

# National Opioid Pharmacotherapy Statistics Annual Data Collection (NOPSAD)

## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Item type:</b>	Data Source
<b>Description:</b>	The National Opioid Pharmacotherapy Statistics Annual Data (NOPSAD) collection comprises data (a mix of survey and administrative) collected by state and territory health departments about opioid pharmacotherapy clients, prescribers and dosing points. The NOPSAD collection includes information on three opioid pharmacotherapy drugs used for treating opioid dependence—methadone, buprenorphine and buprenorphine-naloxone. Indigenous status of client was reported for the first time in 2018 by Western Australia, while in Victoria Indigenous status of clients is only reported as a total proportion, so cannot be included for analysis with disaggregation by Indigenous status.
<b>Link to data source:</b>	<a href="https://www.aihw.gov.au/about-our-data/our-data-collections/nopsad-collection">https://www.aihw.gov.au/about-our-data/our-data-collections/nopsad-collection</a>

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>National reporting arrangement:</b>	2018
<b>Frequency:</b>	Annual
<b>Implementation start date:</b>	01/01/2004

## Source and reference attributes

<b>Data custodian:</b>	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare