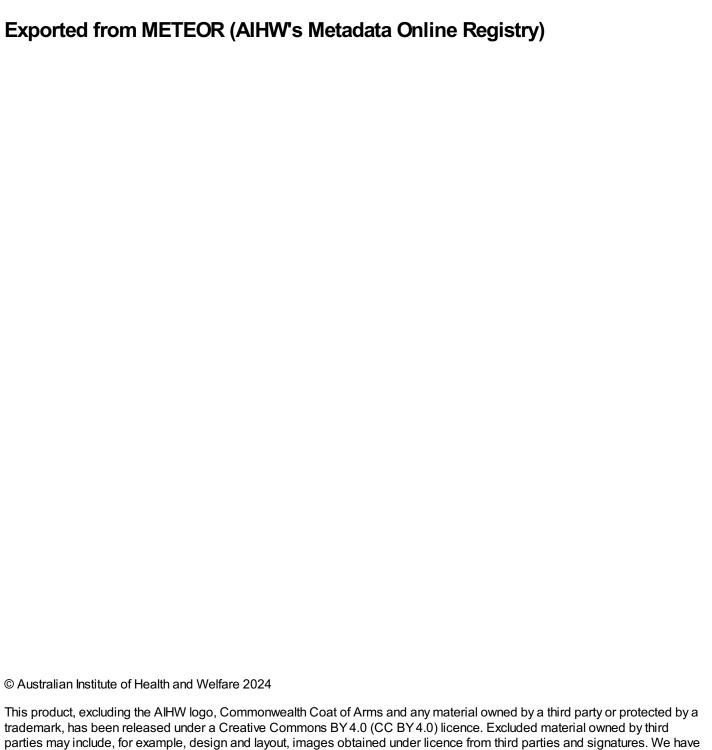
Person—relationship to reference person (household), code N



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Person—relationship to reference person (household), code N

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: Relationship to reference person

METEOR identifier: 270248

Registration status: Housing assistance, Superseded 30/08/2017

Definition: The familial and non-familial relationship of each person in a given household to the

reference person in that same household, as represented by a code.

Data element concept attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept: Person—relationship to reference person (household)

METEOR identifier: 269698

Registration status: Housing assistance, Superseded 30/08/2017

Definition: The familial and non-familial relationship of each person in a given household to the

reference person in that same household.

Context: The ability to determine relationships between persons residing within the same

household is essential in a wide range of statistics on household composition,

family type and income unit.

Object class: Person

Property: Relationship to reference person

Value domain attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain: Relationship to reference person within household code N

METEOR identifier: 270795

Registration status: Housing assistance, Standard 01/03/2005

Definition: A code set representing a relationship to the reference person within a household.

Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Number

Format: N

Maximum character length: 1

Value Meaning

Permissible values: 1 Reference person/tenant

2 Spouse/partner

Son/daughter aged less than 16 years
 Son/daughter aged 16 years and over

5 Resident aged less than 16 years

6 Resident aged 16 years and over

Supplementary values: 9 Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: Only the usual residents of the household are included.

CODE 1 Reference person

May be referred to as *person 1, main tenant* or *tenant 1, principal tenant*, *household head* on application or tenancy forms, or where the dwelling is being purchased, referred to as the *mortgagee*. Person must be aged 16 or over.

CODE 2 Spouse/partner

Include defacto, wife, husband and partner of the reference person/tenant.

CODES 3 and 4 Son/daughter

Include the son(s) or daughter(s) (or step son(s)/daughter(s)) of the reference

person and/or spouse.

CODES 5 and 6 Resident

Include relatives other than son(s)/daughter(s) (step son(s)/daughter(s)), non-related

carer, other non-related and non-family member(s).

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Collection methods: Collecting this data is quite complex, due to inter-relationships that may exist in a

household. Refer to ABS: Directory of concepts and standards for social, labour and demographic statistics, 1995 for standard questions and approach to

collecting data on this metadata item.

This metadata item is used to derive tenancy composition for public rental

housing and state owned and managed Indigenous housing.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: National Housing Data Development Committee

Reference documents: Australian Bureau of Statistics. Standards for statistics on the Family (Cat. No.

1286.0).

Australian Bureau of Statistics 1995. Directory of concepts and standards for

social, labour and demographic statistics.

Australian Bureau of Statistics 1996. Census Dictionary (Cat. no. 2901.0).

CSHA Public housing and state/territory owned and managed Indigenous housing

NMDS User Guide 2001-02.

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Has been superseded by Person—relationship to household reference person,

code N

Housing assistance, Standard 30/08/2017

Is re-engineered from Relationship to reference person, version 2, DE, NHADD,

NHDAMG, Superseded 01/03/2005.pdf (16.8 KB)

No registration status

Implementation in Data Set Person (housing assistance) cluster

Specifications: Housing assistance, Superseded 30/08/2017

Implementation in Used as Disaggregation

Indicators: National Affordability Housing Agreement: g-Proportion of Indigenous households

living in overcrowded conditions, 2010
Homelessness, Standard 16/02/2011
Indigenous, Standard 11/09/2012