

# Indigenous primary health care: PI17a- Number of regular clients who had an AUDIT-C with result within specified levels, 2018-2019

## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Indicator
<b>Indicator type:</b>	Output measure
<b>Short name:</b>	PI17a-Number of regular clients who had an AUDIT-C with result (score) within specified levels, 2018-2019
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	687992
<b>Registration status:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Health</a>, Superseded 16/01/2020</li><li>• <a href="#">Indigenous</a>, Superseded 14/07/2021</li></ul>
<b>Description:</b>	<p>Number of regular Indigenous clients, aged 15 and over, who have had an AUDIT-C result recorded within the previous 24 months with a score of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• greater than or equal to 4 in males and 3 in females; or</li><li>• less than 4 in males and 3 in females.</li></ul>
<b>Rationale:</b>	Excessive or hazardous alcohol consumption is associated with health and social problems in all populations, including Indigenous Australians. The information generated using AUDIT-C screening test may be used to advise or refer the person to change their drinking habit.
<b>Indicator set:</b>	<a href="#">Indigenous primary health care key performance indicators 2018-2019</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 16/01/2020 <a href="#">Indigenous</a> , Superseded 14/07/2021

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Population group age from:</b>	15 years
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**Computation description:** Number of regular Indigenous clients, aged 15 and over, who have had an AUDIT-C result recorded within the previous 24 months with a score of:

- greater than or equal to 4 in males and 3 in females; or
- less than 4 in males and 3 in females.

'Regular client' refers to a client of an Australian Government Department of Health-funded 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.

**Computation:** Numerator only.

**Numerator:** Calculation A: Number of regular Indigenous clients, aged 15 and over, who have had an AUDIT-C result recorded within the previous 24 months with a score of greater than or equal to 4 in males and 3 in females.

Calculation B: Number of regular Indigenous clients, aged 15 and over, who have had an AUDIT-C result recorded within the previous 24 months with a score of less than 4 in males and 3 in females.

**Numerator data elements:**

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Person—age, total years N\[NN\]](#)

**Data Source**

[Indigenous primary health care data collection](#)

**NMDS / DSS**

[Indigenous primary health care NBEDS 2018–19](#)

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Person—AUDIT-C result, code N](#)

**Data Source**

[Indigenous primary health care data collection](#)

**NMDS / DSS**

[Indigenous primary health care NBEDS 2018–19](#)

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Person—Indigenous status, code N](#)

**Data Source**

[Indigenous primary health care data collection](#)

**NMDS / DSS**

[Indigenous primary health care NBEDS 2018–19](#)

**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 NBEDS 2018–19](#)

- 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—age, total years N\[NN\]](#)

**Data Source**

[Indigenous primary health care data collection](#)

**NMDS / DSS**

[Indigenous primary health care NBEDS 2018–19](#)

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Person—sex, code X](#)

**Data Source**

[Indigenous primary health care data collection](#)

**NMDS / DSS**

[Indigenous primary health care NBEDS 2018–19](#)

## Representational attributes

- Representation class:** Count
- Data type:** Real
- Unit of measure:** Person
- Format:** N[N(6)]

## 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 [Indigenous primary health care: PI17a-Number of regular clients who had an AUDIT-C with result within specified levels, 2015-2017](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 17/10/2018
- [Indigenous](#), Superseded 17/10/2018

Has been superseded by [Indigenous primary health care: PI17a-Number of regular clients who had an AUDIT-C with result within specified levels, June 2020](#)

- [Health](#), Retired 13/10/2021
- [Indigenous](#), Superseded 14/07/2021

See also [Indigenous primary health care: PI17b-Proportion of regular clients who had an AUDIT-C with result within specified levels, 2018-2019](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 16/01/2020
- [Indigenous](#), Superseded 14/07/2021