

# Service provider organisation—number of members, total people N[NNNN]

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Number of members
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	755410
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Indigenous</a> , Standard 07/04/2024
<b>Definition:</b>	The total number of people that are formally part of a service provider organisation.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Service provider organisation—number of members</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Total people N[NNNN]</a>

## Value domain attributes

### Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Total
<b>Data type:</b>	Number
<b>Format:</b>	N[NNNN]
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	5
<b>Unit of measure:</b>	Person

## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

<b>Comments:</b>	What constitutes membership of a service provider organisation will depend on the specific governance arrangements of that organisation. Membership may require the payment of fees or inscription on a register.
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### Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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### Relational attributes

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [Online Services Report \(OSR\) DSS 2020–21](#)  
[Indigenous](#), Standard 07/04/2024

**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2020

**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2021

**Conditional obligation:**

Reporting against this data element is conditional on a 'CODE 1 Yes' response to [Service provider organisation—not-for-profit indicator, yes/no code N](#) for whether the [funded organisation](#) is a not-for-profit organisation.

**DSS specific information:**

In the OSR DSS, this data element reports the number of members as at the end of financial year census date. The members of an organisation are individuals who would usually pay membership fees (noting that not all organisations charge a membership fee).