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| Description: | This indicator set contains the specifications for the 2023 Key Performance Indicators for Australian Public Mental Health Services (Jurisdictional level version) (MHS KPIs).These indicator specifications facilitate the supply and publication of jurisdictional level data, which is compiled to form the national view. The specifications are adapted from the related [Key Performance Indicators for Australian Public Mental Health Services (Service level version) (2021–)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/742456), which is an ongoing data development process.As a key part of the ongoing data development, the key performance indicators are regularly reviewed to ensure they continue to be fit for purpose. At the most recent review (2017) it was agreed one indicator—Outcomes readiness—was no longer required for inclusion in the Jurisdiction level specifications for national reporting. This indicator is included in the Service level version 2015–2017.Two indicators on involuntary treatment in admitted settings, originally developed for reporting under the Fifth National Mental Health Plan, have also been included in the Jurisdictional level specifications for national reporting.The number and data collection period for each indicator is summarised in the table below for reference.

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| Indicator number | Indicator name | Data set collection period |
| KPI 01 | Change in mental health consumer's clinical outcomes | 2021–22 |
| KPI 02 | Mental health readmissions to hospital | 2021–22 |
| KPI 03 | National Mental Health Service Standards compliance | 2021–22 |
| KPI 04 | Average length of acute mental health inpatient stay | 2021–22 |
| KPI 05 | Average cost per acute mental health admitted patient day | 2021–22 |
| KPI 06 | Average treatment days per three-month community mental health care period | 2021–22 |
| KPI 07 | Average cost per community mental health treatment day | 2021–22 |
| KPI 08 | Population access to specialised clinical mental health care | 2021–22 |
| KPI 09 | Mental health new client index | 2021–22 |
| KPI 10 | Comparative area resources | Not yet specified for national reporting |
| KPI 11 | Admission preceded by community mental health care | 2021–22 |
| KPI 12 | Post-discharge community mental health care | 2021–22 |
| KPI 13 | Mental health consumer outcomes participation | Not yet specified for national reporting |
| KPI 14 | Outcomes readiness | Removed from the set in 2017 |
| KPI 15 | Seclusion rate | 2022–23 |
| KPI 16 | Restraint rate | 2022–23Added to the set in 2018 |
| KPI 17a | Involuntary hospital treatment | 2021–22Added to the set in 2021 |
| KPI 17b | Involuntary patient days | 2021–22Added to the set in 2021 |

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| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Key Performance Indicators for Australian Public Mental Health Services (Jurisdictional level version) (2022)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/753231)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 06/09/2023Has been superseded by [Key Performance Indicators for Australian Public Mental Health Services (Jurisdictional level version) (2024)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/783631)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Recorded 07/03/2024See also [Key Performance Indicators for Australian Public Mental Health Services (2023)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774356)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023See also [Key Performance Indicators for Australian Public Mental Health Services (Service level version) (2021–)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/742456)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 17/12/2021 |
| Indicators linked to this Indicator set: | [KPIs for Australian Public Mental Health Services: PI 01J – Change in mental health consumer's clinical outcomes, 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774361)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023[KPIs for Australian Public Mental Health Services: PI 02J – Mental health readmissions to hospital, 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774363)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023[KPIs for Australian Public Mental Health Services: PI 03J – National Mental Health Service Standards compliance, 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774369)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023[KPIs for Australian Public Mental Health Services: PI 04J – Average length of acute mental health inpatient stay, 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774402)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023[KPIs for Australian Public Mental Health Services: PI 05J – Average cost per acute mental health admitted patient day, 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774404)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023[KPIs for Australian Public Mental Health Services: PI 06J – Average treatment days per three-month community mental health care period, 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774406)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023[KPIs for Australian Public Mental Health Services: PI 07J – Average cost per community mental health treatment day, 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774408)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023[KPIs for Australian Public Mental Health Services: PI 08J – Population access to specialised clinical mental health care, 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774410)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023[KPIs for Australian Public Mental Health Services: PI 09J – Mental health new client index, 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774413)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023[KPIs for Australian Public Mental Health Services: PI 11J – Admission preceded by community mental health care, 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774415)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023[KPIs for Australian Public Mental Health Services: PI 12J – Post-discharge community mental health care, 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774418)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023[KPIs for Australian Public Mental Health Services: PI 15J – Seclusion rate, 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774420)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023[KPIs for Australian Public Mental Health Services: PI 16J – Restraint rate, 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774422)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023[KPIs for Australian Public Mental Health Services: PI 17aJ – Involuntary hospital treatment, 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774424)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023[KPIs for Australian Public Mental Health Services: PI 17bJ – Involuntary patient days, 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774426)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/09/2023 |
| Collection and usage attributes |
| National reporting arrangement: | Indicators are collected and reported annually.The following indicators cannot be sourced from existing national data collections. Data is requested and supplied annually from jurisdictions:* *Mental health readmissions to hospital*
* *Population access to specialised clinical mental health care*
* *Mental health new client index*
* *Admission preceded by community mental health care*
* *Post-discharge community mental health care*
* *Involuntary hospital treatment*
* *Involuntary patient days*.

Change in consumer's clinical outcomes is sourced from the National Outcomes and Casemix Collection data set.The following indicators are calculated from national data sets; data is supplied in accordance with the Community Mental Health Care and the Mental Health Establishments National minimum data sets:* *National Mental Health Service Standards compliance*
* *Average length of acute mental health inpatient stay*
* *Average cost per acute mental health admitted patient day*
* *Average treatment days per three-month community mental health care period*
* *Average cost per community mental health treatment day*.

*Seclusion rate* and *Restraint rate* data are supplied in accordance with the Mental health seclusion and restraint National best endeavours data set. |
| Comments: | Glossary terms that are relevant to this indicator set include:[**Admitted patient mental health care service**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/409067)[**Ambulatory mental health care service**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/699980)[**Brief ambulatory episode of mental health care**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/605545)[**Brief inpatient episode of mental health care**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/605550)[**Community mental health care treatment day**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/605790)[**Episode of care**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/268978)[**Separation**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/327268)[**Specialised mental health service**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/268984) |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Steward: | [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/246013) |
| Reference documents: | National Mental Health Performance Subcommittee (NMHPSC) 2013. Key Performance Indicators for Australian Public Mental Health Services, 3rd edn. Canberra: NMHPSC.Council of Australian Governments Health Council 2018. The Fifth National Mental Health and Suicide Prevention Plan. Canberra: Commonwealth of Australia. |