

Person (employed)—education field of highest relevant qualification

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Registration status:

- [Community Services \(retired\)](#), Standard 21/05/2010
- [Early Childhood](#), Standard 21/05/2010
- [Indigenous](#), Standard 16/09/2014

Definition: The field of education in which a person has attained their highest qualification relevant to their employment or occupation.

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class: [Person](#)

Definition: A human being.

Collection and usage attributes

Comments: Prior to 13 March 2018, the definition of the 'Person' Object class was 'A human being, whether man, woman or child'. From 13 March 2018, the definition was edited by removing the words '...whether man, woman or child' so that a person is defined as 'A human being'. This amendment was undertaken to align the definition of a person with the *Australian Government Guidelines on the Recognition of Sex and Gender* and the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) *Standard for Sex and Gender Variables*, which recognise that there are sex and gender types that are not exclusively male or female.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Origin: Macquarie University 2003. *The Macquarie Dictionary 3rd ed.* Sydney: The Macquarie Library Pty. Ltd

Reference documents: Attorney-General's Department 2015. Australian Government Guidelines on the Recognition of Sex and Gender. Viewed 26 July 2016, <https://www.ag.gov.au/Publications/Pages/AustralianGovernmentGuidelinesontheRecognitionofSexandGender.aspx>

ABS (Australian Bureau of Statistics) 2016. Standard for Sex and Gender Variables, 2016. ABS Cat. no. 1200.0.55.012. Canberra: ABS. Viewed 26 July 2016, [http://abs.gov.au/AUSSTATS/abs@.nsf/Lookup/1200.0.55.012Main+Features12016?OpenDocument](http://abs.gov.au/AUSSTATS/abs@.nsf/Lookup/1200.0.55.012>Main+Features12016?OpenDocument)

Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property: [Education field of highest relevant qualification](#)

Definition: The field of education of highest relevant educational attainment.

Property group: [Educational characteristics](#)

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Early Childhood Data Sub Group (ECDSG)

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Data element concept attributes

Relational attributes

Data Elements
implementing this Data
Element Concept:

[Person \(employed\)—education field of highest relevant qualification, early childhood education and care field of qualification code N\[N\]](#)

- [Early Childhood](#), Superseded 07/06/2011

[Person \(employed\)—education field of highest relevant qualification, early childhood education and care, code N\[N\]](#)

- [Early Childhood](#), Superseded 09/03/2012

[Person \(employed\)—education field of highest relevant qualification, in early childhood education and care, code N\[N\]](#)

- [Early Childhood](#), Standard 01/06/2015

[Person \(employed\)—education field of highest relevant qualification, in early childhood education and care, code N\[N\]](#)

- [Early Childhood](#), Standard 02/12/2020

[Person \(employed\)—education field of highest relevant qualification, in early childhood education and care, code N\[N\]](#)

- [Early Childhood](#), Superseded 02/12/2020

[Person \(employed\)—education field of highest relevant qualification, in early childhood education and care, code N\[N\]](#)

- [Early Childhood](#), Superseded 01/06/2015

[Person \(employed\)—education field of highest relevant qualification, text X\[X\(199\)\]](#)

- [Indigenous](#), Standard 16/09/2014