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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| Synonymous names: | Impairment extent |
| METEOR identifier: | 324803 |
| Registration status: | [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 16/10/2006[Disability](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/16), Standard 13/08/2015[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 29/11/2006 |
| Definition: | A code set representing the degree of impairment in a specified body function or body structure from the *Body Functions and Structures* component of the International Classification of Functioning, Disability and Health (ICF 2001). |
| Context: | Human functioning and disability. |

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| Representational attributes |
| Classification scheme: | [International Classification of Functioning, Disability and Health 2001](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270548) |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | N |
| Maximum character length: | 1 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 0 | No impairment |
|   | 1 | Mild impairment |
|   | 2 | Moderate impairment |
|   | 3 | Severe impairment |
|   | 4 | Complete impairment |
| Supplementary values: | 8 | Not specified |
|   | 9  | Not applicable  |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | This metadata item contributes to the definition of the concept '[**Disability**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/327304)' and gives an indication of the experience of disability for a person.Impairments of body structure or body function are problems in body structure or function such as a loss or significant departure from population standards or averages.CODE 0     No impairmentUsed when there is no significant variation from accepted population standards in the biomedical status of the body structure or its functions [0-4%].CODE 1     Mild impairmentUsed when there is a slight or low variation from accepted population standards in the biomedical status of the body structure or its functions [5-24%].CODE 2     Moderate impairmentUsed when there is a medium (significant but not severe) variation from accepted population standards in the biomedical status of the body structure or its functions [25-49%].CODE 3     Severe impairmentUsed when there is an extreme variation from accepted population standards in the biomedical status of the body structure or its functions [50-95%].CODE 4     Complete impairmentUsed when there is a total variation from accepted population standards in the biomedical status of the body structure or its functions [96-100%]. |

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare which is the Australian Collaborating Centre for the World Health Organization Family of International Classifications. |
| Origin: | World Health Organization (WHO) 2001. ICF: International Classification of Functioning, Disability and Health. Geneva: WHOAustralian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) 2003. ICF Australian User Guide Version 1.0. Canberra: AIHW |
| Reference documents: | Further information on the ICF including more detailed codes, can be found in the ICF itself and the ICF Australian User Guide (AIHW 2003), at the following websites:* WHO ICF website<http://www.who.int/classifications/icf/en/>
* Australian Collaborating Centre ICF website<http://www.aihw.gov.au/disability/icf/index.cfm>

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| Relational attributes  |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Impairment extent code (ICF 2001) N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/288437)       [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Superseded 16/10/2006 |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Person—extent of impairment of body function, code (ICF 2001) N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/320138)       [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 16/10/2006       [Disability](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/16), Standard 13/08/2015       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 29/11/2006[Person—extent of impairment of body structure, code (ICF 2001) N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/320165)       [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 16/10/2006       [Disability](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/16), Standard 13/08/2015       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 29/11/2006 |