

Establishment—recurrent expenditure (salaries and wages) (mental health carer workers) (financial year), total Australian currency N[N(8)]

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Recurrent expenditure (salaries and wages)—mental health carer workers
METEOR identifier:	718709
Registration status:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health, Superseded 20/01/2021
Definition:	Salary and wage payments to mental health carer workers of an establishment, for a financial year.

Data element concept attributes

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Data element concept:	Establishment—recurrent expenditure (salaries and wages)
METEOR identifier:	269717
Registration status:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ACT Health (retired), Candidate 14/08/2018• Health, Superseded 20/01/2021
Definition:	<p>Salary and wage payments for all employees of the establishment (including contract staff employed by an agency, provided staffing data is also available).</p> <p>Generally, salary data by staffing categories should be broadly consistent with full-time equivalent staffing numbers. Where staff provide services to more than one hospital (for Public hospitals establishments NMDs) or service unit (for Mental health establishments NMDs), their salaries should be apportioned between all hospitals to whom services are provided on the basis of hours worked in each hospital.</p> <p>Salary payments for contract staff employed through an agency should be included under salaries for the appropriate staff category provided they are included in full-time equivalent staffing. If they are not, salary payments should be shown separately.</p>

Context: Health expenditure:
Salaries and wages invariably constitute the major component of recurrent and, indeed, total expenditure for establishments are vital to any analysis of health expenditure at the national level. The categories correspond with those relating to full-time equivalent staffing which is a requirement for any proper analysis of average salary costs.

Object class: [Establishment](#)

Property: [Recurrent expenditure](#)

Value domain attributes

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Value domain: [Total Australian currency N\[N\(8\)\]](#)

METEOR identifier: 270563

Registration status:

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 14/08/2018
- [Community Services \(retired\)](#), Standard 27/04/2007
- [Disability](#), Standard 07/10/2014
- [Early Childhood](#), Standard 21/05/2010
- [Health](#), Standard 01/03/2005
- [National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Retired 01/07/2016

Definition: Total number of Australian dollars.

Representational attributes

Representation class: Total

Data type: Currency

Format: N[N(8)]

Maximum character length: 9

Unit of measure: Australian currency (AU\$)

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: Mental health carer workers are persons employed (or engaged via contract) on a part-time or full-time basis, i.e. the person received a salary or contract fee on a regular basis. It does not refer to arrangements where the carer worker only received reimbursements of expenses or occasional sitting fees for attendance at meetings.

Mental health carer workers employed at the jurisdictional or regional level are considered in-scope. Salary costs should be apportioned between all establishments, as deemed appropriate by the jurisdiction (full-time-equivalent staff figures should be apportioned on the same basis).

Collection methods: Note: This code is only to be reported for the Mental Health Establishments NMDS.

For Public hospital establishments NMDS data are to be reported in a category according to specific state and territory arrangements.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes [Establishment—recurrent expenditure \(salaries and wages\) \(mental health carer workers\) \(financial year\), total Australian currency N\[N\(8\)\]](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 17/08/2018
- [Health](#), Superseded 16/01/2020

Has been superseded by [Establishment—recurrent expenditure \(salaries and wages\) \(mental health carer workers\) \(financial year\), total Australian currency N\[N\(8\)\]](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 20/01/2021

Is used in the formation of [Establishment \(mental health\)—recurrent expenditure \(total salaries and wages\) \(financial year\), total Australian currency N\[N\(8\)\]](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 20/01/2021

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Mental health establishments NMDS 2020–21](#)
[Health](#), Superseded 20/01/2021

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