

# Prison entrant—age at first detention, total years NN

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Prison entrant age at first detention
<b>Synonymous names:</b>	Prison entrant age at first incarceration
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	376069
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 28/04/2016
<b>Definition:</b>	A prison entrant's age (in years) at the time of their first detention within a corrective services facility.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Prison entrant—age at first detention</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Total years NN</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Total	
<b>Data type:</b>	String	
<b>Format:</b>	NN	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	2	
	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	99	Not stated/inadequately described
<b>Unit of measure:</b>	Year	

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Comments:</b>	Individuals who experience detention at a younger age often experience multiple periods of detention (AIHW 2008).
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## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
<b>Reference documents:</b>	AIHW (Australian Institute of Health and Welfare) 2008. Juvenile justice in Australia 2006-07. Juvenile justice series no. 4. Cat no. JUV 4. Canberra:AIHW

## Relational attributes

<b>Related metadata references:</b>	Has been superseded by <a href="#">Prison entrant—age at first detention, total years N[NN]</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 29/05/2024
	See also <a href="#">Incarceration history cluster</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 28/04/2016
<b>Implementation in Data Set Specifications:</b>	<a href="#">Prison entrants DSS</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 28/04/2016 <b>Conditional obligation:</b> Conditional on the prison entrant being previously detained in a prison or juvenile justice centre.

