

## Statistics for the SDGs - indicators for regional priorities



<b>Name of the indicator</b>	<b>3.A.2 Number of dentists per 10 thous. population (employed persons in the main place of work)</b>
<b>Sustainable Development Goal</b>	Goal 3. Good health and well-being
<b>Priority</b>	Increasing access to public health services
<b>Definition</b>	Number of dentists (working according to their primary place of work) per 10 thousand people.
<b>Unit</b>	persons
<b>Available dimensions</b>	total
<b>Methodological explanations</b>	<p><b>A dentist</b> is a medical profession that involves the provision of health services in the field of diseases of the teeth, oral cavity, facial part of the skull and adjacent areas by a person with the required qualifications, confirmed by appropriate documents.</p> <p>The regional medical council grants the right to practice medicine to a person who has obtained the required qualifications, completed a postgraduate internship and passed the Medical-Dental State Examination.</p> <p><b>Employed according to the primary place of work</b> are people working full-time, in hours exceeding full-time and part-time in relation to the working time specified in the applicable regulations for a given type of work. These people, regardless of the working time, are counted once, according to the primary place of employment.</p>
<b>Data source</b>	Statistics Poland
<b>Data availability</b>	Annual data, since 2019
<b>Notes</b>	
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