Person—dependency in activities of daily living

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# Person—dependency in activities of daily living

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element Concept |
| METEOR identifier: | 269825 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Recorded 16/11/2009 |
| Definition: | An indicator of a person's ability to carry out activities of daily living without assistance. |

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Object class: | [Person](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/268955) |
| 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 *Australian Government Guidelines on the Recognition of Sex and Gender* and the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) *Standard for Sex and Gender Variables*, which recognise that there are sex and gender types that are not exclusively male or female. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Origin: | Macquarie University 2003. *The Macquarie Dictionary 3rd ed.* Sydney: The Macquarie Library Pty. Ltd |
| Reference documents: | 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/ AustralianGovernmentGuidelines ontheRecognitionofSexandGender.aspx](https://www.ag.gov.au/Publications/Pages/AustralianGovernmentGuidelinesontheRecognitionofSexandGender.aspx)  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/1200.0.55.012 Main+Features12016?OpenDocument](http://abs.gov.au/AUSSTATS/abs@.nsf/Lookup/1200.0.55.012Main+Features12016?OpenDocument) |

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Property: | [Dependency in activities of daily living](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269342) |
| Definition: | An indicator of the extent to which help is required for tasks of everyday life. |
| Property group: | [Impairment characteristic](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/525483) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

## Data element concept attributes

### Relational attributes



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| Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept: | [Person—ability to perform activities of daily living (HACC), code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/385487)  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Recorded 16/11/2009  [Person—dependency in activities of daily living (bathing), code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270413)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005  [Person—dependency in activities of daily living (bed mobility), code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270416)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005  [Person—dependency in activities of daily living (bladder continence), code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270417)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005  [Person—dependency in activities of daily living (bowel continence), code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270418)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005  [Person—dependency in activities of daily living (dressing), code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270414)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005  [Person—dependency in activities of daily living (eating), code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270415)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005  [Person—dependency in activities of daily living (extra surveillance), code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270419)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005  [Person—dependency in activities of daily living (mobility), code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270410)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005  [Person—dependency in activities of daily living (toileting), code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270411)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005  [Person—dependency in activities of daily living (transferring), code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270412)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005  [Person—dependency in activities of daily living—activity type (HACC), code NN](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/385481)  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Recorded 16/11/2009 |