Smoking status cluster

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Set Specification |
| METEOR identifier: | 413060 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 28/04/2016 |
| DSS type: | Data Element Cluster |
| Scope: | These data elements are used in conjunction with each other to determine the history and current smoking status of a person. |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | The Smoking status cluster comprises four data elements that, in combination, determine a person's current smoking status and history of tobacco use.This is achieved by the combination of the four data elements: *Person—ever smoked a full cigarette indicator, yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N*; *Person—tobacco smoking start age, total years N[NN]*; *Person—current smoking status indicator, yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N* and *Person—tobacco smoking frequency, current tobacco smoking frequency code N*.The Smoking status cluster describes the following information:

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|  Data element |   |   |
| Ever smoked a full cigarette | Yes | No |
| Tobacco smoking start age | N[NN] | N/A |
| Current smoking status | Yes/No | N/A |
| Tobacco smoking frequency | Code N | N/A |

 N/A is not applicable. |
| Collection methods: | Information on a prison entrant's smoking status and history are collected at the reception assessment on the National Prisoner Health Census Prison Entrants form.  |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Relational attributes |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Smoking status cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/482586)        [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 28/04/2016 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Prison entrants DSS](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/395955)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 28/04/2016***DSS specific information:*** For the Prisoner Health DSS, this question is formed using the responses to 3 questions:a) Have you ever smoked a full cigarette?b) Do you smoke now?c) If you smoke now, which of the following best describes your current use of tobacco?I now smoke occasionally, but less than once a weekI now smoke occasionally, not every day, but at least once a weekI now smoke regularly, every day or most days. |

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| Metadata items in this Data Set Specification  |
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| Seq No. | Metadata item | Obligation | Max occurs |
| 1 | [Person—ever smoked a full cigarette indicator, yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/399275) | Mandatory | 1 |
| 2 | [Person—tobacco smoking start age, total years N[NN]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/399292)***Conditional obligation:***Conditional on the person indicating that they have ever smoked a full cigarette.***DSS specific information:***In the Prisoner Health DSS 'tobacco smoking start age' refers to the age at which a person smoked their first full cigarette.This data element is included in the Prisoner Health DSS as the National Prisoner Health Indicators includes the indicator: Mean age at which prison entrants smoked their first full cigarette. | Conditional | 1 |
| 3 | [Person—current smoking status indicator, yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/399538)***Conditional obligation:***Conditional on the person indicating that they have ever smoked a full cigarette.***DSS specific information:***This data element is included in the Prisoner Health DSS as the National Prisoner Health Indicators includes the indicator: Proportion of prison entrants who report that they currently smoke tobacco.This data element should be used in conjunction with the data element [Person—tobacco smoking frequency, current tobacco smoking frequency code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/416274) to define a person's current smoking status. | Conditional | 1 |
| 4 | [Person—tobacco smoking frequency, current tobacco smoking frequency code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/416274)***Conditional obligation:***Conditional on the person indicating that they currently smoke. | Conditional | 1 |

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