

# **National Healthcare Agreement: PB e—Better health: by 2018, reduce the national smoking rate to 10 per cent of the population and halve the Indigenous smoking rate over the 2009 baseline, 2021**

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Indicator
<b>Indicator type:</b>	Indicator
<b>Short name:</b>	PB e–By 2018, reduce the national smoking rate to 10 per cent of the population and halve the Indigenous smoking rate, 2021
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	725834
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 03/07/2020
<b>Description:</b>	Proportion of adults who are current daily smokers.
<b>Indicator set:</b>	<a href="#">National Healthcare Agreement (2021)</a> <a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 19/11/2020
<b>Outcome area:</b>	<a href="#">Prevention</a> <a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 07/07/2010

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Population group age from:</b>	18 years
<b>Computation description:</b>	Daily smoking: Currently smokes tobacco, including one or more manufactured (packet) cigarettes, roll-your-own cigarettes, cigars or pipes, per day. This excludes chewing tobacco, electronic cigarettes (and similar), nicotine patches and smoking of non-tobacco products.  Rates are directly age-standardised to the 2001 Australian population.  Presented as a percentage.  95% confidence intervals and relative standard errors calculated for rates.
<b>Computation:</b>	$100 \times (\text{Numerator} \div \text{Denominator})$
<b>Numerator:</b>	Number of persons aged 18 and over who are a current daily smoker

**Numerator data elements:**

**Data Element / Data Set**

Person—age

**Data Source**

[ABS 2018-19 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey \(NATSIHS\)](#)

**Guide for use**

Data source type: Survey

**Data Element / Data Set**

Person—tobacco smoking status

**Data Source**

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**Guide for use**

Data source type: Survey

**Data Element / Data Set**

Person—age

**Data Source**

[ABS 2017–18 National Health Survey \(NHS\) and Survey of Income and Housing \(SIH\) pooled data set \(NHIH\)](#)

**Guide for use**

Data source type: Survey

**Data Element / Data Set**

Person—tobacco smoking status

**Data Source**

[ABS 2017–18 National Health Survey \(NHS\) and Survey of Income and Housing \(SIH\) pooled data set \(NHIH\)](#)

**Guide for use**

Data source type: Survey

**Denominator:**

Population aged 18 and over

**Denominator data elements:**

**Data Element / Data Set**

Person—age

**Data Source**

[ABS 2018-19 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey \(NATSIHS\)](#)

**Guide for use**

Data source type: Survey

**Data Element / Data Set**

Person—age

**Data Source**

[ABS 2017–18 National Health Survey \(NHS\) and Survey of Income and Housing \(SIH\) pooled data set \(NHIH\)](#)

**Guide for use**

Data source type: Survey

**Disaggregation:**

State and territory, by Indigenous status.

Some disaggregation may result in numbers too small for publication.

**Disaggregation data elements:**

**Data Element / Data Set**

Person—area of usual residence

**Data Source**

[ABS 2018-19 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey \(NATSIHS\)](#)

**Guide for use**

Data source type: Survey  
Used for disaggregation by state/territory

**Data Element / Data Set**

Person—area of usual residence

**Data Source**

[ABS 2017–18 National Health Survey \(NHS\) and Survey of Income and Housing \(SIH\) pooled data set \(NHIH\)](#)

**Guide for use**

Data source type: Survey  
Used for disaggregation by state/territory

**Data Element / Data Set**

Person—Indigenous status

**Data Source**

[ABS 2017–18 National Health Survey \(NHS\) and Survey of Income and Housing \(SIH\) pooled data set \(NHIH\)](#)

**Guide for use**

Data source type: Survey

**Comments:** Most recent data available for 2021 National Healthcare Agreement performance reporting: 2017–18 (total population, non-Indigenous: NHIH); 2018–19 (Indigenous only: NATSIHS).

NO NEW DATA FOR 2021 REPORTING

Baseline: 2007–08 (total population); 2008 (Indigenous status).

National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey (NATSISS) or National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (NATSIHS)/Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (AATSIHS) data may be used for analysis, dependent upon which survey is most recent.

Data for non-Indigenous people are from a pooled data set — the NHIH. For the 2017–18 NHS cycle, the smoking questionnaire module was used in both the NHS and the 2017–18 SIH to produce a larger sample size for more accurate smoker status estimates.

While the NHIH was a national sample, the sample size for the Indigenous population was too small to allow for reliable estimates for the Indigenous population. Thus, for Indigenous and non-Indigenous comparisons, data for the non-Indigenous population are obtained from the NHIH (2017–18) while data for the Indigenous population are obtained from the NATSIHS (2018–19). The non-Indigenous data are obtained by subtracting information pertaining to the Indigenous population from the NHIH.

## 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 2018-19 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey \(NATSIHS\)](#)

**Data custodian**

Australian Bureau of Statistics

### Data Source

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## Accountability attributes

**Reporting requirements:** National Healthcare Agreement

**Organisation responsible for providing data:** Australian Bureau of Statistics

**Benchmark:** National Healthcare Agreement Performance Benchmark:

By 2018, reduce the national smoking rate to 10% of the population and halve the Indigenous smoking rate, over the 2009 baseline.

Refer [National Healthcare Agreement 2012](#).

**Further data development / collection required:** Specification: Final, the measure meets the intention of the indicator.

## Source and reference attributes

**Reference documents:** Council of Australian Governments 2012. National Healthcare Agreement (effective 25 July 2012). Viewed 5 May 2020, [http://www.federalfinancialrelations.gov.au/content/npa/health/\\_archive/healthcare\\_national-agreement.pdf](http://www.federalfinancialrelations.gov.au/content/npa/health/_archive/healthcare_national-agreement.pdf).

## Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:** Supersedes [National Healthcare Agreement: PB e–Better health: by 2018, reduce the national smoking rate to 10 per cent of the population and halve the Indigenous smoking rate over the 2009 baseline, 2020](#)  
[Health!](#), Standard 13/03/2020

Has been superseded by [National Healthcare Agreement: PB e–Better health: by 2018, reduce the national smoking rate to 10 per cent of the population and halve the Indigenous smoking rate over the 2009 baseline, 2022](#)  
[Health!](#), Standard 24/09/2021

See also [Australian Health Performance Framework: PI 1.2.1–Rates of current daily smokers, 2019](#)  
[Health!](#), Standard 09/04/2020

See also [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 04–Rates of current daily smokers, 2021](#)  
[Health!](#), Standard 03/07/2020