# **National Deaths in Custody Program**



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#### Identifying and definitional attributes

**Item type:** Data Source

**Description:** The National Deaths in Custody Program (NDCIP) is run by the Australian Institute

of Criminology, and monitors the extent and nature of deaths in custody (those occurring in prison, police custody and youth detention). Information reported by the NDICP includes frequencies of deaths in custody and information regarding the

deceased, including demographic information and cause of death.

Link to data source: <a href="https://www.aic.gov.au/statistics/national-deaths-custody-program">https://www.aic.gov.au/statistics/national-deaths-custody-program</a>

### Collection and usage attributes

National reporting

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Frequency: Annual

**Comments:** Data utilised for the NDICP is based on two main sources: data provided by state

and territory police services and corrections departments; and coronial records

accessed through the National Coronial Information System.

#### Source and reference attributes

**Data custodian:** Australian Institute of Criminology