Housing assistance target group

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Property |
| Synonymous names: | Target group |
| METEOR identifier: | 269394 |
| Registration status: | [Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), 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](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/274656) |

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| 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| Related metadata references: | Is re-engineered from  [Target group, version 1, DEC, NHADD, NHDAMG, Superseded 01/03/2005.pdf](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/274233)  (12.4 KB)  *No registration status* |
| Data Element Concepts implementing this property: | [Commonwealth State Housing Agreement community housing provider—housing assistance target group](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269763)  [Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Retired 10/02/2006 |