

Person—first service request indicator, yes/no code N

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	First service request indicator
METEOR identifier:	400276
Registration status:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Community Services (retired), Standard 17/11/2010• Homelessness, Superseded 10/08/2018• Housing assistance, Standard 23/08/2010
Definition:	An indicator that a request for service is the first request made by a person to an Agency, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Person—first service request indicator

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code						
Data type:	Number						
Format:	N						
Maximum character length:	1						
Permissible values:	<table><thead><tr><th>Value</th><th>Meaning</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>1</td><td>Yes</td></tr><tr><td>2</td><td>No</td></tr></tbody></table>	Value	Meaning	1	Yes	2	No
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1	Yes						
2	No						
Supplementary values:	<table><thead><tr><th>Value</th><th>Meaning</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>3</td><td>Unknown</td></tr><tr><td>9</td><td>Not stated/inadequately described</td></tr></tbody></table>	Value	Meaning	3	Unknown	9	Not stated/inadequately described
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3	Unknown						
9	Not stated/inadequately described						

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element attributes

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Has been superseded by [Person—first service request indicator, yes/no/unknown/not stated/inadequately described code N](#)

- [Homelessness](#), Standard 10/08/2018

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS 2011Homelessness](#), Superseded
01/05/2013

[Housing assistance](#), Superseded 01/05/2013

Implementation start date: 01/07/2011

DSS specific information:

In the Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS, this data element is collected only for persons who have not received any services requested or assessment, that is, it is collected only for persons known as 'turnaways'.

In the Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS, this data element is applied to an individual 24-hour reporting period.

[Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS 2012-13Homelessness](#), Superseded
01/05/2013

[Housing assistance](#), Superseded 01/05/2013

Implementation start date: 01/07/2012

Implementation end date: 30/06/2013

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[Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS 2013-14Homelessness](#), Superseded
26/08/2014

[Housing assistance](#), Superseded 26/08/2014

Implementation start date: 01/07/2013

Implementation end date: 30/06/2014

Conditional obligation:

In the Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS, this data element is only collected for turnaways. Turnaways are people who have not received any requested services or assessment. This data element is applied to an individual 24-hour reporting period.

[Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS 2014-15Homelessness](#), Superseded
24/11/2016

[Housing assistance](#), Superseded 24/11/2016

Implementation start date: 01/07/2014

Implementation end date: 30/06/2015

Conditional obligation:

In the Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS, this data element is only collected for turnaways. Turnaways are people who have not received any requested services or assessment. This data element is applied to an individual 24-hour reporting period.

[Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS 2015-17Homelessness](#), Superseded
24/11/2016

Implementation start date: 01/07/2015

Implementation end date: 30/06/2017

Conditional obligation:

In the Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS, this data element is only collected for turnaways. Turnaways are people who have not received any requested services or assessment. This data element is applied to an individual 24-hour reporting period.

[Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS 2017-19Homelessness](#), Superseded
10/08/2018

Implementation start date: 01/07/2017

Implementation end date: 30/06/2019

Conditional obligation:

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