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Person—name title sequence number, code N[N]

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: Name title sequence number

METEOR identifier: 613323

Registration status: Health, Standard 05/10/2016

Definition: The numeric order of an honorific form of address commencing a person's name,

as represented by a code.

Data Element Concept: Person—name title sequence number

Value Domain: Number sequence code N[N]

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Number

Format: N[N]

Maximum character length: 2

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	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	One
	2	Two
	3	Three
	4	Four
	5	Five
	6	Six
	7	Seven
	8	Eight
	9	Nine
	10	Ten

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Reference documents: Standards Australia 2014. AS 4846:2014 Person and provider identification in

healthcare. Sydney: Standards Australia.

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: CODE 1 One

Refers to first name title

CODE 2 Two

Refers to second name title

CODE 3 Three

Refers to third name title

CODE 4 Four

Refers to fourth name title

CODE 5 Five

Refers to fifth name title

CODE 6 Six

Refers to sixth name title

CODE 7 Seven

Refers to seventh name title

CODE 8 Eight

Refers to eighth name title

CODE 9 Nine

Refers to ninth name title

CODE 10 Ten

Refers to tenth and subsequent name title

Collection methods: Multiple name titles may be recorded. For the purpose of positive identification of a

person, each name title must have a name title sequence number recorded.

For example, 'Professor Sir John Markham' would have name title sequence

numbers assigned as follows:

'Professor' would have a name title sequence number of 1 and 'Sir' would have a

name title sequence number of 2.

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Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes Person (name)—name title sequence number, code N

Community Services (retired), Standard 30/09/2005

Health, Superseded 05/10/2016

See also Person—name title, text X[X(11)]

Health, Standard 05/10/2016

Implementation in Data Set Individual name cluster

Specifications:

Health, Standard 05/10/2016

Conditional obligation:

Conditional upon Person—name title, text X[X(11)] being recorded.