Centrelink income unit—Centrelink income unit type, code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Centrelink income unit type
METEOR identifier:	270139
Registration status:	Housing assistance, Retired 01/05/2013
Definition:	The structure of the income unit based on the relationship between members of the income unit, as represented by a code.

Data element concept attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	Centrelink income unit—income unit type
METEOR identifier:	269602
Registration status:	Housing assistance, Standard 01/03/2005
Definition:	The structure of the income unit based on the relationship between members of the income unit.
Context:	An income unit is the standard statistical unit for analyses of Centrelink data and can be an important measure in assessing the needs and circumstances of individuals and families.
Object class:	Centrelink income unit
Property:	Income unit type

Value domain attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	Centrelink income unit type code N
METEOR identifier:	270721
Registration status:	Housing assistance, Standard 01/03/2005
Definition:	A code set representing the structure of the income unit based on the relationship between members of the income unit.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N	
Maximum character length:	1	
	Value	**Meaning**
Permissible values:	1	Single, no dependent children
	2	Single, sharers
	3	Couple, no dependent children
	4	Sole parent, 1 or 2 dependent children

	5	Sole parent, 3 or more dependent children
	6	Couple, 1 or 2 dependent children
	7	Couple, 3 or more dependent children
Supplementary values:	9	Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Collection methods: In this metadata item, the term **dependant** is used to refer to those children that attract more than the base rate of Family Tax Benefit Part A.

Data element attributes

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Guide for use: In analysis codes 1 and 2 are often combined.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Department of Families, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs

Origin: FaCS 2003. Unpublished. Draft performance indicators for Commonwealth Rent Assistance.

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Is re-engineered from Commonwealth Rent Assistance (CRA) income unit type, version 1, DE, NHADD, NHDAMG, Superseded 01/03/2005.pdf (15.1 KB)
No registration status

See also Centrelink income unit—Commonwealth Rent Assistance amount, total Australian currency N[NNNNN].NN
Housing assistance, Standard 01/03/2005