Service provider organisation—number of intercountry adoption clients, total N[NN]

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Number of intercountry adoption clients |
| METEOR identifier: | 475546 |
| Registration status: | [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 20/05/2013 |
| Definition: | The total number of intercountry adoption applicants who became official clients of a service provider organisation. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Service provider organisation—number of intercountry adoption clients](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/475535)  |
| Value Domain: | [Number N[NN]](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/315198) |

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| Value domain attributes |
| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Total |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N[NN] |
| Maximum character length: | 3 |

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| Data element attributes  |
| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | A count of the applicants who became official clients of the adoptions section of the relevant state/territory department within the reporting period. An applicant can be a married couple, a de facto couple or a single person. The method by which the applicant becomes an official client will vary for each jurisdiction, and may be when the department first opens a file, when the applicant registers, or when they are invited to attend an information session.Applicants who are already a client of the department but are applying to adopt a subsequent child, or reapplying to adopt, should be counted as applicants applying for the first time. |
| Relational attributes |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Service provider organisation—intercountry adoption client, total number N[NN]](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/651409)[Children and Families](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Superseded 03/11/2021 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Adoptions DSS 2011-13](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/467027)[Community Services (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 20/05/2013***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2011***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2013[Adoptions DSS 2013-14](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/564723)[Community Services (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Recorded 20/03/2014***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2013***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2016 |