

# Peer worker

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

**Metadata item type:** Glossary Item

**METEOR identifier:** 481073

**Registration status:** [Health!](#), Standard 13/11/2014

**Definition:** A person who is employed (or engaged via contract), either part-time or full-time, on the basis of their lived experience, to provide support to people experiencing a similar situation.

## Relational attributes

**Metadata items which use  
this glossary item:**

- [Care coordination mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Counselling—face-to-face mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Counselling, support, information and referral—online mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Counselling, support, information and referral—telephone mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Education, employment and training mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Family and carer support mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Full-time equivalent paid peer worker staff](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Group support activities mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Individual advocacy mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Mental health non-government organisation establishments NBEDS 2015-](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Mental health promotion mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Mental illness prevention mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Mutual support and self-help mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Personalised support—linked to housing mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Personalised support—other mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Sector development and representation mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Self-help—online mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Service integration infrastructure mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Service provider organisation—full-time equivalent staff paid peer workers](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Service provider organisation—full-time equivalent staff paid peer workers, average NNNN.NN](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014
- [Staffed residential services mental health service type cluster](#)  
Health!, Standard 13/11/2014