

Prison—Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation or Aboriginal Medical Service visitation frequency, code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	ACCHO/AMS visitation frequency
METEOR identifier:	776602
Registration status:	Health , Qualified 07/03/2024
Definition:	The frequency of visits by an Aboriginal community controlled health organisation (ACCHO) or an Aboriginal medical service (AMS) to a prison, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Prison—Aboriginal community controlled health organisation or Aboriginal medical service visitation frequency
Value Domain:	Aboriginal community controlled health organisation or Aboriginal medical service visitation frequency code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N	
Maximum character length:	1	
	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Every day
	2	At least once a week
	3	At least once every two weeks
	4	At least once a month
	5	Less often than once a month
	6	Never

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Comments: The Royal Commission into Aboriginal Deaths in Custody recommended that corrective services, in conjunction with Aboriginal health services and other such bodies where appropriate, should review and report upon the provision of health services to Indigenous prisoners in correctional institutions. It was recommended that this review should include, among other things, the involvement of Aboriginal health services in the provision of general and mental health care to Aboriginal prisoners. This may be achieved in several ways, including visits by Aboriginal health services, and having Aboriginal health workers as members of the clinic staff (AIHW 2015).

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Reference documents: AIHW (Australian Institute of Health and Welfare) 2015. The health of Australia's prisoners 2015. Cat. no. PHE 207. Canberra: AIHW

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Supersedes [Prison—Aboriginal community controlled health organisation or Aboriginal medical service visitation frequency, code N](#)
[Health](#), Standard 28/04/2016

See also [Prison—Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation or Aboriginal Medical Service service provider type, code N\[N\]](#)
[Health](#), Qualified 07/03/2024

See also [Prison—Aboriginal community controlled health organisation or Aboriginal medical service service provider type, text \[X\(40\)\]](#)
[Health](#), Standard 28/04/2016

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[Health](#), Qualified 07/03/2024

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [Prison establishments NBEDS 2018](#)
[Health](#), Qualified 07/03/2024

DSS specific information:

This data element corresponds to the following question of the Prison Establishment Form:

4. How often does your facility receive visits from an Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisation (ACCHO) or an Aboriginal Medical Service (AMS)?

[Prison establishments NBEDS 2022](#)
[Health](#), Qualified 06/07/2023

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