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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Indicator |
| Indicator type: | Indicator |
| Short name: | PB e–By 2018, reduce the national smoking rate to 10 per cent of the population and halve the Indigenous smoking rate, 2021 |
| METEOR identifier: | 725834 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 03/07/2020 |
| Description: | Proportion of adults who are current daily smokers. |
| Indicator set: | [National Healthcare Agreement (2021)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/725844)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 19/11/2020 |
| Outcome area: | [Prevention](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/393136)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 07/07/2010 |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Population group age from: | 18 years |
| Computation description: | 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. |
| Computation: | 100 × (Numerator ÷ Denominator) |
| Numerator: | 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)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/719848)  **Guide for use**  Data source type: Survey    **Data Element / Data Set**  Person—tobacco smoking status  **Data Source**  [ABS 2018-19 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (NATSIHS)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/719848)  **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)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/724604)  **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)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/724604)  **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)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/719848)  **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)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/724604)  **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)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/719848)  **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)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/724604)  **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)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/724604)  **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](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/392579) |
| Data source attributes | |
| Data sources: | **Data Source**  [ABS 2018-19 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (NATSIHS)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/719848)  **Data custodian**  Australian Bureau of Statistics    **Data Source**  [ABS 2017–18 National Health Survey (NHS) and Survey of Income and Housing (SIH) pooled data set (NHIH)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/724604)  **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 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](http://www.federalfinancialrelations.gov.au/content/npa/health/_archive/healthcare_national-agreement.pdf). |
| 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](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/716263)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), 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](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/740900)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 24/09/2021  See also [Australian Health Performance Framework: PI 1.2.1–Rates of current daily smokers, 2019](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/715271)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 09/04/2020  See also [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 04–Rates of current daily smokers, 2021](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/725822)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 03/07/2020 |