## Continence status (faeces) of residential aged care resident - current status

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## Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NHDD

Knowledgebase ID: 000034 Version number: 2

Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT

Registration NHIMG Admin status: RETIRED Authority:

Effective date: 30-JUN-02

Definition: A measure of the residential aged care service resident's current

level of incontinence (faeces) in terms of the frequency with which

the resident is incontinent.

Context: Residential aged care service statistics:

along with continence, behaviour and specialised nursing

procedures, functional profile constitutes one of the key indicators of dependency and disability for residential aged care service residents and serves to supplement the Posident Classification Instrument

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level of dependency.

## Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Alphanumeric

Representational CODE

form:

Representation A

layout:

Minimum Size: 1
Maximum Size: 1

Data Domain: A Continent

B Incontinent, but not daily

C Incontinent, occurring once daily

D Incontinent, occurring regularly more than once

daily

Collection Methods: This item is based on the Resident Classification Instrument, which

has been replaced.

## Administrative Attributes

Source Document:

Source Organisation:

Comments: .

Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

NHIM Physical wellbeing

Data Agreements which include this Data Element