
Labour force status

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Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NCSDD
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Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT
Registration Authority: NCSIMG Admin status: SUPERSEDED
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Definition: The self reported status the person currently has in being either in the labour force (employed/unemployed) or not in the labour force.
Context: Labour force status is an indicator of the socio-economic status (economic activity) of a person and is a key element in assessing the circumstances and needs of individuals and families.

Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Numeric
Representational form: CODE
Representation layout: N
Minimum Size: 1
Maximum Size: 1
Data Domain: 1 Employed
2 Unemployed
3 Not in the labour force
Collection Methods: This definition is based on the ABS standard definition of labour force status. It is generally measured at the point of coming into contact with (or completion of assistance by) a community services agency.

Administrative Attributes

Source Document: ABS: Directory of concepts and standards for social, labour and demographic statistics, 1995
Source Organisation: Australian Bureau of Statistics

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Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

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