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Housing assistance target group

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Property

Synonymous names: Target group

METEOR identifier: 269394

Registration status: Housing assistance, Retired 10/02/2006

Definition: The target group is a group of people with a particular characteristic or set of

characteristics which a particular program/service seeks to assist. Target groups may relate to population groups or communities, families/households, individuals,

organisations or labour force groups.

Characteristics may include age, cultural identity, geographic location, specific

needs and other relevant characteristics.

Context: Target group is used in describing community services agencies, in service

planning and in comparing community needs and service availability.

Property group: Organisational characteristics

Collection and usage attributes

Comments: Should be supported by data items delineating the individual characteristics that

define the target population, such as sex, country of birth, etc.

Note: At the present time very little community services data are classified to target groups but implementations of this classification is under active consideration by

the National Community Services Data Committee.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Origin: National Classifications of Community Services. Version 2.0

Relational attributes

Related metadata

references:

Is re-engineered from Target group, version 1, DEC, NHADD, NHDAMG,

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No registration status

Data Element Concepts

implementing this

property:

Commonwealth State Housing Agreement community housing provider—housing

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