Our Data Collections - October 2025

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Adult Vaccination Survey Data Collection	The Adult Vaccination Survey gathered information about vaccination of adults for the following conditions: influenza, pneumonia, tetanus, shingles. In 2009 the survey also gathered information about vaccination for pertussis ('whooping cough') and the pandemic (H1N1) virus, also known as 'swine flu'. This survey was run seven times between 2000 and 2010. The AIHW holds the data for 2002, 2004, 2006 and 2009/10.	Age group (if D.O.B not available); Sex/gender; Indigenous status;	1/01/2002	31/12/2010	National	Publications, there are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	The survey scope is a nationally representative sample of adults. Age ranges vary by survey.	Survey		Published results: 2009 Adult Vaccination survey: https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/primary-health- care/2009-adult-vaccination-survey-summary- results/summary 2010 Pandemic Vaccination Survey: https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/health-care-quality- performance/2010-pandemic- vaccination-survey-summary- results/summary 2006 Adult Vaccination survey: http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publis hi ng.nsf/Content/cda-cdi3102a.htm 2004 Adult Vaccination Survey: https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/primary-health- care/2004-adult-vaccination-survey-summary-results/contents/table-of-contents	healthpreventiondata@aihw.gov.au	
Alcohol and Other Drug Treatment Services (National Minimum Data Set)	The Alcohol and Other Drug Treatment Services National Minimum Data Set (AODTS NMDS) emanated from the national forum 'treatment and research - where to from here?' held in 1995 by the Alcohol and Other Drugs Council of Australia. In December 1999 the Commonwealth and state and territory governments through the then National Health Information Management Group endorsed a version of the AODTS NMDS for collection to commence on 1 July 2000. The data from 2001-02 onwards contain information about alcohol and other drug treatment services; the clients who use these services; the treatment types provided to people for their drug and alcohol use and the types of drugs treated.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender Indigenous status; SLA; SA2; Statistical Linkage Key	1/07/2000	30/06/2024	National and State; Other	Publications, Data cubes, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply)., Unit records are not available	Government publicly funded alcohol and other drug treatment specialist services, national.	Admin data; Official	METEOR links: Alcohol and other drug treatment services NMDS, 2023-24 Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/804492 (METEOR 804492) AODTS NMDS, 2023-24 https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/756056 (METEOR 756056)	AODTS NMDS AODTS in Australia 2023-24 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/alcohol-other-drug-treatment-services/alcohol-other-drug-treatment-services-australia/contents/about Guidelines for AODTS data submitters https://www.aihw.gov.au/about-our-data/our-data-collections/alcohol-other-drug-treatment-services/guidelines-for-aodts-data-submitters	aod@aih w.gov.au	
Australian and New Zealand Dialysis and Transplant Registry (ANZDATA)	The ANZDATA collects information to monitor dialysis and transplant treatments from all renal units in Australia and New Zealand on all patients receiving kidney replacement therapy where the intention to treat is long-term. The ANZDATA Registry operates under the South Australian Health and Medical Research Institute. ANZDATA compiles data on incidence and prevalence of treated-kidney-failure (previously known as ESKD), complications, comorbidities, and patient deaths. All relevant hospitals and related dialysis units participate.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status;	1/01/1980	31/12/2022	National and State	Publications, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Unit records are not available	People registered on Australia and New Zealand Dialysis and Transplant Register. Collects demographic and status of treatment.	Admin data	Available on ANZDATA website https://www.anzdata.org. au/	https://www.anzdata.org.au/	ckd@aih w.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access

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Australian Burden of Disease Database	The Australian Burden of Disease Database contains aggregated output of burden of disease metrics from the Australian Burden of Disease Study. This includes Years of life lost (YLL), Years lived with disability (YLD) and Disability- adjusted life years (DALY) for around 200 diseases and injuries. It also includes estimates of attributable burden (DALY) for around 30 risk factors.	Age group (if D.O.B not available; Sex/gender Indigenous status; RA; SEIFA	1/01/2003	31/12/2024	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Unit records are not available	The Australian Burden of Disease Database was established as part of the Australian Burden of Disease Study 2011 to set up the relevant infrastructure to enable efficient and timely ongoing updates by the AIHW as required. The database is updated and added to following the completion of each ABDS. It currently includes national estimates of disease burden and risk factor attribution for 2003, 2011, 2015, 2018 and 2024 (projected estimates). Projected estimates of disease burden are also available for 2022 and 2023. Subnational estimates of disease burden are available for state/territory, remoteness, and socioeconomic group for 2011, 2015 and 2018. Subnational estimates of risk factor attribution are available for socioeconomic group for 2015 and 2018. Indigenous-specific estimates of disease burden and risk factor attribution are available for 2003, 2011 and 2018. All data are available by 5- year age group and sex.	Admin data; Official; Survey	N/A	For more information on burden of disease data and related publications by AIHW see: https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health- conditions-disability-deaths/burden-of- disease/overview	burdenofdisease@aihw.gov.au	
Australian Cancer Database	The Australian Cancer Database (ACD) contains data about all new cases of cancer diagnosed in Australia since 1 January 1982, excluding basal and squamous cell carcinomas of the skin. Cancer is a notifiable disease in all Australian states and territories. The relevant legislation requires certain individuals and organisations to notify all new cases of cancer to the jurisdiction's central cancer registry. These registries supply data annually to the AIHW, which cleans and standardises the data, notifies the registries of inter-state duplicates and produces the Australian Cancer Database.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; RA; SA1; SA2; SA3; SA4; SEIFA	1/01/1982		National and State	Publications, Data cubes, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply)., There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	The Australian Cancer Database (ACD) contains data about all new cases of cancer diagnosed in Australia since 1 January 1982, excluding basal and squamous cell carcinomas of the skin.	Admin data	Latest Data Quality Statement - 2019 https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/778315 (METEOR 778315)	Australian Cancer Database https://www.aihw.gov.au/about-our-data/our-data-collections/australian-cancer-database/about-australian-cancer-database	cancer@aihw.gov.a u	
Australian Diabetes, Obesity And Lifestyle Study Data Collection	The baseline AusDiab study was conducted in 1999-2000 (baseline)and 2005 (follow-up) to determine the prevalence of diabetes, obesity and other risk factors including hypertension and dyslipidaemia.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender	1/01/1999	31/12/2005	National	Publications, Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or	Stratified sample of adults 25 and over residing in 42 randomly chosen Census Collector Districts across the six States and the Northern Territory.	Survey		About AusDiab https://www.baker.edu.au/ausdiab/	Diabetes@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access

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Australian Government housing data set (AGHDS)	The AGHDS is a confidentialised unit record file that provides point in time data for income units in receipt of Centrelink social security payments and families receiving Family Tax Benefit (FTB) Part A.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; RA; SA2	30/06/2006		National and State	Publications, Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply)., There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	Combines information from numerous Centrelink files to create records at an income unit level, rather than person or household level. An income unit consists of a person, the person's partner, and any children for whom the couple may receive FTB Part A. Single social security recipients living together in the same household are regarded as separate income units. One person in each income unit is classified as the primary reference person based on sex and the type of payment received. Includes information about type of housing, amount of weekly income, payment type and other characteristics of income units.	Admin data	A data dictionary is available on request	Housing assistance in Australia https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/housing-assistance/overview	housing@aihw.gov.au	
Australian Immunisation Register de-identified Data Collection	The Australian Immunisation Register (AIR) is a national register that records vaccines given to all people in Australia. The AIR includes vaccines given: (a) under the National Immunisation Program, (b) through school programs, and privately, such as flu or travel.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status;	1/01/1996		National and State; Other	Publications, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply). There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	Originally established as the Australian Childhood Immunisation Register in 1996, to record data on vaccinations provided to children aged up to 7 years, the register was expanded in 2016 to include data for people of all ages. As of 2018 the HPV vaccination register was transferred to the AIR along with records of other school-based immunisation programs. Reporting of adult vaccinations to the AIR was mandated in 2021 for vaccinations provided under the National Immunisation Program, as well as for influenza and covid-19, and in December 2022 for Japanese encephalitis virus vaccines Reporting of other vaccinations is not mandatory.	Admin data		Immunisation | Australian Government Department of Health, Disability and Ageing https://www.health.gov.au/topics/immunisation?language=und Childhood immunisation coverage | Australian Government Department of Health, Disability and Ageing https://www.health.gov.au/topics/immunisation/immunisation-data/childhood-immunisation-coverage	immunisation@aihw.gov.au	
2010 Australian Infant Feeding Survey (ANIFS)	The 2010 Australian National Infant Feeding Survey (ANIFS) gathered information about infant feeding practices and attitudes from a sample of mothers and carers in Australia. The survey gathered information about the prevalence and duration of breastfeeding and collected information on other foods consumed by infants. The survey also gathered information about barriers to initiating and continuing breastfeeding and gathered information about perinatal depression.	Indigenous status	1/03/2010	31/03/2011	National	Publications, there are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	Mothers or primary carers of infants aged up to 24 months. Sample selected from the Medicare enrollment database.	Survey		2010 ANIFS indicator results https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers-babies/2010-australian-national-infant-feeding-survey/summary Researchers can access a confidentialised unit record file through the Australian Data Archive. https://dataverse.ada.edu.au/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.26193/LD6OFT	info@aihw.gov.au	
Australian Mesothelioma Registry database	The Australian Mesothelioma Registry (AMR) has been operational since 2011. The AMR was managed by the Cancer Institute New South Wales (CINSW) until 31 August 2017. Since then, the AMR has been managed by	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status;	1/07/2010		National and State	Publications, Client specified tables on request which may be subject	The notifications data include all cases of mesothelioma diagnosed in Australia since 1 July 2010. Asbestos exposure data includes all consenting patients diagnosed with	Official; Survey	Latest Data Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/713089 (METEOR 713089)	Additional information is available on the AMR website: https://mesothelioma-australia.com/home/	cancer@aihw.gov.au	

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	the AIHW. The AMR is funded by Safe Work Australia (SWA). Since 2011, the AMR has collected information on new cases of mesothelioma diagnosed in Australia from 1 July 2010. The eight state and territory cancer registries provide incidence and mortality data on new cases of mesothelioma to the AMR. These records include demographic information and details of diagnosis and death. The AMR also collects asbestos exposure information, obtained from consenting mesothelioma patients through a postal questionnaire and telephone interview. The postal questionnaire collects information on a patient's residential history, occupational history and family history of mesothelioma. The telephone interviews collect additional information, based on responses to the postal questionnaire, to assess the likelihood of asbestos exposure.	SLA; RA; SA3; SA4; SEIFA				to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	mesothelioma in Australia since 1 July 2010, who are physically and mentally able to participate.					
Child Protection National Minimum Dataset (CP NMDS)	The Child Protection National Minimum Data Set (CP NMDS) is an annual collection of information on child protection in Australia. It contains data on children who come into contact with State and Territory departments responsible for child protection. The CP NMDS consists of the following data files: client demographics; notifications, investigations, and substantiations; care and protection orders; living arrangements, including children in funded out-of-home care; carer households; data for reporting on National Out-of-Home Care Standards measures; and safety in care. Where possible, data are also collected on sibling relationships. The CP NMDS collection was implemented in 2012–13. Prior to that a national aggregate child protection data collection was used for national child protection reporting (data for this collection began in 1990–91). The data are published annually by AIHW and are also used for the Report on Government Services.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; Statistical Link Key	30/06/2012		National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	Child protection notifications, investigations, and substantiations; care and protection orders; living arrangements, including children in funded out-of-home care; carer households; national out-of-home care standards; sibling relationships; safety in care.	Admin data	Child protection NMDS 2023-24 (aihw.gov.au) https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/807201 (METEOR 807201) Child Protection National Minimum Dataset, 2023–24; Data Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/806619 (METEOR 806619)	Child protection Overview - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au) https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/child-protection/overview	child.protection@aihw.gov.au	Yes – Restricted access
Community Housing (CH) data collection	The Community Housing (CH) data collection captures information about CH organisations, the dwellings they manage, and the tenants assisted. CH is rental housing for low- to moderate-income or special-needs households. It is managed by community-based organisations that lease properties from government or have received a capital or a recurrent subsidy from government. CH models vary across states and territories, and the housing stock may be owned by a variety of groups including government. The data are supplied by state and territory housing departments on an annual basis. Since 1996–97, the AIHW has compiled CH data from state and territory housing departments on an annual basis. These data help to describe the performance of the current National Housing and Homelessness	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status;	1/07/1996		National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may	CH includes tenancy (rental) units under management of a CH organisation, excluding Indigenous CH organisations. CH excludes dwellings: • where the tenancy is managed under: Public Housing; State and Territory Owned and Managed Indigenous Housing; Indigenous CH; or the Crisis Accommodation Program. • no longer administered by a CH organisation at 30 June of the reference financial year (including dwellings demolished, sold or otherwise disposed of). • not yet available to CH organisations at 30 June of the reference financial year (e.g. under construction or being purchased). Additional jurisdiction- specific inclusions and exclusions reflect: different definitions of CH in legislation; difficulties in identifying some organisations e.g. those not registered or funded by the state/ territory housing authority;	Admin data	Community Housing Data Set Specification https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/710899 (METEOR 710899) Community Housing Data Collection Data Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/788964 (METEOR 788964)	Housing assistance in Australia https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/housing-assistance/overview Report on government services https://www.pc.gov.au/ongoing/report-on-government-services Australia's welfare https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/australias-welfare	housing@aihw.gov. au	

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	Agreement and the former National Affordable Housing Agreement and Commonwealth-State Housing Agreement. The data collection has evolved over time. Changes have occurred to data collection scope, procedures, data items and underlying definitions and concepts.					apply)., There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	inconsistencies in reporting e.g. inclusion of transitional housing and National Rental Affordability Scheme dwellings owned or managed by CH organisations. Currently: • NSW, Vic, WA, SA, Tas and ACT supply unit record level data, including details on individuals, organisations, dwellings and associated tenancies of the organisations. • Qld supplies aggregate data supplemented by unit record administrative data for funded organisations, properties and current waitlist applications. • NT supplies finalised aggregate data, including dwelling and organisational level data, but not information on individual tenancies or persons. • Data are incomplete for some jurisdictions due to non/under-reporting by CH organisations.					
COVID-19 case data collection – content data	This collection includes de-identified COVID-19 case content data collected through the National Notifiable Disease Surveillance System (NNDSS) held by the then Commonwealth Department of Health and Aged Care (the Department) between January 2020 and December 2022. The NNDSS data were received by the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare under a project-based ethics approval granted by the AIHW Ethics Committee (EO2021/2/1232: Towards an Australian COVID-19 Register and linked data set) and are currently held by the AIHW in the COVID-19 Register and linked data asset (the Register). Variables include content information on COVID-19 infections such as case diagnosis date, lab diagnosis method, key demographic information and additional medical-related characteristics.		01/01/2020	31/12/2022	National and State	Publications; Statistics, Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply). There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	Information on COVID-19 cases are sourced from participating states and territories as well as the Australian Government's National Notifiable Diseases Surveillance System, and a number of other administrative data sources.	Linked data set	Information for researchers is available at: Resources for eligible researchers - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/covid-linked-data-set/resources-for-researchers	COVID-19 Register - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/covid-linked-data-set	covid19register@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access.
Dementia Awareness Survey	The Dementia Awareness Survey is the largest nationally representative community survey of its kind in Australia. It collects information on how much people know about dementia and their attitudes towards dementia and people living with dementia. The survey results will help inform priorities and areas for dementia awareness initiatives and prevention activities that can reduce the risk or delay the development of dementia.	Age group (if D.O.B not available); Sex/gender; Indigenous status	24/07/2023	15/08/2023	National	Publications; Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	The Dementia Awareness Survey includes questions relating to the following topics: • demographic characteristics • general knowledge about dementia • knowledge of dementia risk factors and misconceptions • engagement in actions or behaviours that can reduce the risk of developing dementia • information seeking behaviours • community attitudes towards dementia and people living with dementia.	Survey	Metadata for the DAS is available via ADA (Dementia Awareness Survey - Dementia Awareness Dataverse) https://dataverse.ada.edu.au/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.26193/QUPAYD	Dementia Awareness Survey, About - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au) https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/dementia/dementia-awareness-survey/contents/about Dementia Awareness Survey - Dementia Awareness Dataverse https://dataverse.ada.edu.au/dataset.xhtml?persistentId=doi:10.26193/QUPAYD	dementia@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
Dental: Child Dental Health Survey	Measure caries prevalence in Australian children.		1/01/1901		National			TBA			dental@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
Dental: The Child Fluoride Study	Evaluate the effectiveness of water fluoridation in the prevention of caries in a child population.		1/01/1901		National			TBA			dental@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
Disability Services National Minimum Data Set (DS NMDS)	Since 1991, data was collected and reported on disability support services in Australia have been provided under four national disability agreements.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status;	1/07/1994	30/06/2019	National and State	Publications, Data cubes, Summary tables published in electronic form,	Covers specialist disability support services provided under the National Disability Agreement.	Admin data; Official	METEOR links: https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/728139	Data guide available at https://www.aihw.gov.au/about-our-data/our- data- collections/disability-services-national- minimum-data-	disability@aihw.gov.au	

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	The Commonwealth/State Disability Agreement Minimum Data Set (CSDA MDS) collection was set up as a 'snapshot' data collection in 1994, following the signing of the first CSDA in 1991. The second CSDA, signed in 1998, reflected significant changes which meant the CSDA MDS collection needed to be redesigned, including changing the collection to be a full year data collection. In 2002-03, the redeveloped CSDA MDS became the Commonwealth State/Territory Disability Agreement National Minimum Data Set (CSTDA NMDS), and the first full financial year of data collection took place between 1 July 2003 and 30 June 2004. The National Disability Agreement (NDA) replaced the CSTDA on 1 January 2009. As a result of the implementation of the NDA, from 2009-10 the CSTDA NMDS was renamed the DS NMDS. From 1 July 2013, state and territory- based disability support services provided under the NDA were progressively transitioned over to the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS). This has meant that 2018-19 was the last year for which DS NMDS was data collected and reported.	Statistical Linkage Key				Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).			(METEOR 728139)	set/about-dsnmds Latest report available at https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-conditions-disability-deaths/disability/reports		
General Treatment Dental Data Collection	The General Treatment Dental (GT- Dental) data collection is a collection of dental service records for which private health insurers have paid benefits. The data are supplied to the Department of Health, Disability and Ageing by private health insurers. The collection contains de- identified unit record level data with information related to patient demographics (derived age, sex, postcode), procedure type, number of dental service items, charges, and benefits paid.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender	1/07/2010	30/06/2022	National and State	Publications, Unit records are not available	The dataset contains information about patient demographics (derived age, sex, postcode), the ADA code of dental service items, charges and benefits paid.	Admin data	The AIHW receives a subset of the data provided by dental service providers to private health insurers, then from private health insurers to the Department of Health, Disability and Ageing. For a full list of data specifications refer to: GT-Dental data specification – Insurer to department – 2022–23 | Australian Government Department of Health, Disability and Ageing https://www.health.gov.au/resources/publications/gt-dental-data-specification-insurer-to-department-2022-23 Data received for 2010– 11 to 2020–21 included data for 21 Australian Dental Association (ADA) general dental treatment codes for dental services for which private health insurers have paid benefits.	Further information about the collection is available from the Department of Health, Disability and Ageing's website: Hospital Casemix Protocol (HCP) data | Australian Government Department of Health, Disability and Ageing https://www.health.gov.au/topics/hospital-care/our-role/hcp-data?utm_source=health.gov.au&utm_medium=callout-auto-custom&utm_campaign=digital_transformation The AIHW publishes a summary of the GT-Dental data in: Oral health and dental care in Australia. https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/dental-oral-health/oral-health-and-dental-care-in-australia/contents/private-health-insurance	dental@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access

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									Future years will include additional ADA treatment codes.			
Health Expenditure Database	Provide a picture of health expenditure in Australia, by area of expenditure and funding, and to examine changes over time.		1/01/1960	30/06/2023	National and State; International	Publications; Data cubes; Summary tables published in electronic form; Statistics; Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply); There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	Health expenditure in Australia by the Australian Government, state and territory and local governments and non-government sources	Official	Government Health Expenditure NMDS 2014- http://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/540601 (METEOR 540601) Health Expenditure Database 2020-21 https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/767468 (METEOR 767468)	Health and Welfare Expenditure http://www.aihw.gov.au/expenditure-publications/	expenditure2@aihw.gov.au	Yes – Restricted access
Healthy For Life	Healthy for Life (HFL) was a program funded by the Office of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health (OATSIH). The data were submitted from primary health care services participating in the HFL program and focused on child and maternal health and chronic disease.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender	15/02/2007	30/06/2011	National and State	Publications; Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply); There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	Data were collected on child and maternal health and chronic disease from primary health care services participating in Healthy for Life.	Official	Data quality statement is provided as an appendix to the national report published in 2013 (Healthy for life: results for July 2007-June 2011, Table of contents - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au)). https://www.aihw.gov.au/getmedia/9643de23-a182-4fe3-87ce-b162afdb466e/14156.pdf?v=20230605181044&inline=true	Healthy for life: results for July 2007-June 2011, Table of contents - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au) https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/indigenous-australians/healthy-for-life-results-for-july-2007-june-2011/summary	info@aihw.gov.au	Yes – Restricted access
Home Purchase Assistance (HPA) data collection	The HPA data collection captures information about the recipients of HPA and instances of HPA assistance. HPA is administered by each state/territory housing authority and provides a range of financial assistance to eligible households to improve their access to, and maintain, home ownership. Since 1997–98, the AIHW has compiled HPA data from states and territories on an annual basis. The data help to describe the performance of the current National Housing and Homelessness Agreement and the former National Affordable Housing Agreement and Commonwealth- State Housing Agreement. The data collection has evolved over time, with changes to the data collection scope, procedures, data items collected and underlying definitions and concepts.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status;	1/07/1997		National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply)., There	Includes: • direct lending (including government loans, shared equity loans and bridging loans) • deposit assistance • interest rate assistance • mortgage relief • other assistance grants. Excludes: non-financial assistance, for example home purchase advisory and counselling services • home renovation and/or maintenance services • relocation or start up assistance • sale to tenant programs • provision of housing or any share of it • expense incurred in providing assistance to a household that is not the value of financial assistance directly received by the household • any aspect of a shared equity loan that is not direct lending, deposit assistance, interest rate assistance or mortgage relief	Admin data	Home Purchase Assistance Data Set Specification https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/596710 (METEOR 596710) Home Purchase Assistance Collection, 2023-24; Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/788962 (METEOR 788962)	Housing assistance in Australia https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/housing-assistance/overview Australia's welfare https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/australias-welfare	housing@aihw.gov. au	

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						are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	• any assistance not provided expressly for purchasing a home.					
Hospital Casemix Protocol (HCP) data collection	The HCP data collection is a legislated data collection for all private health insurance funded admitted patient separations for which private health insurers have paid benefits. The data is collected by public and private hospitals, including day facilities, and then supplied to private health insurers, who in turn then submit the data to the Department of Health, Disability and Ageing.	Sex/gender	1/07/2010	30/06/2021	National and State	There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	De-identified information on admitted patient separations including information on patient demographics, clinical information, hospital charges, medical services, medical charges, prosthetic items, prosthetic charges, private health insurance and Medicare benefits, and consumer out-of-pocket expenses.	Admin data	HCP data specifications https://www.health.gov.au/topics/hospital-care/our-role/hcp-data?utm_source=health.gov.au&utm_medium=callout-auto-custom&utm_campaign=digital_transformation	HCP https://www.health.gov.au/topics/hospital-care/our-role/hcp-data?utm_source=health.gov.au&utm_medium=callout-auto-custom&utm_campaign=digital_transformation	hospitaldata@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
Hospital Utilisation and Costs study	Predecessor to National Public Hospital Establishments Database and National Hospital Morbidity Database		1/01/1985	30/06/1993	National; National and State	Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	All States financial data for public hospitals and morbidity data for all hospitals.	Admin data; Official; Survey			hospitaldata@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
Indigenous Community Housing (ICH) data collection	The Indigenous Community Housing (ICH) data collection captures information about ICH organisations (ICHOs), the dwellings they manage, and tenants assisted. ICHOs include community organisations such as resource agencies and land councils, which may have a range of functions, however, are included in ICH provided that they manage housing for Indigenous people. ICHOs may either directly manage the dwellings they own or sublease tenancy management services to the relevant state/territory housing department or another organisation. Since 2003–04, the AIHW has compiled ICH data from state and territory housing departments on an annual basis. These data help to describe the performance of Indigenous housing programs. The data collection has evolved over time, including changes to the data collection scope, procedures, data items and underlying definitions and concepts.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; RA	1/07/2003		National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply)., There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	Inclusions: dwellings that are targeted to Indigenous people and ICHOs that provide medium- to long-term housing tenure to tenants. Excludes dwellings: • managed under Community Housing, Public Housing, State Owned and Managed Indigenous Housing, or the Crisis Accommodation Program • no longer under the administration of an ICHO at 30 June of the reference year (including dwellings demolished, sold or otherwise disposed of) • not yet available to the ICHO at 30 June of the reference year (such as those still under construction or being purchased). Apart from the following, the data collection focuses on dwellings managed by funded ICHOs only (for NSW, this means excluding not actively registered ICHOs): • Number of permanent dwellings managed by funded and unfunded organisations at 30 June • Number of funded and unfunded ICHOs at 30 June. There is no ICH program in the ACT.	Admin data	Indigenous Community Housing Data Set Specification https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/711226 (METEOR 711226) Indigenous Community Housing DQS https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/793380 (METEOR 793380)	Housing assistance in Australia https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/housing-assistance/overview Report on government services https://www.pc.gov.au/ongoing/report-on-government-services Australia's welfare https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/australias-welfare	housing@aihw.gov. au	
Labour Force: Medical	Contains data on the demographics and structure of the medical labour force. All years from 1995 are loaded and available. Earlier data stored on CD.		1/01/1986	30/06/2009	National; NSW	Publications	All medical practitioners renewing their professional registration.	Survey	METEOR links: Registered medical professional labour force DSS https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/375422	Publications: Workforce https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/workforce/overview Medical labour force 2009	workforce@aihw.gov.au	

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									(METEOR 375422)	https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/workforce/medical-labour-force-2009/contents/table-of-contents Medical labour force 2001 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/workforce/medical-labour-force-2001/contents/table-of-contents Medical labour force 2000 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/workforce/medical-labour-force-2000/contents/summary		
Labour Force: Nursing	Contains data on the demographics and structure of the nursing labour force.		1/01/1995	31/12/2009	National; NSW	Publications	All enrolled and registered nurses renewing their professional enrolment/registration.	Survey	Not available. For further enquiries: workforce@aihw.gov.au	Publications: Workforce https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/workforce/overview Nursing Labour Force 2009 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/workforce/nursing-midwifery-labour-force-2009/contents/table-of-contents Nursing Labour Force 2002 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/workforce/nursing-labour-force-2002/contents/table-of-contents	workforce@aihw.gov.au	
Labour Force: Occupational Therapy	Contains data on the demographics and structure of the occupational therapy labour force in Vic, Qld, WA, ACT and NT only.		1/01/1998	31/12/2003	National; Other	Publications	All occupational therapists renewing their professional registration in those jurisdictions where a registration board exists. The national association also assists with the distribution of the survey to members in some jurisdictions without registration boards. The 2002-2003 Occupational Therapy Labour Force Survey was distributed to registered occupational therapists in Queensland, South Australia, and the Northern Territory and to members of OT Australia in the other states and the Australian Capital Territory because these jurisdictions didn't have a registration board in 2002-03. For 2002-2003 there were 3,769 valid responses provided to the AIHW for analysis (Table 3). In the absence of an accurate estimate of the total population of occupational therapists it was not feasible to weight the responses to the survey.	Survey	Not available. For further enquiries: workforce@aihw.gov.au		workforce@aihw.gov.au	Yes – Restricted access
Labour Force: Pharmacy	Contains data on the demographics and structure of the pharmacy labour force.		1/01/1994	31/12/2003	National; Other	Publications	All pharmacists renewing their professional registration.	Survey	Not available. For further enquiries: workforce@aihw.gov.au	Publications: Workforce https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/workforce/overview Pharmacy labour force 2001 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/workforce/pharmacy-labour-force-to-2001/contents/table-of-contents	workforce@aihw.gov.au	Yes – Restricted access
Labour Force: Physiotherapy	Contains data on the demographics and structure of the physiotherapy labour force in 1993, 1998 and 2002. In 2002 not distributed in Tas, WA and possibly not NT.		1/01/1993	31/12/2002	National; Other	Publications	All physiotherapists renewing their professional registration.	Survey		Publications: Workforce https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/workforce/overview Physiotherapy labour force 2002 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/workf	workforce@aihw.gov.au	Yes – Restricted access

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										orce/physiotherapy-labour-force-2002/contents/table-of-contents		
Labour Force: Podiatry	Contains data on the demographics and structure of the podiatry labour force. The following exclusions apply: 1992 data - excludes NT and ACT (no podiatry registration board) 1994 data - excludes NT and ACT (no podiatry registration board) 1999 data - excludes NT (no podiatry registration board) 2003 data - excludes NT (no podiatry registration board) and WA and ACT (not distributed)		1/01/1992	31/12/2003	National; Other	Publications	All podiatrists renewing their professional registration.	Survey	Not available. For further enquiries: workforce@aihw.gov.au	Publications: Workforce https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/workforce/overview Podiatry labour force 2003 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/workforce/podiatry-labour-force-2003/contents/table-of-contents	workforce@aihw.gov.au	Yes – Restricted access
Living with Dementia Survey	Living with Dementia Survey aims to gather information on the experiences of people who have been diagnosed with dementia and the experiences of family and friends providing care and support to someone living with dementia in the community, including experiences and interactions with health, aged care, and other service or support providers. The survey will provide the Australian Government with information on the needs of people living with dementia, and people caring for someone living with dementia and whether their needs are being met.	Age group (if D.O.B not available); Sex/gender; Indigenous status	23/05/2025		National		The Living with Dementia Survey includes questions relating to the following topics: - demographic characteristics - Receiving a dementia diagnosis - Post-diagnosis treatment/services - Stigma - Coordination of care/service navigation - Support and services as carers; and - Care training.	Survey	Metadata for the LwDS will be available via Australian Data Archive (ADA)	Dementia Living with Dementia Survey - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/workforce/overview	dementia@aihw.gov.au	Yes – Restricted access
Maternity Model of Care Data Set	The Model of Care Data Set (MoC DS) is a national collection of data about the maternity models of care available at each maternity service. The data elements reflect the characteristics of these models including, the women a model is designed for, the maternity carers involved and the role they play, and aspects of how and where care is provided. Each model of care is classified into 1 of 11 model categories based on these characteristics. This data set reflects maternity care at a service level but can also be used by maternity services to populate person-level models of care items in the National Perinatal Data Collection. Summary information about the models of care available at each maternity service can be found at the MaCCS website https://maccs.aihw.gov.au/	Statistical Linkage Key	1/01/2018	30/04/2024	National and State	Publications	The scope of this data set includes models of maternity care available to pregnant and birthing women. Maternity services classify their models of care using the Maternity Care Classification System (MaCCS). The MaCCS provides a standardised nomenclature for the collection. The data elements describe the different characteristics of models of maternity care around 3 domains: • the women a model is designed for • the carers working in the model • aspects of how and where care is provided. This collection reflects maternity care at a service level but can also be used by maternity services to populate person-level models of care items in the National Perinatal Data Collection. The development of the MaCCS and the data set were undertaken as part of the National Maternity Data Development Project under the guidance of an expert advisory group. This data set is not mandated for collection. For more information see https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/559937	Admin data	See METEOR 599937 https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/559937 (METEOR 559937) See the latest data quality statement Maternity model of care NBPDS 2023–24: Maternity Care Classification System, 2024; Quality Statement (aihw.gov.au) https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/793098 (METEOR793098)	Maternity models of care in Australia, About - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au) https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers-babies/maternity-models-of-care/contents/about Australia's mothers and babies https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers-babies/australias-mothers-babies/contents/maternity-models-of-care Maternity models of care in focus report https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers-babies/maternity-models-of-care-in-focus/summary Maternity models of care, Summary - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au) https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers-babies/maternity-models-of-care-in-focus/summary MaCCS website MaCCS DCT - Search (aihw.gov.au) https://maccs.aihw.gov.au/ Nomenclature for models of maternity care: a consultation report https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers- babies/nomenclature-for-models-of-maternity-care-a- consu/contents/table-of- contents Maternity Care Classification System: Maternity Model of Care Data Set	MaCCS@aihw.gov.au	

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										Specification national pilot report November 2014 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers-babies/maternity-care-classification-system-maternity-mo/summary		
Medical Indemnity National Collection (Private Sector)	Medical Indemnity National Collection (Private sector).	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender	1/01/2004	30/06/2013	National and State	Publications, Data cubes, Unit records are not available, there are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	All claim records required to be reported by MIIs to the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority (APRA) are required to be reported to the AIHW, along with a small number of claims that pertain to when the MIIs were organised as medical defence organisations. The reporting MIIs have changed over time due to business combinations and the entry of a new MII (In vivo) in 2005-06 (subsequently combined with Medical Insurance Group Australia in 2012-13).	Official	METEOR links: Medical indemnity DSS 2012-14 https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/329638 (METEOR 329638) Medical indemnity DSS 2014- https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/531844 (METEOR 531844)		hospitaldata@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
Medical Indemnity National Collection Public Sector (MINC PS)	Medical Indemnity National Collection Public Sector (MINC PS)		1/01/2003	30/06/2013	National	Publications, Data cubes	All medical indemnity claims open at any time during a reference year are reported for that reference year.	Official	METEOR links: Medical indemnity DSS 2012-14 https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/329638 (METEOR 329638) Medical indemnity DSS 2014- https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/531844 (METEOR 531844)		hospitaldata@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) data collection	The Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) data collection contains information on services that qualify for a benefit under the Health Insurance Act 1973 and for which a claim has been processed. The database comprises information about MBS claims (including benefits paid), patients and service providers. AIHW has access to a view of the dataset held by the Australian Government Department of Health, Disability and Ageing for approved studies, including data linkage projects (see AIHW Data Integration Services Centre). The dataset is owned and managed by the Department of Health, Disability and Ageing. The Department has issued a Public Interest Certificate approving AIHW access to MBS claims data for research and statistical purposes.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender	1/02/1984		National	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Unit records are not available there are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	MBS claims data are an administrative by-product of Services Australia administration of the Medicare fee-for- service payment system. MBS services are available to all Australian residents who hold a current Medicare card and overseas visitors from countries with which Australia has a Reciprocal Health Care Agreement (RHCA).	Admin data	Not specifically available for this data collection, however, the metadata prepared for the 2013- 14 extract provided to states and territories may be useful to users of the data. https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/602524 (METEOR 602524)	MBS online website (Department of Health, Disability and Ageing) https://www.mbsonline.gov.au/internet/mbsonline/publishing.nsf/Content/Home Statistics at Services Australia https://www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/statistical-information-and-data?context=22#a4	mbs.pbs@aihw.gov.au	Yes – Restricted access
National (insulin-treated) Diabetes Register	The National (insulin-treated) Diabetes Register (NDR) aims to record all new cases of people who began to use insulin to treat their diabetes since 1 January 1999. The NDR includes people with type 1, type 2, gestational and other forms of diabetes. Up until March 2021, data for the NDR were sourced from the National Diabetes Services Scheme (NDSS) and the Australasian Paediatric Endocrine Groups (APEG) state and territory registers. The collection of APEG data ceased after the contract between APEG and AIHW ended July 1 2022. The NDR is now derived using only the	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; SA3; SEIFA	1/01/1999	31/12/2022	National; National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access	Incident cases of insulin- treated diabetes, 1999-2022, Australia	Official	The National (insulin-treated) Diabetes Register 2021; Quality Statement (aihw.gov.au) https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/768933 (METEOR 768933)	Web report: Diabetes: Australian facts, About - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au) https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/diabetes/diabetes/contents/about	Diabetes@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access

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	NDSS. For more information about the NDR and how it is derived, see the Data Quality Statement					subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).						
National Adoptions Data Collection	Aggregate data collected annually by financial year, are provided by state and territory departments responsible (note Victoria ceased data provision from the 2023-24 reporting period onwards) for adoptions and by the Department of Home Affairs. Information collected relates to children placed for adoption and those who had an adoption order finalised. Some data are also collected on children whose adoption order was finalised during the previous financial year. Collected data include characteristics of adopted children, their parents and their adoptive families. Collected associated administrative process data include applications and vetoes for contact and information exchange, type of authority responsible for the adoption, type of consent provided for the adoption, median time for intercountry adoption processes, status of adoption orders at 30 June, and number of adoption specific visas issued. Data are published annually in the AIHW Adoptions Australia report series including online data visualisations, aggregate data tables, and in a topic summary for Australia's welfare.	Age group (if D.O.B. not available); Sex/gender; Indigenous status;	1/07/1990		National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Unit records are not available. There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	Data relate to children placed with adoptive families during a financial year and those who had an adoption order finalised during a financial year. Additional data are also collected on adoption specific visas issued during a financial year (these data may relate to adoptions that occurred in previous years).	Admin data	Adoptions Australia 2023– 24 data set specifications Adoptions DSS 2023-24 data quality statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/803809 (METEOR 803809) Adoptions Australia 2023- 24 data quality statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/803446 (METEOR 803446)	Adoptions overview page Adoptions Overview - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au) https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/adoptions/overview Adoptions Australia report series Adoptions Reports - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au) https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/adoptions/reports	adoptions@aihw.gov.au	Yes – Restricted access
National Aged Care Data Clearinghouse (NACDC)	The National Aged Care Data Clearinghouse (NACDC) is an independent and central repository of national aged care data. It brings together information on people receiving aged care and the services and organisations providing care. It largely contains administrative by-product data from the Department of Health, Disability and Ageing. The NACDC comprises more than 130 tables in relational databases. Most of these relate to government-funded aged care programs operating under the Aged Care Act 1997. The NACDC includes activity data for home support, home care, residential care, transition care, short-term restorative care and aged care eligibility assessments.. It also includes other data sources related to quality indicators for residential aged care, consumer experience in residential aged care and aged care workforce. Most of the activity data is refreshed annually with data from the Department of Health, Disability and Ageing's Aged Care Data Warehouse. Data for quality indicators are supplied quarterly. Other data sources are updated on a less regular or ad hoc basis.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; SA2; Statistical Linkage Key	1/07/1997	30/06/2024	National	Publications, Data cubes, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	Administrative data on government- funded aged care programs, including home support, home care, residential care, transition care, short- term restorative care and aged care eligibility assessments. Details available on services, providers, care recipients, episodes of care and assessments. Indicator data collected on a quarterly basis from all approved providers of residential care services for quality indicators defined in the National Aged Care Mandatory Quality Indicator Program Manual, which is available on the Department of Health, Disability and Ageing website at https://www.health.gov.au/resources/collections/national-aged-care-mandatory-quality-indicator-program-manual Survey data from the 2017–18 and 2018–19 Consumer Experience Surveys, collected from a sample of care recipients in residential care facilities as part of the (typically) 3-yearly accreditation site visits. Survey data from the 2022–23 Aged Care Provider Workforce Survey, collected from a sample of government-funded aged care providers.	Admin data; Official; Survey	The NACDC user guide is available on the GEN Aged Care Data website at https://www.gen-agedcaredata.gov.au/resources/publications/national-aged-care-data-clearinghouse-user-guide Data quality statements are available for: National Aged Care Data Clearinghouse https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/735282 (METEOR 735282) Aged Care Funding Instrument https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/735287 (METEOR 735287) Quality indicators defined in the National Aged Care Mandatory Quality Indicator Program Manual	GEN Aged Care Data https://www.gen-agedcaredata.gov.au/	gen@aihw.gov.au	

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									which is available on the Department of Health, Disability and Ageing website at https://www.health.gov.au/resources/collections/national-aged-care-mandatory-quality-indicator-program-manual			
National Community Mental Health Care Database	Service contact data at the patient level for specialised community mental health services managed or funded by state or territory health authorities.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; SA2	1/07/2000	30/06/2024	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form	Specialised public mental health services that are classified as 'ambulatory'. They do not include admitted patient mental health care services, support services that are not specialised mental health care services (e.g. accommodation support services), and services provided by non-government organisations and residential care services.	Admin data	Community mental health care NMDS 2023-24 – Data Set Specification https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/756067 (METEOR 756067)		mentalhealth@aihw.gov.au	Yes – Restricted access
National Congenital Anomalies Data Collection	The NCADC is a national data collection on babies born with a congenital anomaly. It is based on cases of congenital anomalies reported to state and territory data collections including congenital anomaly registers, perinatal data collections and admitted patient data collections. Additional information on maternal characteristics are sourced from the National Perinatal Data Collection. Data are collected annually by birth cohort year with the national collection commencing with the 2016 birth cohort.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender	1/01/2016	31/12/2019	National and State; Other	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply) Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	The NCADC is a national data collection on babies with a congenital anomaly. It is based on cases of congenital anomalies reported to state and territory data collections including congenital anomaly registers, perinatal data collections and admitted patient data collections. The scope of the NCADC includes births (both live births and stillbirths) with a diagnosed congenital anomaly and terminations of pregnancy due to a congenital anomaly (if this is available). This includes conditions in the relevant edition of the ICD10-AM, including Chapter 17 (Q00-Q99), P35 (congenital viral diseases) and P371 (congenital toxoplasmosis).	Official	National Congenital Anomaly Data Collection, 2021; Quality Statement (aihw.gov.au) https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/754114 (METEOR 754114) National Congenital Anomaly Data Collection, 2023 Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/778058 (METEOR 778058)	Congenital anomalies in Australia available at: Congenital anomalies in Australia, About - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au) https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers-babies/congenital-anomalies-in-australia/contents/about Congenital anomalies in Australia 2002-2003 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers-babies/congenital-anomalies-australia-2002-2003/summary Congenital anomalies in Australia 1998 – 2001 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers-babies/congenital-anomalies-australia-1998-2001/contents/table-of-contents Neural tube defects in Australia: prevalence before mandatory folic acid fortification 19 Dec 2011 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers-babies/neural-tube-defects-prevalence-before-folic-acid/summary Neural tube defects in Australia 05 Nov 2008 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers- babies/neural-tube-defects-australia/summary	ncaag@aihw.gov.au	
National Death Index	The National Death Index (NDI) is a data base developed and maintained by the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, in Canberra. The data base is a listing of all deaths that have occurred in Australia since 1980. It is an invaluable tool for epidemiologists and clinicians in following up research cohorts using record linkage. Establishment of an Australian National Death Index was first proposed by the National Health and Medical Research Council in October 1979. The proposal was endorsed by the National Committee for Health and Vital Statistics in July 1982, and by the Australian	Age (Date of birth), Sex/gender, Address, SA1, SA2, SA3, SA4	1/01/1980		National	There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	All deaths in Australia since 1980.	Official	National Death Index https://www.aihw.gov.au/about-our-data/our-data-collections/national-death-index National Death Index (NDI) Data Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/480010 (METEOR 480010)	National Death Index https://www.aihw.gov.au/about-our-data/our-data-collections/national-death-index	linkage@aihw.gov. au	

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	Health Ministers' Conference in April 1984. The Public Health Advisory Committee recommended, in August 1984, that the National Death Index should be co-located with the National Cancer Statistics Clearing House at the then Australian Institute of Health. Consultation with the States and Territories followed and, by late 1992, all States and Territories had agreed to participate in the National Death Index. The successful development and implementation of the National Death Index is due to the effective cooperation between the Institute, the State and Territory Registrars, and the Australian Bureau of Statistics.											
National Dental Telephone Interview Survey	Provide information on dental health and access to dental services of the Australian population. For those who have attended a dental practitioner in the last 12 months a sub sample are included in a survey of dental satisfaction to identify the magnitude		1/01/1901					TBA			info@aihw.gov.au	
National Diabetes Services Scheme (de-identified data)	NDSS registrants and sales datasets, related to receiving information and subsidised consumable products related to managing diabetes.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; RA; SA2; SA3; SA4; SEIFA	1/01/1987	31/03/2023	National and State	There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	The National Diabetes Services Scheme (NDSS) is an initiative of the Australian Government that commenced in 1987 and is administered by Diabetes Australia. The NDSS aims to enhance the capacity of people with diabetes to understand and self-manage their life with diabetes, and access services, support and subsidised diabetes products. The NDSS is the most comprehensive register of people diagnosed with type 1, type 2, gestational and other forms of diabetes in Australia.	Admin data; Official		Privacy policy – NDSS https://www.ndss.com.au/wp-content/uploads/policies/policy-external-research-and-data-request.pdf	diabetes@aihw.gov.au	
National Disability Insurance Scheme Content Data Collection	The NDIS provides individualised support to people with disability and is administered by the National Disability Insurance Agency (NDIA), a statutory agency of the Australian Government. In 2024 the NDIA supplied the AIHW with five limited NDIS content tables for inclusion in the National Health Data Hub (NHDH), establishing the infrastructure and governance arrangements required for managing NDIS information. In 2025 a formal data-sharing arrangement was established through an Exchange of Letters for ongoing data sharing from NDIA to AIHW to establish a comprehensive collection of NDIS data managed by the AIHW Disability Unit. This establishes AIHW to manage the data on behalf of the NDIA as custodian, including integration into the NHDH. This expanded collection of tables replace earlier versions and provide a new baseline for integration, longitudinal analysis and reporting within the NHDH.	Age (Date of birth); Age group (if D.O.B not available); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; SLA; RA; SA2; SA3; SA4; SEIFA; Statistical Linkage Key	1/01/2013	30/06/2025	National and State	Publications; Data cubes; Summary tables published in electronic form; Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply); Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	Content data is collected by the Commonwealth to administer the NDIS and covers the following components: • Access requests which contain history of applications for the NDIS, including dates, status of the application and decisions regarding the application. • Early Childhood Early Intervention (ECEI) gateway which summarises children in the NDIS (under age 9 as of 2023) who enter the Early Childhood Early Intervention system, as well as the types of support used. • Mainstream Interfaces describing the intersection of other known mainstream services i.e. Other government systems providing services to the Australian public, e.g. health, mental health, education, justice, housing, child protection and employment. Most people interact with a range of services throughout their lives. • Participant Demographics which include information on NDIS participants, including age, gender, primary and secondary disability types, impairment, ethnicity, and geography of residence. It may also include information on people who apply for the NDIS but have not been approved. • Payments which describe the history of services funded by participant's NDIS budget, including rich detail on the type of support paid for. • Plan Supports which describe the history of participants' plans and the categories of support that the participant is permitted to	Admin data; Official	TBA	TBA	disability@aihw.gov.au	

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							spend their NDIS budget on. • Carer Demographics which contains core demographic attributes (e.g., age, sex, relationship to participant, geography) for each registered NDIS carer. • Early Childhood Approach (ECA) capturing ECA pathway records for children under 7, listing referral details, eligibility decisions, support outcomes and milestone dates • Goals which lists each participant's NDIS plan goals and capturing goal category, progress status, and key creation/review dates • Address History which stores each participant's historical residential addresses alongside valid-from/to date, tracking changes over time. • Participant Provider Relationships linking NDIS participants to their service providers, capturing provider ID, relationship type (e.g., primary, plan manager), and start/finish dates. • Plan Review Requests logging S48 reviews, also known as plan review requests, lodged when a participant's circumstances change or they believe their funded supports are inadequate. It captures reason, lodgment-to-decision timeline, outcome, and linked plan identifiers for each request. • Participant Outcomes holding participant survey responses, self-reported measures of independence, social participation, health and economic wellbeing, captured at plan reviews to track how NDIS supports are affecting each participant over time. • Family Outcomes table storing caregivers' survey responses, self-reported measures of family wellbeing, capacity to care, and community inclusion, collected at plan reviews to assess how NDIS supports impact participants' families over time. • Outcomes Maps is a metadata reference table that catalogues all outcome-survey instruments used by the NDIS, including survey forms, question text, and allowable answer options. It contains no participant-level data and should be used to decode responses in Participants and Family Outcomes tables. • Support Catalogue listing every NDIS support item, item number, description, unit of measure, location-specific price (inc. remote loadings), and validity dates, serving as the master price guide for plans and payments. • Support Item recording every claimed support instance under a participant's plan including item number, category, service date, delivered quantity, unit price and total claim amount. It enables granular analysis of utilisation and spend.					
2001 National Drug Strategy Household Survey Master Unit Record File	This is the seventh in a series of surveys auspices by the National Drug Strategy (and its predecessors) and the second to be conducted by the AIHW, but the first to be conducted fully as an AIHW function. It is a national household survey of non-institutionalised persons aged 14 years and over. There were 26,744 completed responses in 2001. Fieldwork was conducted by Roy Morgan Research.	Age group (if D.O.B. not available); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; SLA; RA; SEIFA	1/07/2001	30/11/2001	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access	Non-institutionalised persons aged 14 years and over from all states and territories. Foreign language interviews were not conducted.	Survey	National Drug Strategy Household Survey 2001 TECHNICAL REPORT.pdf https://dataverse.ada.edu.au/file.xhtml?fileId=680&version=1.1 National Drug Strategy Household Survey, 2001 - Codebook.pdf https://dataverse.ada.	2001 National Drug Strategy Household Survey: Detailed Findings https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/illicit-use-of-drugs/2001-ndshs-detailed-findings/summary 2001 National Drug Strategy Household Survey: First Results https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/illicit-use-of-drugs/2001-ndshs-first-results/summary 2001 National Drug Strategy	aod@aihw.gov.au	

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2004 National Drug Strategy Household Survey Master Unit Record File	This is the eighth in a series of surveys auspices by the National Drug Strategy (and its predecessors) and the third to be conducted by the AIHW. It is a national household survey of non-institutionalised persons aged 12 years and over. There were 29,445 completed responses in 2004. Fieldwork was conducted by Roy Morgan Research.	Age group (if D.O.B. not available); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; SLA; RA; SEIFA	1/07/2004	8/11/2004	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	Non-institutionalised persons aged 14 years and over from all states and territories. Foreign language interviews were not conducted.	Survey	National Drug Strategy Household Survey 2004 TECHNICAL REPORT.pdf https://dataverse.ada.edu.au/file.xhtml?fileId=674&version=1.1 National Drug Strategy Household Survey, 2004 - Codebook.pdf https://dataverse.ada.edu.au/file.xhtml?fileId=673&version=1.1	First results www.aihw.gov.au/reports/alcohol- other-drug- treatment- services/2004-ndshs-first-results State and territory supplement https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/alcohol-other-drug- treatment-services/2004-ndshs-state-territory-supplement/contents/table-of-contents Detailed findings https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/illicit-use-of- drugs/2004-ndshs-detailed-findings/summary	aod@aihw.gov.au	
2007 National Drug Strategy Household Survey Master Unit Record File	This is the ninth in a series of surveys auspices by the National Drug Strategy (and its predecessors) and the fourth to be conducted by the AIHW. It is a national household survey of non- institutionalised persons aged 12 years and over. There were 23,356 completed responses in 2007. Fieldwork was conducted by Roy Morgan Research and the Social Research Centre.	Age group (if D.O.B. not available); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; SLA; RA; SEIFA	19/06/2007	28/10/2007	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	Non-institutionalised persons aged 12 years or older or 14 years or older (as specified) from all states and territories. Foreign language interviews were not conducted.	Survey	National Drug Strategy Household Survey 2007, TECHNICAL REPORT.pdf https://dataverse.ada.edu.au/file.xhtml?fileId=656&version=1.1 National Drug Strategy Household Survey, 2007 - Codebook.pdf https://dataverse.ada.edu.au/file.xhtml?fileId=661&version=1.1	First results - https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/illicit-use-of-drugs/2007-ndshs-first-results/summary Detailed findings - https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/illici t-use-of- drugs/2007-nhsds-detailed-findings/summary State and territory supplement - https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/illicit-use-of- drugs/2007-ndshs-state-territory-supplement/contents/table-of-contents	aod@aihw.gov.au	
2010 National Drug Strategy Household Survey Master Unit Record File	This is the tenth in a series of surveys auspices by the National Drug Strategy (and its predecessors) and the fifth to be conducted by the AIHW. It is a national household survey of non-institutionalised persons aged 12 years and over. There were 26,648 completed responses in 2010. Fieldwork was conducted by Roy Morgan Research.	Age group (if D.O.B. not available); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; SLA; RA; SEIFA	29/04/2010	14/09/2010	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access	The estimates for 2010 contained in this publication are based on information obtained from people aged 12 years or older or 14 years or older (as specified) from all states and territories. The scope of the survey was residential households, and excluded institutional settings, hostels, motels and homeless people. Foreign language interviews were not conducted.	Survey	National Drug Strategy Household Survey 2010 – Data Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/511160 (METEOR 511160)	2010 National Drug Strategy Household Survey report https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/illicit-use-of- drugs/2010-ndshs/summary	aod@aihw.gov.au	

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2013 National Drug Strategy Household Survey Master Unit Record File	This is the eleventh in a series of surveys auspices by the National Drug Strategy (and its predecessors) and the sixth to be conducted by the AIHW. It is a national household survey of non-institutionalised persons aged 12 years and over. There were 23,855 completed responses in 2013. Fieldwork was conducted by Roy Morgan Research.	Age group (if D.O.B. not available); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; RA; SA1; SA2; SA3; SA4; SEIFA	31/07/2013	1/12/2013	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	Private dwellings from people aged 12 years or older. Excluded from sampling were non- private dwellings (hotels, motels, boarding houses, etc.) and institutional settings (hospitals, nursing homes, other clinical settings such as drug and alcohol rehabilitation centres, prisons, military establishments, and university halls of residence). Homeless persons were also excluded as well as the territories of Jervis Bay, Christmas Island and Cocos Island.	Survey	National Drug Strategy Household Survey 2013 – Data Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/558897 (METEOR 558897)	National Drug Strategy Household Survey detailed report: 2013 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/illicit-use-of- drugs/2013-ndshs-detailed/summary	aod@aih w .gov.au	
2016 National Drug Strategy Household Survey master unit record file	This is twelfth in a series of surveys auspices by the National Drug Strategy (and its predecessors) and the seventh to be conducted by the AIHW. It is a national household survey of non-institutionalised persons aged 12 years and over. There were 23,772 completed responses in 2016. Fieldwork was conducted by Roy Morgan Research.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; RA; SA1; SA2; SA3; SA4; SEIFA; Statistical Linkage Key	21/06/2016	29/11/2016	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	Private dwellings from people aged 12 years or older. Excluded from sampling were non- private dwellings (hotels, motels, boarding houses, etc.) and institutional settings (hospitals, nursing homes, other clinical settings such as drug and alcohol rehabilitation centres, prisons, military establishments, and university halls of residence). Homeless persons were also excluded as well as the territories of Jervis Bay, Christmas Island and Cocos Island.	Survey	National Drug Strategy Household Survey 2016 – Data Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/682686 (METEOR 682686)	National Drug Strategy Household Survey 2016: detailed findings https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/illicit-use-of-drugs/2016-ndshs-detailed/summary National Drug Strategy Household Survey (NDSHS) 2016 – key findings https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/illicit-use-of- drugs/ndshs-2016-key-findings/contents/summary	aod@aih w .gov.au	
2019 National Drug Strategy Household Survey master unit record file	This is the 13th in a series of surveys auspices by the National Drug Strategy (and its predecessors) and the 8th to be conducted by the AIHW. It is a national household survey of non-institutionalised persons aged 14 years and over. There were 22,272 completed responses in 2019. Fieldwork was conducted by Roy Morgan Research.	Age (Date of birth); Sex;/gender Indigenous status; RA; SA1; SA2; SA3; SA4; SEIFA; Statistical Linkage Key	8/04/2019	22/09/2019	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access	Private dwellings from people aged 14 years or older. Excluded from sampling were non- private dwellings (hotels, motels, boarding houses, etc.) and institutional settings (hospitals, nursing homes, other clinical settings such as drug and alcohol rehabilitation centres, prisons, military establishments, and university halls of residence). Homeless persons were also excluded as well as the territories of Jervis Bay, Christmas Island and Cocos Island.	Survey	National Drug Strategy Household Survey 2019 – Data Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov. au/content/730155 (METEOR 730155)	National Drug Strategy Household Survey 2019 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/illicit-use-of-drugs/national-drug-strategy-household-survey-2019/contents/summary National Drug Strategy Household Survey 2019: in brief https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/illicit-use-of- drugs/national-drug-strategy-household- survey-2019-in-br/summary	aod@aih w .gov.au	

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2022-2023 National Drug Strategy Household Survey	This is the 14th in a series of surveys auspices by the National Drug Strategy (and its predecessors) and the 9th to be conducted by the AIHW. It is a national household survey of non-institutionalised persons aged 14 years and over. There were 21,663 completed responses in 2022-2023. Fieldwork was conducted by Roy Morgan Research.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; RA; SA1; SA2; SA3; SA4; SEIFA; Statistical Linkage Key	20/07/2022	31/05/2023	National and State	Publications; Summary tables published in electronic form; Statistics; Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply); Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	Private dwellings from people aged 14 years or older. Excluded from sampling were non- private dwellings (hotels, motels, boarding houses, etc.) and institutional settings (hospitals, nursing homes, other clinical settings such as drug and alcohol rehabilitation centres, prisons, military establishments and university halls of residence). Persons who were homeless were also excluded as well as the territories of Jervis Bay, Christmas Island and Cocos Island.	Survey	National Drug Strategy Household Survey 2022- 2023 - Data Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.a u/content/789150 (METEOR 789150)	National Drug Strategy Household Survey 2022–2023 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/illicit-use-of-drugs/national-drug-strategy-household-survey/contents/about	aod@aih w .gov.au	
2025 National Drug Strategy Household Survey	The National Drug Strategy Household Survey (NDSHS) is the key population survey among Australian people aged 14 years and older regarding use of, and attitudes towards, alcohol, tobacco, e-cigarettes/vapes, and illicit drug use in Australia. The survey also gathers information about drug-related attitudes, perceptions and support for government policies. The NDSHS has been conducted roughly every three years since 1985. The 2025 NDSHS will mark the 15th in the series and the 10th managed by the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) with funding from the Australian Government Department of Health, Disability and Ageing. The survey aims to gather data from at least 20,000 Australian people aged 14 and over. It will collect data on: • Demographic characteristics • Attitudes of Australians towards a range of drug-related issues including their perception of the health risk associated with drug use • Patterns of drug use, method of use, source of supply and patterns of injecting drug use • Experiences of drug-related verbal and/or physical abuse and activities undertaken while under the influence of alcohol or illicit drugs • Attitudes towards drug-related policy, interventions and legislation • Health status and mental health. Results from the survey will inform policy, monitor trends and evaluate progress under the National Drug Strategy 2017–26.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; RA; SA1; SA2; SA3; SA4; SEIFA; Statistical Linkage Key	23/06/2025		National and State; Other	Publications; Summary tables published in electronic form; Statistics; Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply); Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	Private dwellings from people aged 14 years or older. Excluded from sampling were non-private dwellings (hotels, motels, boarding houses, etc.) and institutional settings (hospitals, nursing homes, other clinical settings such as drug and alcohol rehabilitation centres, prisons, military establishments and university halls of residence). Persons who were homeless were also excluded as well as the territories of Jervis Bay, Christmas Island and Cocos Island.	Survey		National Drug Strategy Household Survey 2025 https://www.aihw.gov.au/about-our-data/our-data-collections/national-drug-strategy-household-survey/2025-ndshs	aod@aihw.g ov.au	
National Elective Surgery Target Database	Census and removal elective surgery waiting list entries for the purposes of reporting the National Elective Surgery Targets as part of the National Partnership Agreement on	Indigenous status	1/01/2011	30/06/2015	National; National and State	There are restrictions and limitations governing the	Hospitals reporting public hospital Elective surgery waiting lists	Official			hospitalda ta@aihw. gov.au	Yes - Restricted access

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	Improving Public Hospital Services					availability or use of other data in this holding.						
National Hand Hygiene Data Set	The data are derived from audits of hand hygiene 'moments' that were conducted in public hospitals between April 2010 and June 2020 under the National Hand Hygiene Initiative, established by the Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care. Data are presented by moment type and by health care worker type.		1/04/2010		National, National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Unit records are not available, there are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	The National Hand Hygiene Initiative (NHHI) aims to educate and promote correct hand hygiene practice in all Australian hospitals and includes auditing and reporting processes for hospitals to measure how they are performing against the benchmark determined by the Australian Health Ministers Advisory Council. This benchmark has been progressively increasing and is now set at 80%.	Survey	Specifications are being developed in METEOR format.	National Hand Hygiene Initiative https://www.safetyandquality.gov.au/our - work/infection-prevention-and-control/national- hand- hygiene-initiative	myhospitals@aihw.gov.au	
National Health Data Hub	• The National Health Data Hub (NHDH), formerly the National Integrated Health Services Information (NIHSI) analytical asset, is a major national health data linkage system for health research and analysis. • The NHDH comprises de-identified and enduring health data from State and Territory and Commonwealth data sources. It brings together data on admitted patient care services (in public and private hospitals), emergency department services and outpatient services in public hospitals for all states and territories with the exception of Western Australia and the Northern Territory. The NHDH also includes data from the Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS), Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme (PBS), Repatriation Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme (RPBS), Residential Aged Care services data, National Death Index (NDI), the Australian Immunisation Register (AIR) data, the National Disability Insurance Scheme data and the Australian and New Zealand Intensive Care Society (ANZICS) data.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; SA2	1/07/2010	30/06/2024	National; NSW; VIC; QLD; SA; TAS; ACT	Publications; Statistics; There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	• The scope of the collections includes: - Persons registered on the Medicare Enrolment file with service records reported from 1 July 2010 (see below). - MBS Services in Australia from 1 July 2010 to the latest year of included in the collection. - PBS and RPBS claims and under co-payment data for all PBS/RPBS prescriptions supplied from 1 July 2010 to the latest year. - APC for public and private hospitals (where avialable), ED and NAP care data from participating states and territories from 1 July 2010 to the latest year included. - Australian government-funded aged care programs and assessment data from the National Aged Care Data Clearinghouse (NACDC) from 1 July 2010 to the latest year - Australian immunisation register data from 1 July 2010 to the latest year - All deaths registered in Australia from 1 July 2010 to the latest year. - National Disability Insurance Scheme dataset (NDIS) from 1 July 2017 to the latest year. - Australian and New Zealand Intensive Care Society (ANZICS) from 1 January 1997 to the latest year.	Admin data; Official	See METEOR for information on parent collections contributing to this asset.	About - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/nhdh/about	info@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
National Hospitals Data Collection	This collection includes the major national hospitals databases held by the AIHW, including: • The National Hospital Morbidity Database (NHMD), a compilation of episode-level records from admitted patient morbidity data collection systems in Australian public and private hospitals. • The National Public Hospital Establishments Database (NPHED), which holds information on public hospital resources and includes information reported for public hospitals, Local hospital networks (LHNs) and state and territory health authorities. • The National Non-admitted Patient Emergency Department Care Database (NNAPEDCD), a compilation of episode- level records (including waiting times for care) for non-admitted patients registered for care in emergency departments in selected public hospitals. • The National Elective Surgery Waiting	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; SLA; RA; SA1; SA2; SEIFA	1/07/1993	30/06/2019	National and State	Publications, Data cubes, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may	The scope of data held under the National Hospitals Data Collection vary by database and over time. Please refer to the relevant metadata for further information.	Admin data	Refer to the following METEOR items for relevant National Minimum Data Sets (NMDS) and Data Set Specification (DSS) information: For the NHMD refer to http://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/item Id/641349 (METEOR 641349) For the NPHED refer to http://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/item Id/641349 (METEOR 641349)	Data for this collection are published regularly in the *Australian hospital statistics* suite of publications and related products. https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-statistics/health- welfare-services/hospitals/overview Data quality statements for individual databases are also published on METEOR. http://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/it emId/181162	hospitaldata@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access

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	Times Data Collection (NESWTDC), which holds episode-level information on patients added to or removed from elective surgery waiting lists managed by public hospitals. • The National Non-Admitted Patient Care (aggregate) Database (NNAP(agg)D), which holds clinic-level information on non- admitted patient care provided by public hospitals, LHNs and selected other public hospital services managed by state and territory health authorities. • The National Non-admitted Patient (episode-level) Database (NNAP(el)D), which holds episode-level information on non-admitted patient care provided by public hospitals, LHNs and selected other public hospital services managed by state and territory health authorities. • 1/1/2011-30/6/2013: The National Emergency Access Target Database (NEATD) is a compilation of electronic records of non-admitted patient service episodes for the purposes of reporting the National Emergency Access Targets as part of the National Partnership Agreement on Improving Public Hospital Services. • 1/1/2011-30/6/2015: The National Elective Surgery Targets Database (NESTD) is census and removal elective surgery waiting list entries for the purposes of reporting the National Elective Surgery Targets as part of the National Partnership Agreement on Improving Public Hospital Services. 2005-2013: National collection of occasions of service provided in outpatient clinics of public hospitals that are classified as either principal referral and specialist women's and children's hospitals and large hospitals (Peer Group A or B) as reported in the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare's Australian Hospital Statistics publication from the preceding financial year.					apply)., There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.			and http://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/item Id/642698 (METEOR 642698) For the NNAPEDCD refer to http://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/item Id/651856 (METEOR 651856) and http://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/item Id/655704 (METEOR 655704) For the NESWTDC refer to http://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/item Id/651416 (METEOR 651416) For the NNAP(agg)D refer to http://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/item Id/649281 (METEOR 649281) and http://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/item Id/649576 (METEOR 649576) For the NNAP(el)D refer to http://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/item Id/650086 (METEOR 650086)			

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National Information Management System (NIMS)	The national information management system (NIMS) for open employment services for people with disabilities commenced in January 1995.	National Information Management System (NIMS)	1/01/1995	30/06/1999	National	There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	Open employment services for people with disability	Admin data; Official	No metadata are available for this collection.	Not applicable	disability@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
National Key Performance Indicators (nKPIs) for First Nations - specific primary health care	The national Key Performance Indicators (nKPIs) are a set of indicators reported by organisations receiving funding under the Australian Government's Indigenous Australians' Health Programme (IAHP) to deliver comprehensive and culturally appropriate primary health care services to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander (First Nations) people. Data are collected against set of indicators focusing on maternal and child health, preventative health, and chronic disease management. The collection commenced in June 2012 and is ongoing with data being collected every 6 months from over 200 First Nations-specific primary health care organisations across Australia.	Age group (if D.O.B. not available); Sex/gender; RA; Address	30/06/2012	30/06/2025	National and State; Other	Publications, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Unit records are not available, there are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	Collected from the around 200 organisations funded under the Australian Government's Indigenous Australians' Health Programme (IAHP), data are counts of First Nations regular clients (those who attended an organisation 3 times in 2 years) against a set of indicators focusing on maternal and child health; preventative health; and chronic disease management. Organisations reporting to the nKPI collection may see a mix of First Nations and non-Indigenous clients. Some of these are considered regular clients of the organization. The nKPI indicators include only data for First Nations regular clients.	Official	Information on the indicators and associated data collection can be found in the data collection guide https://www.aihw.gov.au/about-our-data/our-data-collections/national-key-performance-indicators/about-nkpi-collection for each period and on METEOR https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/804345 (METEOR804345) Data quality statements for each collection period are also available via METEOR. https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/805545 (METEOR 805545)	The latest available data from the nKPI collection can be found at: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander specific primary health care: results from the nKPI and OSR collections, About - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au). https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/indigenous-australians/indigenous-primary-health-care-results-osr-nkpi/contents/about Other AIHW products that focus specifically on Indigenous Australians can be found at First Nations people. https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/population-groups/indigenous-australians/overview Information on the Department of Health, disability and Ageing's Health Data Portal can be found at: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Reporting—Health Data Portal. https://www.health.gov.au/topics/aboriginal-and-torres-strait-islander-health/reporting?utm_source=health.gov.au&utm_medium=callout-auto-custom&utm_campaign=digital_transformation The latest data collection guide for the nKPIs can be found at: About nKPI collection - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au). https://www.aihw.gov.au/about-our-data/our-data-collections/national-key-performance-indicators/about-nkpi-collection	dataquality@aihw.gov.au	
National Maternal Mortality Data Collection	Data is collected for all maternal deaths (up to and including 42 days post-partum) occurring in each state or territory. Data collection commenced from 1 January 2013. Retrospective data for 2006-2012 has also been provided by most jurisdictions.	Age group (if D.O.B. not available); Indigenous status; RA; SA2; SEIFA	1/01/2006	31/12/2023	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics	Data is collected for all maternal deaths (up to and including 42 days postpartum) occurring in the state or territory. Data are also requested on late maternal deaths (occurring from 43- 365 days after end of pregnancy) where available.	Admin data	National Maternal Mortality Data Collection, 2022; Quality Statement (aihw.gov.au) https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/799677	Annual web report (2022 data): https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers-babies/maternal-deaths-australia Triennial pdf report (2018-2020 data): https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers- babies/maternal-deaths-in-australia-	matperimort@aihw.gov.au	

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	Late maternal deaths (occurring from 43 days postpartum up to and including 365 days post-partum) are optional and can be supplied if the state/territory wishes to do so.					Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).			(METEOR 799677)	2018- 2020/summary		
National Mental Health Establishments Database	National collection of establishment level data for specialised mental health services.	SA2	1/07/2005	30/06/2024	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form	The scope of the MHE NMDS is all specialised mental health services managed by, or in receipt of funds from, State or Territory health authorities	Admin data	Mental Health Establishments NMDS 2023-24 Data Set Specification https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/756103 (METEOR 756103)		mentalhealth@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
National Mortality Database	The National Mortality Database (NMD) holds records for deaths in Australia from 1964. The database comprises information about causes of death and other characteristics of the person, such as sex, age at death, area of usual residence and Indigenous status.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; RA; SA2; SEIFA	1/01/1964	31/12/2023	National and State; Other	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	All deaths in Australia.	Official	The data quality statements underpinning the AIHW National Mortality Database can be found in the following Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) publications: ABS quality declaration summary for: Deaths, Australia (ABS cat. No. 3302.0) https://www.abs.gov.au/methodologies/deaths-australia-methodology/2023#data-quality ABS quality declaration summary for Causes of death, Australia(ABS cat.no. 3303.0) https://www.abs.gov.au/methodologies/causes-death-australia-methodology/2023#data-quality	For more information on deaths data at AIHW see: National Mortality Database (NMD) https://www.aihw.gov.au/about-our-data/our-data-collections/national-mortality-database Life expectancy & deaths https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-conditions-disability-deaths/life-expectancy-deaths/data	deaths@aihw.gov.a u	
National Opioid Pharmacotherapy Statistics Annual Data (NOPSAD) Collection	The main purpose of the NOPSAD collection is to aggregate standardised jurisdictional data on the number of clients accessing pharmacotherapy for the treatment of opioid dependence on a snapshot day, the number of prescribers participating in the delivery of pharmacotherapy treatment, and quantitative information about the prescribing sector. As such, national information on pharmacotherapy, on a snapshot day each year, can be reported.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender Indigenous status; SA2	30/06/2004	30/06/2024	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Unit records are not available	The collection covers the provision of opioid pharmacotherapy treatment, the practitioners who prescribe the treatment, the dosing sites who dispense the pharmacotherapy drugs, and the clients receiving the opioid pharmacotherapy treatment. The following pharmacotherapies are currently recommended for the treatment of opioid dependency: Methadone hydrochloride (Methadone Syrup® and Biodone Forte Solution®) Buprenorphine (Subutex®) Buprenorphine/ Naloxone (Suboxone®), Buprenorphine as long acting injections (Buvidal® and Sublocade®).	Official	National Opioid Pharmacotherapy Statistics Annual Data collection 2024; Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/804529 (METEOR 804529)	National Opioid Pharmacotherapy Statistics Annual Data collection 2024 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/alcohol-other-drug-treatment-services/national-opioid-pharmacotherapy-statistics/contents/about Alcohol and other drug treatment services in Australia 2023-24 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/alcohol-other-drug-treatment-services/alcohol-other-drug-treatment-services-australia/contents/about	aod@aih w.gov.au	
National Perinatal Data Collection	The National Perinatal Data Collection (NPDC) collates data on pregnancy and childbirth. The data are based on births reported to the perinatal data collection in each state and territory in Australia. Midwives and other birth attendants, using information obtained from	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; RA; SA2;	1/01/1991	31/12/2023	National; National and State; Other	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Client specified tables on	Includes live births and stillbirths, where gestational age is at least 20 weeks or birthweight is at least 400 grams, except in Victoria and Western Australia, where births are included if gestational age is at least 20 weeks or, if gestation is unknown,	Admin data	Perinatal National Minimum Data Set 2023- 24 https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/756062	Mothers and babies publications https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/population- groups/mothers-babies/overview	npdcdata@aihw.gov.au	

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	mothers and from hospital or other records, complete notification forms for each birth. A standard de-identified extract is provided to the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) on an annual basis to form the NPDC.	SEIFA				request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply). There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	birthweight is at least 400 grams. Live births and stillbirths include termination of pregnancy after 20 weeks. See also: National Perinatal Data Collection, 2023: Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/808591 (METEOR 808591)		(METEOR 756062) Perinatal NBEDS 2023–24 https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/756064 (METEOR 756064) National Perinatal Data Collection, 2023: Quality Statement (aihw.gov.au) https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/808591 (METEOR 808591)	Australia's mothers and babies https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers-babies/australias-mothers-babies/contents/about National Perinatal Data Collection data availability resource https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers-babies/national-perinatal-data-collection-data-resource/contents/about		
National Perinatal Mortality Data Collection	The National Perinatal Mortality Data Collection (NPMDC) collates information on stillbirths and neonatal deaths in Australia, including timing, causes, and investigations. Data are supplied to AIHW by state and territory health authorities on an annual basis. Data are collected by calendar year, based on the year in which the birth occurred.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; RA; SA2; SEIFA	1/01/2013	31/12/2022	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply). There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	All stillbirths and neonatal deaths occurring in the state or territory of at least 20 weeks gestation or at least 400 grams birthweight. Stillbirths include Fetus Papyraceous and Fetus Compressus if they meet the definition of the National Perinatal Data Collection.	Admin data	National Perinatal Mortality Data Collection, 2022; Quality Statement (aihw.gov.au) https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/799646 (METEOR 799646)	Annual web report (2022): Australia's mothers and babies: Stillbirths and neonatal deaths https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers-babies/australias-mothers-babies/contents/stillbirths-neonatal-deaths/stillbirths-and-neonatal-deaths-in-australia-2022	matperimort@aihw.gov.au	
National Physical Activity Surveys	The 1997, 1999 and 2000 National Physical Activity Surveys collected information about physical activity patterns in Australian adults. Activity levels were measured against the National Physical Activity Guidelines. The survey also measured awareness of physical activity campaigns and media messages that were current at the time of each survey. The 1997 survey was called the Active Australia National Physical Activity Survey.	Age group (if D.O.B. not available); Sex/gender	10/11/1997	8/12/2000	National	Publications, there are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	Adults aged 18-75 from households randomly selected from the White Pages.	Survey		Published trend results for the 1997, 1999 and 2000 surveys: https://webarchive.nla.gov.au/awa/20110829172618/http://pandora.nla.gov.au/pan/128839/20110826-1317/fulltext.ausport.gov.au/fulltext/2001/ascpub/PAtrendsReport.pdf Manual: The Active Australia Survey: a guide and manual for implementation, analysis and reporting, Summary - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au) https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/physical-activity/active-australia-	healthpreventiondata@aihw.gov.au	

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										survey/summary		
National Prisoner Health Data Collection	The National Prisoner Health Data Collection (NPHDC) is held by the AIHW. The collection has been held in 2009, 2010, 2012, 2015, 2018 and 2022. The 2022 collection was originally planned for 2021 but delayed due to COVID-19. The scope includes various data items concerning prison entrants and prison dischargees over a two-week period, clinic attendances, medications administered and some general information about prisons and their operations. The next collection is planned to occur in August 2025, with collections to repeat every 3 years thereafter (i.e., 2028, 2031 and so on). Data collected in 2025 is scheduled for release in 2026. Survey data is collected from people entering prison via an Entrants survey, and from people leaving prison via a Dischargees survey, conducted over 2-week periods across Australian prisons. The surveys collect data relating to health conditions, behaviours and health service use as people enter custody and leave custody. Demographic information relating to sex, gender, Indigenous status and age are also collected. In 2025, the NPHDC will collect unit record administrative data from jurisdictional prison and clinic systems for up to five files. The files contain data on client demographics, custody arrangements, health services, medications, and health conditions of people in Australian prisons. This builds on administrative data collected in the 2022 collection and is part of a longer-term development plan to transition the NPHDC to a fulsome administrative data collection that can supplement the survey data. An administrative data collection will help ensure the sustainability of the NPHDC by creating a more robust, higher quality data collection. The survey and administrative data will not be linked.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; Statistical Linkage Key	1/01/2009	31/12/2022	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	Australian public and private prisons in participating jurisdictions.	Survey	METEOR links: Prisoner Health NBEDS, 2022; Data Quality Statement (aihw.gov.au) https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/784297 (METEOR 784297) Prisoner health NBEDS 2022 (aihw.gov.au) https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/773317 (METEOR 773317)	Prisoners – Overview https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/population-groups/people-in-prison/overview Prisoner Health NBEDS, 2022; Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/784297 (METEOR 784297) Prisoner health NBEDS https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/773317 (METEOR 773317)	prisoner.health@aihw.gov.au	
National Residential Mental Health Care Database	Episodes of residential mental health care at the patient level for residents in all government-funded residential mental health services.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; SA2	1/07/2004	30/06/2024	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form	Episodes of residential care for residents in all government-funded mental health services. The scope of the NMDS specifically excludes residential care services that are in receipt of funding under the Aged Care Act and subject to Commonwealth reporting requirements.	Admin data	Residential mental health care NMDS 2023-24 Data Set Specification https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/756205 (METEOR 756205)		mentalhealth@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
National Rheumatic Heart Disease data collection	The National Rheumatic Heart Disease Data Collection (NRHDDC) comprises information from jurisdictional registers of notified cases of acute rheumatic fever/rheumatic heart disease (ARF/RHD). It is a de-identified population-based collection, initiated as part of the Australian Rheumatic Fever Strategy 2009, funded by the Australian Government Department of Health, Disability and Ageing. The data collection will enable reporting on the Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) of the Strategy, reporting local level data to jurisdictional registers and supporting relevant data development activities. This will contribute to efforts to reduce the incidence of ARF and RHD in Australia, which are among the highest in the world. Data from NSW are sent to the AIHW also,	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; Statistical Linkage Key	1/01/2016	31/12/2024	NSW; QLD; WA; SA; NT	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	The information collected is de- identified unit record data about living and deceased individuals affected by ARF and/or RHD. The collection contains demographic data (age, sex, Indigenous status), information about clinical diagnosis (diagnosis and notification dates), disease progression, clinical severity, secondary prophylaxis, and surgical management. The data will be used in at least four ways. • to monitor and report program effectiveness in the detection and management of ARF/RHD in Australia, as measured by the KPIs under the Rheumatic Fever Strategy. • for reporting against the relevant indicators in the Health Performance Framework report. • for reporting against the relevant	Official	Data quality statement is available on the Notes page of the latest annual report: https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/indigenous-australians/arf-rhd/notes	Acute rheumatic fever and rheumatic heart disease in Australia (AIHW annual report) https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/indigenous-australians/arf-rhd/contents/about ARF and RHD Guidelines (RHD Australia website) https://rhdaustralia.org.au/arf-rhd-guidelines/ Rheumatic heart disease and acute rheumatic fever (SA Health) https://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/wps/wcm/connect/public+content/sa+health+internet/conditions/heart+disease/rheumatic+heart+disease+rhd+acute+rheumatic+fever+arf+-+including+symptoms+treatment+and	indigenous@aihw.gov.au	

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	though this is not funded through the RFS.						indicators in the Better Cardiac Care report. • Regular (unpublished) jurisdictional-level data reports, as per jurisdictional requirements, to be supplied to individual jurisdictions.			+prevention		
National Seclusion and Restraint Database	Aggregate data on seclusion and restraint events, episodes of care, mental health care days, episodes with seclusion.			30/06/2021	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form	Public sector specialised acute mental health hospital services	Admin data	Mental health seclusion and restraint NBEDS 2015- (aihw.gov.au) https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/558137 (METEOR 558137)	Mental Health Online Report, – Seclusion and Restraint section https://www.aihw.gov.au/mental-health/topic-areas/safety-quality/seclusion-and-restraint	mentalhealth@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
National Social Housing Survey (NSHS)	The National Social Housing Survey is a survey of social housing tenants which complements administrative data collected by social housing providers and includes information on tenants and their social housing experiences.	Age group (if D.O.B. not available; Sex/gender; Indigenous status; RA	30/06/2005		National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply)., There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	Participants are randomly sampled from social housing programs e.g., Public Housing (PH), State Owned and Managed Indigenous Housing (SOMIH), Community Housing (CH) and Indigenous Community Housing (ICH). The AIHW managed the NSHS in 2005, 2007, 2010, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2018, 2021 and 2023. There have been changes to the methodology for the NSHS over time. However, minimal changes have been made to the survey since 2012 to support time-series analysis.	Survey	National Social Housing Survey, 2023; Quality Statement (aihw.gov.au) https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/782830 (METEOR 782830)	National Social Housing Survey report https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/housing-assistance/national-social-housing-survey-2021/contents/about Housing assistance in Australia https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/housing-assistance/overview Report on government services https://www.pc.gov.au/ongoing/report-on-government-services Australia's welfare 2023 - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au) https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/australias-welfare	NSHS@aihw.gov.au	
National Staphylococcus aureus Bacteraemia Data Collection	Episodes of Staphylococcus aureus (including MRSA and MSSA) bacteraemia (SAB) blood infections in public and participating acute care hospitals.		1/07/2009		National and State	Publications, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply)	The data collection includes counts of healthcare associated cases of Staphylococcus aureus bacteraemia (SAB) bloodstream infections for each public hospital covered by SAB surveillance arrangements, and for private hospitals that choose to provide data. The data for public hospitals are collected under hospital infection control arrangements by state and territory health authorities. The data include the counts of patient days under surveillance. Data on the numbers of methicillin- resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA) and methicillin-sensitive Staphylococcus aureus (MSSA) cases for public hospitals are reported separately at a hospital and state or territory level.	Admin data	Data quality statement for National *Staphylococcus aureus* Bacteraemia Data Collection, 2020-2021: Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/763593 (METEOR 763593) Australian Health Performance Framework Indicator PI 2.2.2- Healthcare-associated *Staphylococcus aureus* bloodstream infections, 2021 https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/771612 (METEOR 771612)	Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care (ACSQHC) – Antimicrobial resistance https://www.safetyandquality.gov.au/our-work/antimicrobial-resistance/antimicrobial-use-and-resistance-australia-aura Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care (ACSQHC) – Surveillance for Staphylococcus aureus bloodstream infection (SABSI) https://www.safetyandquality.gov.au/our-work/infection-prevention-and-control/hai-surveillance/surveillance-staphylococcus-aureus-bloodstream-infection-sabsi Australian Government Department of Health, Disability and Ageing – Antimicrobial resistance https://www.amr.gov.au/ Health Direct – Staph infections https://www.healthdirect.gov.au/staph-infections Report on Government Services –	hospitals.reporting@aihw.gov. au	

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										Productivity Commission (pc.gov.au) https://www.pc.gov.au/ongoing/report-on-government-services		
National survey of children in out-of- home care - data collection (2018)	National survey of children aged 8-17 years in out-of-home care. The second collection was held in 2018 (a separate pilot collection was held in in 2015). Data are collected by the state/territory departments responsible for child protection, as part of local case management processes. The dataset includes children's views on various topics, including feelings of safety, participation in decision-making, community connection and activity, family connection and contact, presence of a significant adult in their life, and leaving care.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; RA	1/01/2018	30/06/2018	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	The dataset includes children aged 8–17 years residing in out- of-home care (including foster care, relative/kinship care, family group homes, residential care and independent living), whose care arrangements had been ordered by the relevant Children's Court and where the parental responsibility for the child had been transferred to the Minister or Chief Executive, and who had been on a relevant court order for 3 months or more.	Survey	DQS available: https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/711680 (METEOR 711680)	Report and supplementary tables, released 8 March 2019, available at: https://auth.aihw.gov.au/reports/child-protection/views-of-children-young-people-oohc-2018/summary	child.protection@aihw.gov.au	
National survey of children in out-of- home care 2015	National survey of children aged 8-17 years in out-of-home care. This pilot collection was held in 2015. Data are collected by the state/territory departments responsible for child protection, as part of local case management processes. The dataset includes children's views on various topics, including feelings of safety, participation in decision-making, community connection and activity, family connection and contact, presence of a significant adult in their life, and leaving care.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; RA	1/02/2015	30/06/2015	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	The dataset includes children aged 8–17 years residing in out- of-home care (including foster care, relative/kinship care, family group homes, residential care and independent living), whose care arrangements had been ordered by the relevant Children's Court and where the parental responsibility for the child had been transferred to the Minister or Chief Executive, and who had been on a relevant court order for 3 months or more.	Survey	Out-of-home care survey national dataset 2015 Data Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/630619 (METEOR 630619)	The views of children and young people in out-of- home care: overview of indicator results from a pilot national survey 2015 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/child-protection/views-of-children-young-people-oohc-2015/summary	child.protection@aihw.gov.au	
National Survey of Lead in Children 1995	The National Survey of Lead in Children 1995 was a survey of blood lead concentrations from a nationally representative sample of children aged between 12 and 60 months. The survey was administered in homes and included the collection of blood samples from children, water, house dust and soil samples from these homes, and the administration of a questionnaire to parents. The data collection contains records for 2,886 households and 3,542 children.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status	1/02/1995	31/03/1995	National	Publications, there are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	The National Survey of Lead in Children 1995 was a survey of blood lead concentrations from a nationally representative sample of children aged between 12 and 60 months. The survey was administered in homes and included the collection of blood samples from children, water, house dust and soil samples from these homes, and the administration of a questionnaire to parents. The data collection contains records for 2,886 households and 3,542 children.	Survey		Publication: https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/child-protection/liacr-on-the-national-survey-of-lead-in-children/contents/table-of-contents	healthpreventiondata@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
Online Services Report (OSR) for First Nations – specific primary health care	The OSR is reported by organisations receiving funding under the Australian Government's Indigenous Australians' Health Programme (IAHP) to deliver comprehensive and culturally appropriate primary health care services to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander (First Nations) people. It contains contextual information about each organisation	Age group (if D.O.B. not available); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; Address; RA	1/07/2008	30/06/2025	National and State; Other	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data	Data on the over 200 organisations funded under the Australian Government's Indigenous Australians' Health Programme (IAHP). Organisations reporting to the OSR collection may see a mix of First Nations and non- Indigenous clients. Data for both First	Survey	Information on the OSR collection and data quality statements for each collection period are available on METEOR. https://meteor.aihw.go	The latest available data from the OSR collection can be found at: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander specific primary health care: results from the nKPI and OSR collections, About - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au)	osrhelpdesk@aihw.gov.au	

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	as well as aggregate counts of number of clients, episodes of care and FTEs. Prior to 2018-19, the OSR also included data collected from organisations funded by then Department of Health and/or the Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet (function now sitting within the National Indigenous Australians Agency (NIAA)) to provide one or more of the following health services to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people: primary health care; maternal and child health care (between 2012-13 and 2017-18); social and emotional wellbeing services; and substance-use services.					provider approval (charges apply), Unit records are not available	Nations and non-Indigenous clients are included in the OSR collection. Not all clients included in the OSR collection are regular clients of the organisations.		v.au/content/801548 (METEOR 801548)	https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/indigenous-australians/indigenous-primary-health-care-results-osr-nkpi/contents/about Other AIHW products that focus specifically on First Nations people can be found at: First Nations people. https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/population-groups/indigenous-australians/overview Information on the Department of Health, Disability and Ageing's Health Data Portal can be found at: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health reporting https://www.health.gov.au/topics/aboriginal-and-torres-strait-islander-health/reporting?utm_source=health.gov.au&utm_medium=callout-auto-custom&utm_campaign=digital_transformation Australian Government Department of Health, Disability and Ageing https://www.health.gov.au/topics/aboriginal-and-torres-strait-islander-health/reporting?utm_source=health.gov.au&utm_medium=callout-auto-custom&utm_campaign=digital_transformation		
Perinatal Mental Health pilot (PMHp)	The Perinatal Mental Health pilot (PMHp) is a novel collection of de-identified antenatal and postnatal mental health data about mothers and other parents collected from public hospitals and maternal and child family health clinics. It includes patients' self-reported responses to a range of clinical tools. Data is sourced from the Centre of Perinatal Excellence's (COPE) iCOPE digital perinatal mental health screening platform and data supplied directly from state and territory health departments.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status	1/07/2019		Other	Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply); Unit records are not available; There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	Data is collected from the Centre of Perinatal Excellence (COPE) iCOPE digital perinatal mental health screening platform, and data supplied directly from state and territory health departments. This first phase of the data collection only covers a segment of the antenatal and postnatal mental health screening occurring in Australia.	Admin data; Survey		iCOPE Digital Screening -COPE https://www.cope.org.au/health-professionals/icope-digital-screening/ Perinatal mental health screening in Australia https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/mothers-babies/perinatal-mental-health-screening-australia/contents/data-opportunities	Perinatal_MH@aihw.gov.au	Yes – Restricted access
Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme (PBS) data collection	The Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme (PBS) data collection contains information on prescription medicines that qualify for a benefit under the National Health Act 1953 and for which a claim has been processed. The database comprises information about PBS scripts and payments, patients, prescribers and dispensing pharmacies. AIHW has access to a view of the data held by the Australian Government Department of Health, Disability and Ageing for approved studies, including data linkage projects (see AIHW Data Integration Services Centre). The dataset is owned and managed by the Department of Health, Disability and Ageing. The Department has issued a Public Interest	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender	1/02/1984		National	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics. Unit records are not available; There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of data in this holding.	PBS claims data are an administrative by-product of Services Australia administration of the subsidised prescription payment system. PBS prescriptions are available to all Australian residents who hold a current Medicare card and overseas visitors from countries with which Australia has a Reciprocal Health Care Agreement (RHCA).	Admin data	Not specifically available for this data collection, however, the metadata prepared for the 2013-14 extract may be useful to users of the data. https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/602524 (METEOR 602524)	PBS online website (Department of Health, Disability and Ageing) https://www.pbs.gov.au/pbs/home	mbs.pbs@aihw.gov.au	Yes – Restricted access

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	Certificate approving AIHW access to PBS claims and under co-payment data for research and statistical purposes.											
Practice Incentives Program Quality Improvement Eligible Data Set	The PIP Eligible Data Set consists of de-identified aggregate primary care data on specific Improvement Measures collected and shared by 31 Primary Health Networks (PHNs). The de-identified data is analysed and reported at both regional and national levels to inform broader public health policy, strategic planning and service delivery. The findings of the PIP Eligible Data Set supports the implementation, management, and ongoing development of the PIPQI Incentive program. The data set provides valuable insight into the improvement in quality of primary care and patient outcomes across key health priority areas. It also plays a vital role in informing and shaping regional health care planning and service delivery, and national health policies.	Age group (if D.O.B. not available); Sex/gender	1/07/2020		National; Other	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Unit records are not available, There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	The PIP Eligible Data Set only includes de-identified aggregate data on specified Improvement Measures. It is collected and provided by 31 Primary Health Networks (PHNs; non- Government organisations) from around 5,695 general practices participating in the PIP QI Incentive program across all PHNs. Any other data shared by a general practice with a third party falls outside the scope of this Framework. Public reporting includes QIM specific proportions, numerators and denominators at national and PHN levels. For more information on the data scope and Quality Improvement Measures, please refer to the 'External links and information' section.	Admin data	Latest data quality statement https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/primary-health-care/pipqi-measures-2024-25/contents/technical-notes/data-collection	Practice Incentives Program Quality Improvement Incentive - Australian Government Department of Health, Disability and Ageing https://www.health.gov.au/our-work/practice-incentives-program-quality-improvement-incentive	PIPQI@aihw.gov.au	
Primary Mental Health Care Minimum Dataset Database	The Primary Mental Health Care Minimum Data Set (PMHC MDS) is collected by Public Health Networks (PHNs) to support commissioning of mental health and suicide prevention services, and provide the basis for PHNs and DoHDA to monitor and report on the quantity and quality of service delivery.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status	26/10/2018	25/10/2023	National	There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.		Admin data	PMHC MDS Data Specification — PMHC MDS Data Specification 1.0.13 documentation (pmhc-mds.com) https://docs.pmhc-mds.com/projects/data-specification/en/v1/index.html		info@aihw.gov.au	Yes – Restricted access
Private Hospital Data Bureau (PHDB) data collection	The PHDB data collection is a legislated data collection of de-identified information for all separations in private hospitals and day facilities. The data is collected and then submitted to the Department of Health, Disability and Ageing, who in turn supplies de-identified information on all private hospital separations to the AIHW.	Sex/gender	1/07/2010	30/06/2021	National and State	There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	The PHDB data collection contains de-identified information on all private hospital separations, including patient demographics, hospital episode, clinical information, and hospital charges for all patients in private hospitals and day facilities.	Admin data	PHDB data specifications https://www.health.gov.au/topics/hospital-care/our-role/phdb-data?utm_source=health.gov.au&utm_medium=callout-auto-custom&utm_campaign=digital_transformation	PHDB data specifications https://www.health.gov.au/topics/hospital-care/our-role/phdb-data?utm_source=health.gov.au&utm_medium=callout-auto-custom&utm_campaign=digital_transformation	hospitaldata@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
Private Rent Assistance data (PRA) collection	The PRA data collection captures information about the recipients of PRA and instances of PRA assistance. PRA is administered by each state/territory housing authority and provides a range of financial assistance to enable eligible households to access and maintain accommodation in the private rental market. Since 1997–98, the AIHW has compiled PRA data from states and territories annually. The data help to describe the performance of the current National Housing and Homelessness Agreement and the former National Affordable Housing Agreement and Commonwealth- State Housing Agreement. The data collection has evolved over time, including changes to data collection scope,	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status	1/07/1997		National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and	Relates to the provision of financial assistance to enable households to access and maintain accommodation in the private rental market. Includes: bond loans, rental grants, rental subsidies, relocation expenses and other assistance grants. Excludes: • non-financial assistance, for example, tenancy support services and tenancy guarantees • any expense incurred in providing assistance to a household that is not the value of the financial assistance received directly by the household.	Admin data	Private Rent Assistance Data Set Specification https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/596529 (METEOR 596529) Private Rent Assistance Data Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/788960 (METEOR 788960)	Housing assistance in Australia https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/housing-assistance/overview Australia's welfare https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/australias-welfare	housing@aihw.gov. au	

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	procedures, data items collected and underlying definitions and concepts.					territories (charges may apply)., There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.						
Public dental waiting times NMDS	The PDWT NMDS enables reporting on the length of time that patients wait for public dental care in Australia, and the characteristics of patients who receive care or who were listed for care in a reference period.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; SEIFA	1/07/2013	30/06/2024	NSW; VIC; QLD; WA; SA; TAS; ACT; NT	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	The scope of the data collection is all people eligible for their state or territory public dental scheme, who were aged 18 years or over when they were placed on a general or prosthetic public dentistry waiting list for the purpose of receiving treatment. The data collection includes: · all people specified above with a listing date for dental care within the collection period · all people specified above with a date of offer of dental care within the collection period · all people specified above with a date of first dental visit within the collection period. The data collection excludes: · people who access their local public dental clinic but pay full price and are not eligible for their state or territory's public dental service · people who are treated under jurisdictional priority client schemes (which can be the majority of clients treated in some jurisdictions). · treatments which do not result in removal from a waiting list, such as: - relief of pain that does not satisfy other dental treatment needs - emergency treatment that does not satisfy other dental treatment needs.	Admin data	Public Dental Waiting Times data source entry https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/638822 (METEOR 638822)	A discussion of public dental waiting times information in Australia: 2013–14 to 2016–17 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/dental-oral-health/discussion-of-public-dental-waiting-times/summary The AIHW publishes PDWT NMDS data in its Oral health and dental care in Australia publication. https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/dental-oral-health/oral-health-and-dental-care-in-australia/contents/dental-care Data are also published in the Report on government services series: https://www.pc.gov.au/ongoing/report-on-government-services	dental@aihw.gov.au	
Public Housing (PH) and State Owned and Managed Indigenous Housing (SOMIH) data collection	The PH and SOMIH data collection captures information about PH and SOMIH dwellings and the tenants assisted. Public housing encompasses the publicly owned or leased dwellings funded and administered by state and territory governments. State owned and managed Indigenous housing is administered by state and territory governments and is specifically targeted to Indigenous households (a household with at least 1 Indigenous member). Currently SOMIH operates in New South Wales, Queensland, South Australia, Tasmania, and the Northern Territory. The PH and SOMIH data collection has evolved over time. Changes have occurred to the data collection scope, procedures, data items and underlying definitions and concepts.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; Statistical Linkage Key	1/07/1995		National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply)., There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this	Includes information about PH and SOMIH dwellings and households residing in PH and SOMIH dwellings where the dwelling is: • owned by the housing authority • leased from the private sector or other housing program areas and used for provision of PH and SOMIH programs. Excludes information about PH and SOMIH dwellings and households residing in PH and SOMIH dwellings where the dwelling is: • owned by the state/territory housing authority but leased to other program areas, such as community housing or crisis and emergency accommodation programs, • no longer under the administration of the state/territory housing authority at 30 June (including dwellings demolished, sold or disposed of), and • not yet available to the state/territory housing authority at 30 June, (for example, those under construction or being purchased).	Admin data	PH & SOMIH Data Set Specification https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/711016 (METEOR 711016) Public Housing Data Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/788966 METEOR 788966) SOMIH Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/788968 (METEOR 788968)	Housing assistance in Australia https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/housing-assistance/overview Report on government services https://www.pc.gov.au/ongoing/report-on-government-services Australia's welfare https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/australias-welfare	housing@aihw.gov. au	

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Quality in Australian Health Care Study (QAHCS) Reanalysed Database	QAHCS comprised a review of medical records of over 14,000 admissions in Australian hospitals in 1992, and estimation of the proportion of hospital separations associated with adverse events. For the purposes of the study, an adverse event was defined as an unintended injury or complication which results in disability, death or prolonged hospital stay, and is caused by health care management (rather than the patient's disease). Data on each adverse event identified in the review is contained in the database including information on the nature of the harm experienced by the patient and its consequences, and information on the circumstances in which the harm occurred.		1/01/1992	31/12/1992	NSW; SA	Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	QAHCS involved review of hospital medical records for 14,179 admissions to 28 hospitals in New South Wales and South Australia in 1992.	Admin data; Survey			hospitaldata@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
Radiotherapy waiting times National Minimum Data Set	The National Radiotherapy Waiting Times Database is a collation of records related to courses of radiotherapy that began in a reference period. The data collected includes administrative details, patient demographic characteristics and some clinical information. The database was primarily designed to enable reporting of waiting times for radiotherapy services which are calculated as the time between the patient's ready-for-care date and the date of the first megavoltage external beam radiotherapy treatment.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; SA2	1/07/2015	30/06/2019	National and State	Publications	Establishments in scope are those healthcare establishments that provide megavoltage external beam radiotherapy treatment (in-scope radiotherapy treatment). Both public and private establishments are in scope. While it is mandatory for public establishments to report data to the national minimum data set (NMDS), private providers are also encouraged to participate.	Admin data; Official	Data source with links to all NMDS, DSS, and DQS: https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/598445 (METEOR 598445)	Radiotherapy in Australia 2018–19, Introduction - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au) Radiotherapy in Australia 2017-18 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/cancer/radiotherapy-in-australia-2017-18/contents/introduction Radiotherapy in Australia 2016-17 https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/hospitals/radiotherapy-in-australia-2016-17/contents/summary	injury@aihw.gov.au	Yes – Restricted access
Risk Factor Prevalence Survey Data Collection	There were three Risk Factor Prevalence Surveys (RFPS) run in 1980, 1983 and 1989. These surveys gathered information about the prevalence of heart disease risk factors in adult Australians living in State and Territory capital cities. The surveys gathered self-reported health and demographic information, measured height, weight and blood pressure and collected blood samples for analysis. In all three surveys the blood samples were tested for total cholesterol, HDL cholesterol and triglyceride levels. For the 1989 survey additional analysis of the blood samples was carried out to test blood iron, ferritin and transferrin levels.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender	1/05/1980	1/06/1989	National	Publications, there are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	For the 1980 and 1983 survey participants were adults aged 25- 64 years randomly selected from the electoral roll and recruited from defined catchment areas in the 6 State capitals. Canberra and Darwin were excluded. For the 1989 survey participants were adults aged 20-69 years recruited from defined catchment areas in the 6 State capitals, as well as Canberra and Darwin.	Survey		Australian Data Archive data holding: Risk Factor Prevalence Study Dataverse https://dataverse.ada.edu.au/dataverse.xhtml?a lias=rfps	healthpreventiondata@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access
Specialist Homelessness Services Collection (SHSC)	The SHSC collects information about people who are referred to, or seek assistance from, specialist homelessness services (SHS) agencies. These services collect the data on an ongoing basis and are responsible for submitting the data to the AIHW on a monthly basis. There are two parts to the SHSC — a Client collection and an Unassisted Persons collection. • The Client collection captures information on adults and children who receive a service from an SHS agency. • The Unassisted Person collection is used to gain information about adults and children whose request for service is not able to be met by an SHS agency.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status; RA; SA2; SA3; SA4; Statistical Linkage Key	1/07/2011		National and State	Publications, Data cubes, Summary tables published in electronic form, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply)., There are restrictions and limitations	Client collection - The base unit is a person who presents to an SHS agency requesting services. A person becomes a 'client' once they receive a service(s). A 'support period' is the period of time a client receives assistance from a SHS agency. It relates to the provision of a service and/or supported accommodation. During a support period, a range of services additional to supported accommodation can be provided. Detail on types of services provided is also available. Unassisted persons collection - Comprises information on the number of instances where a person received no immediate services from a SHS agency. Details of all agencies participating in the SHSC are on the Specialist Homelessness Establishment Database file. Information is submitted to the AIHW monthly.	Admin data	Specialist Homelessness Services Collection NMDS 2019 https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/689064 (METEOR 689064) Specialist Homelessness Services Collection, 2022–23; Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/782270 (METEOR 782270) Specialist Homelessness Services Collection training & resources https://www.aihw.gov.au/about-our-data/our-data-collections/specialist-	Specialist Homelessness Services reports https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/homelessness-services/reports Specialist Homelessness Services data cubes https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/homelessness-services/shsc-data-cubes/contents/about Report on government services https://www.pc.gov.au/ongoing/report-on-government-services Australia's welfare https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/australias-welfare	homelessnessdata@aihw.gov.au	

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						governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.			homelessness-services-collection/training-resources			
Supported Accommodation Assistance Program Data Collection	The Specialist Homelessness Services Collection (SHSC) replaced the SAAP National Data Collection (NDC) on 1 July 2011. For key differences between the SAAP NDC and SHSC, see Appendix D of Specialist Homelessness Services 2011– 12 (AIHW website). The SAAP NDC provided nationally consistent information on SAAP clients and services from July 1996 to June 2011. It was jointly funded by Commonwealth, state and territory governments and comprised three main collections: • Client collection – the main component, captured socio- demographic information about clients receiving support under SAAP, services required by and provided to each client, and client circumstances before and after receiving support. • Demand for accommodation collection – which operated over a 1-week period, twice yearly. It captured information about the number of people who requested accommodation at SAAP agencies, which requests were met, and reasons for this. • Administrative collection – collated from information obtained by state and territory government departments in the course of administering the SAAP program. It captured descriptive information about SAAP agencies. • The following special issues collections were also undertaken as part of the SAAP NDC: • Casual client collection – discontinued from the SAAP NDC in June 2005 when the definitions of client and support period were changed so that many people previously counted as casual clients would be counted in the Client collection from 1 July 2005. • Accompanying child in SAAP collection – collected information about the children who accompanied an adult and received assistance under SAAP between 21 May and 30 June 1998. • Income issues collection – collected information on SAAP clients with no/very low income. It was conducted from May to June 2000. A number of methodological changes to the SAAP NDC occurred over time. Refinements to data items introduced in July each year are summarised in the annual reports for the data collection, available from the AIHW website. In particular, in 2005–06 a Core Data Set was introduced (collecting fewer data items, introducing a new statistical linkage key and incorporating changes to some definitions) and from 2000–01, the Client Collection captured demographic and support information for each child requiring assistance. The AIHW continues to hold data collected	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status	1/07/1996	30/06/2011	National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Statistics, Client specified tables on request which may be subject to data provider approval (charges apply), Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply)., There are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	The scope of SAAP NDC data varied by collection component and over time. For more information, refer to the annual reports for the data collection, available from the AIHW website.	Admin data	Client Collection National Minimum Data Set https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/339019 (METEOR 339019) Demand for Accommodation National Minimum Data Set https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/336748 (METEOR 336748) Administrative National Minimum Data Set https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/336310 (METEOR 336310)	Homelessness reports https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports-data/health-welfare-services/homelessness-services/reports	homelessnessdata@aihw.gov.au	

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	through the following surveys of SAAP agencies conducted by the AIHW outside of the SAAP NDC: • High and complex needs census (June 2008). • Youth homelessness pilot programme collection (1 July 1997 to 31 December 1999). • NSW access and exiting project collection (23 August to 1 September 2002). • Access to SAAP data collected outside of the SAAP NDC is restricted.											
Survey of Occupational Exposures Among Trained ADF Personnel	The Survey of Occupational Exposures Among Trained ADF Personnel was undertaken between October 2021 and May 2022 in Australia to investigate, through an anonymous cross-sectional survey, the self-reported recent occupational exposures of trained personnel serving in selected occupations of the ADF permanent force to specific factors associated with increased risk of developing a range of health conditions.	Age (Date of birth)			National		The Survey data set comprises a potentially valuable source of data for future research on: 1. The self-reported types and levels of occupational exposure of trained personnel serving in a range of roles to specific factors known to be associated with increased risk of individuals developing a variety of health conditions; 2. Incidence rates and body sites of self-reported musculoskeletal injuries (by level of severity) and external burns among trained personnel serving in a range of roles; 3. Prevalence rates, durations and constancy of self- reported tinnitus symptoms among trained personnel serving in a range of roles; and 4. The range of chemical exposures reported by trained personnel serving in a variety of roles.	Survey			vhw@aihw.gov.au	
The establishment of national databases for registered health professionals	A national database for registered health professionals under the National Registration and Accreditation Scheme (NRAS) (est 2010). Temporal coverage to 2012.	Demographics, employment characteristics, primary work location and work activity	1/01/2011	31/12/2012	National; other	Publications, there are restrictions and limitations governing the availability or use of other data in this holding.	This dataset presents comprehensive insights into the demographics, employment characteristics, primary work locations, and work activities of professionals who renewed their registration through the National Registration and Accreditation Scheme (NRAS). It represents the initial release of data under this system for selected professions. The dataset combines registration data—including demographic information—provided by the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA), with workforce data collected through a profession-specific survey. Although the survey instrument has undergone notable changes from previous versions, it now provides a consistent and standardised approach across all regions nationally.	Survey and Registration data	A data dictionary is available on request National Health Workforce Data Set METEOR: Dental workforce 2011 DQS https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/510981 (METEOR 510981) Medical practitioners. 2010 DQS https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/480086 (METEOR 480086) Medical practitioners 2011 DQS https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/510913 (METEOR 510913) Allied health practitioners 2012 DQS https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/537731 (METEOR 537731)	Publications Medical workforce 2011 (full publication; 9 Apr 2013 edition) (AIHW) https://www.aihw.gov.au/getmedia/36667d5d-05ce-4ca6-a624-7849339e7347/14395.pdf?v=20230605180835&inline=true Dental workforce 2011, Summary - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/workforce/dental-workforce-2011/contents/summary Nursing and midwifery workforce 2011 - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/workforce/nursing-and-midwifery-workforce-2011/contents/publication Nursing and midwifery workforce 2012, Data - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/workforce/nursing-and-midwifery-workforce-2012/data Allied health workforce 2012, Summary - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare https://www.aihw.gov.au/reports/workforce/allied-health-workforce-2012/summary	workforce@aihw.gov.au	Yes - Restricted access

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Your Experience of Service survey Database (Mental Health)	Survey data where consumers rate their experience of service on several domains.	Age (Date of birth); Sex/gender; Indigenous status	1/07/2015		National and State	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form	State and territory public sector specialised mental health services.	Survey	Your Experience of Service National Best Endeavours Data Set 2019– (aihw.gov.au) https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/738452 (METEOR ID 738452)	Mental health services in Australia, Consumer perspectives of mental health care - Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (aihw.gov.au) https://www.aihw.gov.au/mental-health/topic-areas/safety-quality/consumer-rated-experience	mentalhealth@aihw.gov.au	
Youth Justice	The Youth Justice National Minimum Data Set (YJ NMDS) is an annual collection of information on young people under youth justice supervision in Australia. It contains data on all supervised orders (both community based and detention) relating to young people under youth justice supervision.	Indigenous status	1/07/2000	30/06/2023	National	Publications, Summary tables published in electronic form, Restricted unit record access subject to Ethics Committee approval and/or the agreement of all relevant data custodians in all states and territories (charges may apply).	All young people under youth justice supervision throughout Australia from July 2000	Admin data	Youth Justice DSS 2020– (aihw.gov.au) https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/743989 (METEOR 743989)	Youth Justice in Australia 2022-23 https://aihw.gov.au/reports/youth-justice/youth-justice-in-australia-annual-report-2022-23/contents/about Youth Justice NMDS 2022-23: Quality Statement https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/787207 (METEOR 787207)	youth.justice@aihw.gov.au	