is used when a 'Yes' response is provided for Client—social and emotional wellbeing health issues indicator, yes/no code N.	Conditional	14
3	Client—social and emotional wellbeing health issues type, text X[X(199)] ***Conditional obligation:*** This data element is used when an 'Other' response is provided for Client—social and emotional wellbeing health issues type, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander social and emotional wellbeing health issues type code N[N].	Conditional	1
4	Service provider organisation—service activity type, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander social and emotional wellbeing health activities type code N[N] ***DSS specific information:*** This data element is used to determine the type of social and emotional wellbeing activities provided by the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use service.	Mandatory	12
5	Service provider organisation—social and emotional wellbeing activity type, text X[X(199)] ***Conditional obligation:*** This data element is used to determine the referral type and other type of social and emotional wellbeing activities provided by the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander primary health-care service.	Conditional	2