

National Healthcare Agreement: P06-Proportion of adults who are daily smokers, 2010

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Indicator
Indicator type:	Indicator
Short name:	Proportion of adults who are daily smokers, 2010
METEOR identifier:	394181
Registration status:	Health! , Superseded 08/06/2011
Description:	Proportion of adults who are daily smokers. A 'daily smoker' is defined as someone who currently smokes cigarettes (manufactured or roll-your-own) or equivalent tobacco product every day.
Indicator set:	National Healthcare Agreement (2010) Health! , Superseded 08/06/2011
Outcome area:	Prevention Health! , Standard 07/07/2010
Data quality statement:	National Healthcare Agreement: P06-Proportion of adults who are daily smokers, 2010 QS Health! , Superseded 12/03/2015

Collection and usage attributes

Population group age from:	Persons aged 18 years or over.
Computation description:	Rates are directly age-standardised to the Australian population as at 30 June 2001. Excludes smokers who have not consumed 100 cigarettes or the equivalent amount of tobacco in their lifetime, and people who have not smoked in the past 12 months. Scope of collections limited to persons usually resident in private dwellings. Persons usually resident in non-private dwellings such as hotels, motels, hospitals, nursing homes and short-stay caravan parks were not included in the surveys. Estimates for non-Indigenous people estimates exclude those living in very remote areas of Australia.
Computation:	$100 \times (\text{Numerator} \div \text{Denominator})$
Numerator:	Number of persons aged 18 years or over who smoke tobacco every day

Numerator data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

Person—tobacco smoking status

Data Source

[ABS 2008 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey \(NATSISS\)](#)

Guide for use

Data source type: Survey

Data Element / Data Set

Person—tobacco smoking status

Data Source

[ABS 2007-08 National Health Survey \(NHS\)](#)

Guide for use

Data source type: Survey

Denominator:

Population aged 18 years or over

Denominator data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

Person—age

Data Source

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Person—age

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Disaggregation data elements:

Data Element / Data Set

Person—area of usual residence

Data Source

[ABS 2008 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey \(NATSISS\)](#)

Guide for use

Data source type: Survey
Used for disaggregation by state/territory, remoteness area and SEIFA of residence

Data Element / Data Set

Person—area of usual residence

Data Source

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Data source type: Survey
Used for disaggregation by state/territory, remoteness area and SEIFA of residence

Comments:

Specified disaggregation: State/territory: by Indigenous status, remoteness area and SEIFA of residence

Available disaggregation: State/territory: by Indigenous status, remoteness area and SEIFA of residence

Data for 2008-09: Some states may have data available in 2010.

Most recent data available for 2010 CRC baseline report: 2007-08 (NHS), 2008 (NATSISS)

Representational attributes

Representation class: Percentage

Data type: Real

Unit of measure: Person

Format: N[NN].N

Indicator conceptual framework

Framework and dimensions: [Health behaviours](#)

Data source attributes

Data sources:**Data Source**

[ABS 2008 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey \(NATSISS\)](#)

Frequency

Every 6 years.

Data custodian

Australian Bureau of Statistics

Data Source

[ABS 2007-08 National Health Survey \(NHS\)](#)

Frequency

Every 3 years

Data custodian

Australian Bureau of Statistics

Accountability attributes

Reporting requirements: National Healthcare Agreement

Organisation responsible for providing data: Australian Bureau of Statistics

Benchmark: [National Healthcare Agreement](#)

By 2018, reduce the national smoking rate to ten per cent of the population and halve the Indigenous smoking rate.

[NPA on Preventive Health](#)

15(g): Reduction in state baseline for proportion of adults smoking daily commensurate with a two percentage point reduction in smoking from 2007 national baseline by 2011; 3.5 percentage point reduction from 2007 national baseline by 2013.

Further data development / collection required: Specification: Long-term
Mechanisms for reporting annually in between surveys are being explored. There is scope for improved capacity in jurisdictions depending on the implementation plan for the National Partnership Agreement on Preventive Health.

Other issues caveats: Quality statements should note that data from non-private dwellings (e.g. hospitals, prisons, nursing homes) are excluded from household surveys.
Some disaggregations may be too small for publication.

Source and reference attributes

Steward: [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](#)

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Has been superseded by [National Healthcare Agreement: P106-Proportion of adults who are daily smokers, 2011](#)

[Health!](#), Superseded 30/10/2011

See also [National Healthcare Agreement: P05-Proportion of persons obese, 2010](#)

[Health!](#), Superseded 08/06/2011

See also [National Healthcare Agreement: P07-Proportion of adults at risk of long-term harm from alcohol, 2010](#)

[Health!](#), Superseded 08/06/2011

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See also [National Indigenous Reform Agreement: P04-Rates of current daily smokers, 2010](#)

[Community Services \(retired\)](#), Superseded 04/04/2011