



# OECD Health Statistics 2016

## Definitions, Sources and Methods

Each title below links to a PDF document containing the full information on definition, sources and methods by indicator, as published in *OECD Health Statistics 2016* in OECD.Stat. Click to access the information. Direct access to the latest data is also provided.

### HEALTH STATUS (HEALTH\_STAT)

Access the dataset on Health Status in OECD.Stat: [http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH\\_STAT](http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH_STAT)

#### A Mortality

##### 1 Life expectancy

##### 2 Causes of mortality

##### 3 Maternal and Infant mortality

###### 3 1 Infant mortality

###### 3 2 Neonatal mortality

###### 3 3 Perinatal mortality

###### 3 4 Maternal mortality

##### 4 Potential years of life lost

#### B Morbidity

##### 5 Perceived health status

##### 6 Perceived health status by age and gender

##### 7 Perceived health status by socio-economic status

##### 8 Low birthweight

##### 9 Decayed-missing-filled teeth at age 12

##### 10 Communicable diseases

###### 10 1 AIDS

###### 10 2 Incidence of pertussis, measles and hepatitis B

##### 11 Cancer

##### 12 Injuries in road traffic accidents

##### 13 Absence from work due to illness Self-reported and Compensated

###### 13 1 Self-reported absence from work due to illness

###### 13 2 Compensated absence from work due to illness

## **NON-MEDICAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH (HEALTH\_LVNG)**

**Access the dataset on Non-Medical Determinants of Health in OECD.Stat:**

[http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH\\_LVNG](http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH_LVNG)

### **1 Tobacco consumption**

- [1 1 Tobacco consumption in grams per capita](#)
- [1 2 Average number of cigarettes per smoker per day](#)
- [1 3 Daily smokers](#)

### **2 Alcohol consumption in liters per capita**

### **3 Food supply and consumption**

- [3 1 Total fat supply](#)
- [3 2 Total calories supply and total protein supply](#)
- [3 3 Sugar supply](#)
- [3 4 Fruits and vegetables supply](#)
- [3 5 Consumption of fruits and vegetables, daily Survey data](#)

### **4 Overweight or obese population Self-reported and Measured data**

- [4 1 Overweight or obese population, Self-reported data](#)
- [4 2 Overweight or obese population, Measured data](#)

## **HEALTH CARE RESOURCES (HEALTH\_REAC)**

**Access the dataset on Health Care Resources in OECD.Stat:**

[http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH\\_REAC](http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH_REAC)

### **A Health Employment and Education**

#### **1 Total health and social employment**

#### **2 Physicians**

- [2 1 Practising physicians](#)
- [2 2 Professionally active physicians](#)
- [2 3 Physicians licensed to practice](#)

#### **3 Physicians by age group and by gender**

#### **4 Physicians by categories**

- [4 1 Generalist medical practitioners](#)
- [4 2 General practitioners](#)
- [4 3 Other generalist \(non-specialist\) medical practitioners](#)
- [4 4 Specialist medical practitioners](#)
- [4 5 General paediatricians](#)
- [4 6 Obstetricians and gynaecologists](#)
- [4 7 Psychiatrists](#)
- [4 8 Medical group of specialists](#)
- [4 9 Surgical group of specialists](#)
- [4 10 Other specialists not elsewhere classified](#)
- [4 11 Medical doctors not further defined](#)

#### **5 Midwives**

- [5 1 Practising midwives](#)
- [5 2 Professionally active midwives](#)
- [5 3 Midwives licensed to practice](#)

## **6 Nurses**

- [6 1 Practising nurses](#)
- [6 2 Professionally active nurses](#)
- [6 3 Nurses licensed to practice](#)
- [6 4 Professional nurses](#)
- [6 5 Associate professional nurses](#)

## **7 Caring personnel (Personal care workers)**

- [7 1 Practising caring personnel \(personal care workers\)](#)
- [7 2 Professionally active caring personnel \(personal care workers\)](#)

## **8 Dentists**

- [8 1 Practising dentists](#)
- [8 2 Professionally active dentists](#)
- [8 3 Dentists licensed to practice](#)

## **9 Pharmacists**

- [9 1 Practising pharmacists](#)
- [9 2 Professionally active pharmacists](#)
- [9 3 Pharmacists licensed to practice](#)

## **10 Physiotherapists**

## **11 Hospital employment**

- [11 1 Total hospital employment](#)
- [11 2 Physicians employed in hospitals](#)
- [11 3 Professional nurses and midwives employed in hospitals](#)
- [11 4 Associate professional nurses employed in hospitals](#)
- [11 5 Health care assistants employed in hospitals](#)
- [11 6 Other health service providers employed in hospitals](#)
- [11 7 Other staff employed in hospitals](#)

## **12 Graduates**

- [12 1 Medical graduates](#)
- [12 2 Dentists graduates](#)
- [12 3 Pharmacists graduates](#)
- [12 4 Midwives graduates](#)
- [12 5 Nursing graduates](#)
- [12 6 Professional nursing graduates](#)
- [12 7 Associate professional nursing graduates](#)

## **13 Remuneration of health professionals**

- [13 1 Remuneration of general practitioners](#)
- [13 2 Remuneration of specialists](#)
- [13 3 Remuneration of hospital nurses](#)

## **B Physical and Technical Resources**

## **14 Hospitals**

- [14 1 Hospitals](#)
- [14 2 Publicly-owned hospitals](#)
- [14 3 Not-for-profit privately owned hospitals](#)
- [14 4 For-profit privately owned hospitals](#)
- [14 5 General hospitals](#)

## **15 Hospital beds**

- [15\\_1\\_Total\\_hospital\\_beds](#)
- [15\\_2\\_Curative\\_acute\\_care\\_beds\\_in\\_hospitals](#)
- [15\\_3\\_Rehabilitative\\_care\\_beds\\_in\\_hospitals](#) <sup>New</sup>
- [15\\_4\\_Long-term\\_care\\_beds\\_in\\_hospitals](#)
- [15\\_5\\_Other\\_hospital\\_beds](#)
- [15\\_6\\_Psychiatric\\_care\\_beds\\_in\\_hospitals](#)
- [15\\_7\\_Beds\\_in\\_publicly-owned\\_hospitals](#)
- [15\\_8\\_Beds\\_in\\_not-for-profit\\_privately\\_owned\\_hospitals](#)
- [15\\_9\\_Beds\\_in\\_for-profit\\_privately\\_owned\\_hospitals](#)

## **16 Medical technology**

- [16\\_1\\_Computed\\_Tomography\\_scanners](#)
- [16\\_2\\_Magnetic\\_Resonance\\_Imaging\\_units](#)
- [16\\_3\\_Positron\\_Emission\\_Tomography\\_scanners](#)
- [16\\_4\\_Gamma\\_cameras](#)
- [16\\_5\\_Digital\\_Subtraction\\_Angiography\\_units](#)
- [16\\_6\\_Mammographs](#)
- [16\\_7\\_Radiation\\_therapy\\_equipment](#)
- [16\\_8\\_Lithotriptors](#)

## **HEALTH WORKFORCE MIGRATION (HEALTH\_WFMI)**

**Access the dataset on Health Workforce Migration in OECD.Stat:**

[http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH\\_WFMI](http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH_WFMI)

- [1\\_Foreign-trained\\_doctors\\_stock\\_and\\_annual\\_inflow](#)
- [2\\_Foreign-trained\\_nurses\\_stock\\_and\\_annual\\_inflow](#)

## **HEALTH CARE UTILISATION (HEALTH\_PROC)**

**Access the dataset on Health Care Utilisation in OECD.Stat:**

[http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH\\_PROC](http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH_PROC)

### **1 Consultations**

- [1\\_1\\_Doctors\\_consultations](#)
- [1\\_2\\_Dentists\\_consultations](#)

### **2 Prevention Immunisation**

- [2\\_1\\_Immunisation\\_against\\_Diphtheria\\_Tetanus\\_and\\_Pertussis](#)
- [2\\_2\\_Immunisation\\_against\\_Measles](#)
- [2\\_3\\_Immunisation\\_against\\_Hepatitis\\_B](#)
- [2\\_4\\_Immunisation\\_against\\_influenza\\_among\\_the\\_population\\_aged\\_65\\_and\\_over](#)

### **3 Screening Survey data and programme data**

- [3\\_1\\_Mammography\\_screening\\_-\\_Breast\\_cancer\\_screening\\_survey\\_data\\_and\\_programme\\_data](#)
- [3\\_2\\_Cervical\\_cancer\\_screening\\_survey\\_data\\_and\\_programme\\_data](#)

### **4 Hospital aggregates**

- [4\\_1\\_Inpatient\\_care](#)
  - discharges (all hospitals)
  - average length of stay (all hospitals)
- [4\\_2\\_Curative\\_care](#)
  - discharges
  - bed-days

- average length of stay
- occupancy rate

#### [5 1 Hospital discharges by diagnostic categories](#)

#### [5 2 Hospital average length of stay by diagnostic categories](#)

#### [5 3 DEFINITION: Hospital bed-days by diagnostic categories](#)

#### [5 4 International Shortlist for Hospital Morbidity Tabulation \(ISHMT\)](#)

### [6 Diagnostic exams](#)

### [7 Surgical procedures \(shortlist\)](#)

#### [7 1 Surgical procedures \(shortlist\) MAPPING ICD-9-CM](#)

### [8 Waiting times for selected elective surgeries](#)

## **HEALTH CARE QUALITY INDICATORS (HEALTH\_HCQI)**

**Access the dataset on Health Care Quality Indicators in OECD.Stat:**

[http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH\\_HCQI](http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH_HCQI)

Access the Definitions and Sources and methods for indicators on Primary care, Prescribing in primary care, Acute care, Mental health care, Patient safety, Cancer care and Patient experiences:

- [Definitions](#)
- [Sources and Methods](#)

## **PHARMACEUTICAL MARKET (HEALTH\_PHMC)**

**Access the dataset on Pharmaceutical Market in OECD.Stat:**

[http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH\\_PHMC](http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH_PHMC)

### [1 Pharmaceutical consumption by DDDs](#)

### [2 Pharmaceutical sales](#)

### [3 Generic drug market](#)

## **LONG-TERM CARE RESOURCES AND UTILISATION (HEALTH\_LTCR)**

**Access the dataset on Long-term Care Resources and Utilisation in OECD.Stat:**

[http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH\\_LTCR](http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH_LTCR)

### [1 Long-term care workers](#)

#### [1 1 Long-term care workers in the formal sector](#)

### [2 Beds in nursing and residential care facilities](#)

### [3 Long-term care recipients](#)

#### [3 1 Long-term care recipients in institutions other than hospitals](#)

#### [3 2 Long-term care recipients at home](#)

## **HEALTH EXPENDITURE AND FINANCING (SHA)**

**Access the dataset on Health Expenditure and Financing in OECD.Stat:**

<http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=SHA>

Access the [Definitions](#) for all indicators on Health Expenditure and Financing. Sources and Methods by countries are available in OECD.Stat.

## **SOCIAL PROTECTION (HEALTH\_PROT)**

**Access the dataset on Social Protection in OECD.Stat:**

[http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH\\_PROT](http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH_PROT)

### **1 Total public and primary private health insurance**

### **2 Government/social health insurance**

### **3 Private health insurance**

## **DEMOGRAPHIC REFERENCES (HEALTH\_DEMR)**

**Access the dataset on Demographic References in OECD.Stat:**

[http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH\\_DEMR](http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH_DEMR)

### **1 Population, Total and by sex**

### **2 Fertility**

### **3 Live births**

### **4 Population age structure**

### **5 Labour force Total civilian employment**

## **ECONOMIC REFERENCES (HEALTH\_ECOR)**

**Access the dataset on Economic References in OECD.Stat:**

[http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH\\_ECOR](http://stats.oecd.org/Index.aspx?DataSetCode=HEALTH_ECOR)

### **1 Macro-economic references**

#### **1 1 Gross domestic product**

#### **1 2 Average annual wages**

### **2 Monetary conversion rates**

#### **2 1 GDP Purchasing Power Parity in US Dollars**

#### **2 2 Exchange Rate in US Dollars**

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