Child

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Object Class |
| METEOR identifier: | 268987 |
| Registration status: | [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 01/12/2004  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 25/02/2005  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Standard 21/05/2010  [Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Standard 23/08/2010  [Homelessness](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 23/08/2010  [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 13/03/2015  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 22/11/2016 |
| Definition: | An individual under the age of 18 years. |
| Specialisation of: | [Person/group of persons](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/281123) |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australia Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Relational attributes | |
| Data Element Concepts implementing this Object Class: | [Child—abuse and neglect type](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269627)  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 01/03/2005  [Child—annual preschool program period](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/792804)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Recorded 16/05/2024  [Child—attendance reference period end date](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/792778)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Recorded 16/05/2024  [Child—attendance reference period start date](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/792765)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Recorded 16/05/2024  [Child—body mass index](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269557)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005  [Child—care arrangement end date](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/458987)  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Recorded 19/08/2011  [Child—care arrangements](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/367636)  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 30/04/2008  [Homelessness](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 23/08/2010  [Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Standard 23/08/2010  [Child—case plan required indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/610427)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 22/11/2016  [Child—cultural support plan required indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/529653)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 22/11/2016  [Child—current case plan indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/610422)  [Children and 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Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Recorded 24/05/2024  [Child—early childhood education program attendance indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/556994)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Superseded 01/06/2015  [Child—early childhood education program attendance indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/762799)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Standard 05/07/2022  [Child—early childhood education program attendance indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/608290)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Superseded 05/07/2022  [Child—early childhood education program enrolment indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/608371)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Superseded 05/07/2022  [Child—early childhood education program enrolment indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/557016)  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Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Standard 05/07/2022  [Child—early childhood education program received from a qualified teacher indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/557126)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Superseded 01/06/2015  [Child—early childhood education program received from a qualified teacher indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/608395)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Superseded 05/07/2022  [Child—early childhood education program received from a qualified teacher indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/763025)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Standard 05/07/2022  [Child—early childhood education program repeater indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/608407)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Superseded 05/07/2022  [Child—early childhood education program 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