
Household ID

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Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NHADD
Knowledgebase ID: 000680 Version number: 1
Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT
Registration Authority: NHDAMG Admin status: SUPERSEDED
Effective date: 13-JUL-03
Definition: A unique identifier (within a state or territory) assigned to a household that is either seeking and/or receiving assistance.
Context: Households are one of the main counting units in housing assistance data and as such it is essential to be able to uniquely identify them.

Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Numeric
Representational form:
Representation layout:
Minimum Size:
Maximum Size:
Data Domain: NOVAL Each jurisdiction to devise
Collection Methods: Preferably agencies should allocate a unique identifier to a household when they apply for assistance, and this ID should then remain when/if they receive assistance. This enables the matching of waitlist data with assistance data.
A household for the purposes of the data element is the same as the members under a single tenancy agreement.
Related metadata: relates to the data element Income unit ID version 2
relates to the data element Person ID version 2
relates to the data element concept Tenancy agreement version 1
relates to the data element Income unit version 1
is composed of State/Territory identifier version 1
relates to the data element Household version 1

Administrative Attributes

Source Document: AIHW: National Health Data Dictionary Version 8.0, 1999
AIHW: Data Standardisation Project for the development of a national unit record public housing data set, 1998
ABS: Census Dictionary 1996
Domain values are derived from the Australian Standard Geographic Classification, ABS, Cat. No. 1216.0
National Housing Assistance Data Dictionary

Source Organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Comments: The coding and order of States/Territories is different for the National Health Data Dictionary and the Data Standardisation Project because the Data Standardisation Project uses the order used in the CSHA Performance Indicator manuals. This order used in the Data Standardisation Project is different from that used in the ABS Census 1996 Data Dictionary, in which SA and WA are reversed. (See State/territory identifier.)

Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

Data Agreements which include this Data Element
