National Healthcare Agreement: PI 10–Prevalence of Type 2 diabetes, 2021

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Indicator |
| Indicator type: | Progress measure |
| Short name: | PI 10–Prevalence of Type 2 diabetes, 2021 |
| METEOR identifier: | 725809 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 03/07/2020 |
| Description: | The proportion of people who have Type 2 diabetes. |
| Indicator set: | [National Healthcare Agreement (2021)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/725844)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 19/11/2020 |
| Outcome area: | [Prevention](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/393136)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 07/07/2010 |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Computation description: | The National Health Measures Survey component of the 2011–13 Australian Health Survey (ABS cat. no. [4364.0.55.005](http://www.abs.gov.au/AUSSTATS/abs%40.nsf/Lookup/4364.0.55.005main%2Bfeatures12011-12)) included a fasting plasma glucose test.A respondent to the survey is considered to have *known diabetes*if they had ever been told by a doctor or nurse that they have Type 2 diabetes and:* they were taking diabetes medication (either insulin or tablets); or
* their blood test result for fasting plasma glucose was greater than or equal to 7.0 mmol/L.

A respondent to the survey is considered to have *newly diagnosed diabetes*if they reported no prior diagnosis of diabetes, but had a fasting plasma glucose value greater than or equal to 7.0 mmol/L.Excludes persons who did not fast for 8 hours or more prior to their blood test.Excludes women with gestational diabetes.The data are reported for two age ranges:* people aged 18 and over; and
* people aged 25 and over, as a supplementary measure.

Rates are directly age-standardised to the 2001 Australian population.Analysis by remoteness and Socio-Economic Indexes for Areas (SEIFA) Index of Relative Socio-Economic Disadvantage (IRSD) is based on usual residence of the person (based on data availability).Presented as a percentage.95% confidence intervals and relative standard errors calculated for rates.Note: The type of diabetes for newly diagnosed cases cannot be determined from a fasting plasma glucose or HbA1c test alone.  However, it is assumed that the vast majority of newly diagnosed cases would be Type 2. |
| Computation: | 100 x (Numerator ÷ Denominator) |
| Numerator: | Number of persons aged 18 and over with *known diabetes*(Type 2) or *newly diagnosed diabetes*as determined by a fasting plasma glucose test.For the supplementary measure: number of persons aged 25 and over with *known diabetes*(Type 2) or *newly diagnosed diabetes* as determined by a fasting plasma glucose test. |
| Numerator data elements: | **Data Element / Data Set****Data Element** Person with known diabetes (Type 2) or newly diagnosed diabetes as determined by a fasting plasma glucose test **Data Source**[ABS Australian Health Survey (AHS), 2011–13 (2011–12 National Health Measures Survey component)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/585482)**Guide for use** Data source type: Survey **Data Element / Data Set****Data Element** Person—age **Data Source**[ABS Australian Health Survey (AHS), 2011–13 (2011–12 National Health Measures Survey component)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/585482)**Guide for use** Data source type: Survey **Data Element / Data Set****Data Element** Person with known diabetes (Type 2) or newly diagnosed diabetes as determined by a fasting plasma glucose test **Data Source**[ABS Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (AATSIHS), 2012–13 (National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Measures Survey component)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/585499)**Guide for use** Data source type: Survey **Data Element / Data Set****Data Element** Person—age **Data Source**[ABS Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (AATSIHS), 2012–13 (National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Measures Survey component)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/585499)**Guide for use** Data source type: Survey  |
| Denominator: | Population aged 18 and over.For the supplementary measure: population aged 25 and over. |
| Denominator data elements: | **Data Element / Data Set****Data Element** Person—age **Data Source**[ABS Australian Health Survey (AHS), 2011–13 (2011–12 National Health Measures Survey component)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/585482)**Guide for use** Data source type: Survey **Data Element / Data Set****Data Element** Person—age **Data Source**[ABS Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (AATSIHS), 2012–13 (National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Measures Survey component)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/585499)**Guide for use** Data source type: Survey  |
| Disaggregation: | State and territory, by:* sex
* Indigenous status.

Nationally, by (all not reported this cycle):* remoteness (Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS) Remoteness Structure)
* 2011 SEIFA IRSD quintiles.

Some disaggregation may result in numbers too small for publication. |
| Disaggregation data elements: | **Data Element / Data Set****Data Element** Person—Indigenous status **Data Source**[ABS Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (AATSIHS), 2012–13 (National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Measures Survey component)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/585499)**Guide for use** Data source type: Survey **Data Element / Data Set****Data Element** Person—sex **Data Source**[ABS Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (AATSIHS), 2012–13 (National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Measures Survey component)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/585499)**Guide for use** Data source type: Survey **Data Element / Data Set**[Person—area of usual residence, statistical area level 2 (SA2) code (ASGS 2011) N(9)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/469909)**Data Source**[ABS Australian Health Survey (AHS), 2011–13 (2011–12 National Health Measures Survey component)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/585482)**Guide for use** Data source type: SurveyUsed for disaggregation by state/territory, remoteness and SEIFA of residence **Data Element / Data Set**[Person—area of usual residence, statistical area level 2 (SA2) code (ASGS 2011) N(9)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/469909)**Data Source**[ABS Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (AATSIHS), 2012–13 (National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Measures Survey component)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/585499)**Guide for use** Data source type: SurveyUsed for disaggregation by state/territory  |
| Comments: | Most recent data available for 2021 National Healthcare Agreement performance reporting: 2011-12 (total population, non-Indigenous: AHS); 2012–13 (Indigenous only: AATSIHS).NO NEW DATA FOR 2021 REPORTING. |
| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Percentage |
| Data type: | Real |
| Unit of measure: | Person |
| Format: | N[NN].N |
| Data source attributes |
| Data sources: | **Data Source**[ABS Australian Health Survey (AHS), 2011–13 (2011–12 National Health Measures Survey component)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/585482)**Data custodian**Australian Bureau of Statistics**Data Source**[ABS Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (AATSIHS), 2012–13 (National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Measures Survey component)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/585499)**Data custodian**Australian Bureau of Statistics |
| Accountability attributes |
| Reporting requirements: | National Healthcare Agreement |
| Organisation responsible for providing data: | Australian Bureau of Statistics |
| Benchmark: | [PB c-Better health: reduce the age-adjusted prevalence rate for Type 2 diabetes to 2000 levels (equivalent to a national prevalence rate (for 25 years and over) of 7.1 per cent) by 2023, 2021](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/725838) |
| Further data development / collection required: | Specification: Final, the measure meets the intention of the indicator. |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Bureau of Statistics |
| Reference documents: | Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) 2013. *Australian Health Survey: Biomedical Results for Chronic Diseases, 2011–12*, ABS cat. no. 4364.0.55.005. Canberra: ABS. Viewed 11 May 2020, [https://www.abs.gov.au/AUSSTATS/abs@.nsf/Lookup/4364.0.55.005main+features12011-12](https://www.abs.gov.au/AUSSTATS/abs%40.nsf/Lookup/4364.0.55.005main%2Bfeatures12011-12) |
| Relational attributes  |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 10–Prevalence of Type 2 diabetes, 2020](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/716381)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 13/03/2020Has been superseded by [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 10–Prevalence of Type 2 diabetes, 2022](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/740876)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 24/09/2021See also [Australian Health Performance Framework: PI 3.1.7–Prevalence of type 2 diabetes, 2019](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/715302)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 13/10/2021See also [National Healthcare Agreement: PB c–Better health: reduce the age-adjusted prevalence rate for Type 2 diabetes to 2000 levels (equivalent to a national prevalence rate (for 25 years and over) of 7.1 per cent) by 2023, 2021](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/725838)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 03/07/2020See also [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 15–Effective management of diabetes, 2021](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/725799)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 03/07/2020 |