

Establishment—staffing categories, healthcare worker code N[N]

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Establishment healthcare worker staffing categories
METEOR identifier:	768657
Registration status:	Health , Standard 06/09/2023
Definition:	The categories of healthcare worker staffing within an establishment, as represented by a code.
Context:	National Hand Hygiene Initiative (NHHI)
Data Element Concept:	Establishment—staffing categories
Value Domain:	Healthcare worker categories code N[N]

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N[N]	
Maximum character length:	2	
Permissible values:	Value	Meaning
	1	Nurse/midwife
	2	Medical practitioner
	3	Personal care staff
	4	Allied health care worker
	5	Administrative and clerical staff
	6	Invasive technician
	7	Domestic
	8	Student doctor
	9	Student nurse/midwife
	10	Student allied health
	11	Student personal care
	12	Other/not categorised elsewhere
	13	Ambulance
	14	Dentist/specialist dentist
	15	Dental therapist/dental hygienist/dental prosthetist/oral health therapist
	16	Dental assistant/dental nurse
	17	Dental technicians/laboratory staff (no patient contact)
	18	Student dentist
	19	Student dental therapist
	20	Student dental assistant/dental nurse

	21	Student dental technicians/laboratory staff (no patient contact)
Supplementary values:	99	Not stated/inadequately described

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

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Origin: ACSQHC (Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care) 2019. [National hand hygiene initiative manual](#). ACSQHC: Sydney, accessed 8 December 2022.

Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [Healthcare worker hand hygiene moments cluster](#)
[Health](#), Standard 06/09/2023

Implementation in Indicators: **Used as Disaggregation**
[National Hand Hygiene Initiative compliance rate, 2012–](#)
[Health](#), Standard 06/09/2023