Person—eligibility status, code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Eligibility status |
| METEOR identifier: | 304556 |
| Registration status: | [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 29/04/2006 |
| Definition: | Eligibility of a person as determined by an assessment to receive a service from an agency as represented by a code.  |
| Context: | This metadata item may be used in calculating unmet demand and need for existing community services. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Person—eligibility status](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/304534) |
| Value Domain: | [Eligibility status code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270926) |

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| Value domain attributes |
| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N |
| Maximum character length: | 1 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Eligible |
|   | 2 | Not eligible |
| Supplementary values: | 9  | Not stated/inadequately described  |

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| Data element attributes  |
| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | The actual eligibility criteria may differ according to the type of assistance and the agency. |
| Collection methods: | To be measured only where the person's eligibility for assistance has been assessed.Instances in which a client who has been assisted on a previous occasion and subsequently seeks further assistance, should generally be considered as another occasion of assistance, and a new 'eligibility status' should be recorded. For example, instances where a significant amount of time has lapsed since previous assistance or where the reasons for seeking assistance have changed should be regarded as additional occasions of assistance. |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian institute of health and welfare |
| Relational attributes |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Person (assessed)—assistance eligibility status, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270372)[Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Superseded 29/04/2006 |