Household—greatest need date, DDMMYYYY

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Greatest need date |
| METEOR identifier: | 388447 |
| Registration status: | [Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Superseded 30/08/2017 |
| Definition: | The date on which it is determined that a household is in greatest need of access to services, expressed as DDMMYYYY. |

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| Data element concept attributes | |
| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Data element concept: | [Household—greatest need date](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/388453) |
| METEOR identifier: | 388453 |
| Registration status: | [Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Superseded 30/08/2017 |
| Definition: | The date on which it is determined that a household is in greatest need of access to services. |
| Object class: | [Household](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/268977) |
| Property: | [Greatest need date](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/388449) |

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| Value domain attributes | |
| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Value domain: | [Date DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270566) |
| METEOR identifier: | 270566 |
| Registration status: | [Aged Care](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/19), Standard 30/06/2023  [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/24), Recorded 09/08/2023  [Australian Teacher Workforce Data Oversight Board](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/23), Standard 30/08/2022  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 22/11/2016  [Commonwealth Department of Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/10), Retired 19/10/2023  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 01/03/2005  [Disability](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/16), Standard 07/10/2014  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Standard 21/05/2010  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005  [Homelessness](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 23/08/2010  [Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Standard 01/03/2005  [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 31/10/2012  [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 11/08/2014  [National Health Performance Authority (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/8), Retired 01/07/2016  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Standard 31/08/2016  [WA Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/2), Standard 06/03/2014  [Youth Justice](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/4), Standard 15/02/2022 |
| Definition: | The day of a particular month and year. |

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| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Date | |
| Data type: | Date/Time | |
| Format: | DDMMYYYY | |
| Maximum character length: | 8 | |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Collection methods: | This metadata item should always be recorded as an 8-digit valid date comprising day, month and year. Year should always be recorded in its full 4-digit format. For days and months with a numeric value of less than 10, zeros should be used to ensure that the date contains the required 8 digits. For example, the date July 1 2002 should be recorded as 01072002. |
| Comments: | The date when greatest need applied to a household may be the same as the date they were eligible for assistance, or the day the paperwork was submitted (i.e. the date the household was placed on the waitlist). |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Household—greatest need date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/605815)  [Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Standard 30/08/2017  Is re-engineered from  [Date eligible for assistance, version 1, DE, NHADD, NHDAMG, Superseded 01/03/2005.pdf](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/273712)  (13.8 KB)  *No registration status*  See also [Household—assistance eligibility date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270241)  [Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Standard 01/03/2005  See also [Household—greatest need reason, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/301720)  [Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Superseded 01/05/2013  See also [Household—greatest need reason, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/462210)  [Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Superseded 30/08/2017 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Household (housing assistance) cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/492552)  [Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Superseded 01/05/2013  [Household (housing assistance) cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/459886)  [Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Superseded 30/08/2017  [Waitlist (housing assistance) cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/459131)  [Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Superseded 30/08/2017  ***DSS specific information:*** Greatest need date is only recorded if the household has been identified as a greatest need household. |