

Person—income source (cash)

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element Concept
METEOR identifier:	269810
Registration status:	Community Services (retired) , Superseded 29/04/2006
Definition:	Sources of all cash income which an individual (or income group or household) might receive e.g. from employment, property or cash transfers.
Context:	<p>Socio-economic indicator:</p> <p>Information about the receipt by an individual of cash income can be an indicator of the extent of financial disadvantage among clients.</p> <p>Needs and policy planning:</p> <p>Information about the receipt by an individual of cash income also helps to identify sub-groups of particular policy interest, such as, carers and people with disabilities.</p>

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class:	Person
Definition:	A human being.

Collection and usage attributes

Comments:	Prior to 13 March 2018, the definition of the 'Person' Object class was 'A human being, whether man, woman or child'. From 13 March 2018, the definition was edited by removing the words '...whether man, woman or child' so that a person is defined as 'A human being'. This amendment was undertaken to align the definition of a person with the <i>Australian Government Guidelines on the Recognition of Sex and Gender</i> and the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) <i>Standard for Sex and Gender Variables</i> , which recognise that there are sex and gender types that are not exclusively male or female.
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Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
Origin:	Macquarie University 2003. <i>The Macquarie Dictionary 3rd ed.</i> Sydney: The Macquarie Library Pty. Ltd
Reference documents:	<p>Attorney-General's Department 2015. Australian Government Guidelines on the Recognition of Sex and Gender. Viewed 26 July 2016, https://www.ag.gov.au/Publications/Pages/AustralianGovernmentGuidelinesontheRecognitionofSexandGender.aspx</p> <p>ABS (Australian Bureau of Statistics) 2016. Standard for Sex and Gender Variables, 2016. ABS Cat. no. 1200.0.55.012. Canberra: ABS. Viewed 26 July 2016, http://abs.gov.au/AUSSTATS/abs@.nsf/Lookup/1200.0.55.012Main+Features12016?OpenDocument</p>

Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property:	Source of cash of income
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Definition: The source from which cash income is derived.

Property group: [Financial characteristics](#)

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element concept attributes

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Has been superseded by [Person—source of cash income \(all\) Community Services \(retired\)](#), Standard 29/04/2006
[Homelessness](#), Standard 23/08/2010
[Housing assistance](#), Standard 23/08/2010

See also [Person—main source of income Disability](#), Standard 28/09/2016

Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept: [Person—income source \(cash\), code N{.N}](#)
[Community Services \(retired\)](#), Superseded 29/04/2006