

STAFF DATA ELEMENTS

2026-27

Data Element Number: **215258**

Data Element Name: **Professional Development, Participation Hours**

The number of hours of participation in each professional development component. The total includes hours allocated to training/knowledge acquisition processes and hours allocated for job-embedded implementation leading to successful implementation of targeted practice(s).

Code	Definition/Example
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(XXX) 060 = 60 participation hours

NOTE: Participation hours must be greater than zero.

**Data Element Detailed Information**

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**Applicable Format And Edit**

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<b>Programs Required:</b>	
<b>Surveys Required:</b>	Survey 5    Yes
<b>Appendices:</b>	None

**Description of Changes:**

7/1/2015	Removed limit on the number of hours.
7/1/2014	Added more language to the definition.