

Person (employed)—hours worked in early childhood education program delivery (per week), total hours NNN

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Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Hours worked in early childhood education program delivery (per week) |
| Synonymous names: | Hours worked in preschool program delivery (per week) |
| METEOR identifier: | 763156 |
| Registration status: | Early Childhood , Standard 05/07/2022 |
| Definition: | The total number of hours worked in early childhood education program delivery by a person per week. |
| Data Element Concept: | Person (employed)—hours worked in early childhood education program delivery (per week) |
| Value Domain: | Total hours NNN |

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

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| Representation class: | Total | |
| Data type: | String | |
| Format: | NNN | |
| Maximum character length: | 3 | |
| | Value | Meaning |
| Supplementary values: | 999 | Not stated/inadequately described |
| Unit of measure: | Hour (h) | |

Collection and usage attributes

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| Guide for use: | Total hours expressed as 000, 001 etc. |
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Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

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| Collection methods: | <p>Record the number of hours worked by a paid contact worker in the face-to-face delivery of an early childhood education program during the reference period. Also includes the number of hours delivery of an early childhood education program online or remotely due to COVID-19 impacts.</p> <p>Preparation time and other hours worked that are not related to face-to-face delivery of the early childhood education program are excluded.</p> <p>Jurisdictions which adopt a two week reference period are required to derive their data to a representative reference week.</p> <p>Round to the nearest hour.</p> |
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Source and reference attributes

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| Submitting organisation: | Department of Education |
| Steward: | Early Childhood Policy Group (ECPG) |
| Origin: | Council on Federal Financial Relations (CFFR) 2021. Preschool Reform Agreement. Canberra: CFFR, viewed 4 August 2022 https://federalfinancialrelations.gov.au/agreements/preschool-reform-agreement |
| Reference documents: | Australian Government (2018). National information agreement on early childhood education and care. Canberra: Australian Government |

Relational attributes

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| Related metadata references: | Supersedes Person (employed)—hours worked in early childhood education program delivery (per week), total hours NNN Early Childhood , Superseded 05/07/2022 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | Early Childhood Education and Care DSS 2022 Early Childhood , Superseded 15/08/2023 Implementation start date: 01/07/2022 Early Childhood Education and Care DSS 2023 Early Childhood , Standard 15/08/2023 Implementation start date: 01/07/2023 Early Childhood Education and Care: Unit Record Level NMDS 2022 Early Childhood , Superseded 15/08/2023 Implementation start date: 01/07/2022 Early Childhood Education and Care: Unit Record Level NMDS 2023 Early Childhood , Standard 15/08/2023 Implementation start date: 01/07/2023 |