Household—principal source of cash income, (housing assistance) code N[.N.N]

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Principal household income source (housing assistance)
METEOR identifier:	386873
Registration status:	Housing assistance, Superseded 30/08/2017
Definition:	The source from which a household derives the greatest proportion of its cash income, as represented by a code.

Data element concept attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	Household—principal source of cash income
Synonymous names:	Principal household income
METEOR identifier:	462752
Registration status:	Housing assistance, Superseded 30/08/2017
Definition:	The source from which a household derives the greatest proportion of its cash income.
Object class:	Household
Property:	Principal source of cash income

Value domain attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	Source of cash income (housing assistance) code N[.N.N]
METEOR identifier:	462235
Registration status:	Housing assistance, Superseded 30/08/2017
Definition:	A code set representing a housing assistance client's main income source.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N[.N.N]	
Maximum character length:	3	
	Value	**Meaning**
Permissible values:	1	Employee cash income
	2	Unincorporated business income
	3.1.1	Youth allowance
	3.1.2	Newstart allowance
	3.1.3	Other allowances for students and the unemployed
	3.2.1	Age pension

	3.2.2	Disability Support pension
	3.2.3	Other Centrelink pensions/allowances for the aged and people with disability
	3.3	Other Government cash pension/allowances (e.g. Service pensions)
	4	Other cash income (e.g. superannuation, compensation)
	5	Nil income
Supplementary values:	9	Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Comments: This item does not match the ABS income standards, and is not recommended for wider use.

Source and reference attributes

Reference documents: Based on Australian Bureau of Statistics. Standards for Social, Labour and Demographic Variables.

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: Income source is used to derive low income status of households and whether they may be eligible to receive Commonwealth Rent Assistance if the same household was living in the private rental market.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: National Housing Data Development Committee

Origin: Australian Bureau of Statistics. Standards for Social, Labour and Demographic Variables. Viewed 3 November 2005.

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Has been superseded by [Household—principal source of cash income, housing assistance code N[.N.N]](#) [Housing assistance](#), Standard 30/08/2017
	See also [Household—assessable income (weekly), total Australian currency N[NNNNN].NN](#) [Housing assistance](#), Superseded 30/08/2017
	See also [Household—assessable weekly income, total Australian currency N[NNNNN].NN](#) [Housing assistance](#), Standard 30/08/2017
	See also [Household—gross income (weekly), total Australian currency N[NNNNN].NN](#) [Housing assistance](#), Superseded 30/08/2017
	See also [Household—gross weekly income, total Australian currency N[NNNNN].NN](#) [Housing assistance](#), Standard 30/08/2017
	See also [Household—low income status, code N](#) [Housing assistance](#), Retired 01/05/2013
	See also [Person—assessable income (weekly), total Australian currency N[NNNNN].NN](#) [Housing assistance](#), Standard 30/08/2017
	See also [Person—assessable income (weekly), total Australian currency N[NNNNN].NN](#) [Housing assistance](#), Superseded 30/08/2017
	See also [Person—gross income (weekly), total Australian currency N[NNNNN].NN](#) [Community Services (retired)](#), Standard 06/02/2012 [Disability](#), Standard 13/08/2015 [Housing assistance](#), Superseded 30/08/2017
	See also [Person—gross weekly income, total Australian currency N[NNNNN].NN](#) [Housing assistance](#), Standard 30/08/2017
Implementation in Data Set Specifications:	[Private rent assistance DSS 2009-10](#) [Housing assistance](#), Superseded 01/05/2013 ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2009 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2010 ***DSS specific information:*** Code '5' is not a permissible value in this collection.
	[Private rent assistance DSS 2010-11](#) [Housing assistance](#), Superseded 01/05/2013 ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2010 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2011 ***DSS specific information:*** Code '5' is not a permissible value in this collection.
	[Private rent assistance DSS 2011-12](#) [Housing assistance](#), Superseded 26/08/2014 ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2011 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2012 ***DSS specific information:*** Code '5' is not a permissible value in this collection.
	[Private rent assistance DSS 2012-13](#) [Housing assistance](#), Superseded 30/08/2017 ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2012 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2013 ***DSS specific information:*** Code '5' is not a permissible value in this collection.