

# Living arrangement homelessness code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Value Domain
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	400323
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Homelessness</a> , Standard 23/08/2010 <a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 23/08/2010
<b>Definition:</b>	A code set representing the type of living arrangement of a person within a presenting unit.

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code
<b>Data type:</b>	Number
<b>Format:</b>	N
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	1

	Value	Meaning
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	Lone person
	2	One parent with child(ren)
	3	Couple with child(ren)
	4	Couple without child(ren)
	5	Other family
	6	Group
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	9	Not stated/inadequately described

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	CODE 1 Lone person  This category is used to record single individuals.  CODE 2 One parent with child(ren)  This category includes step and adopted parent/child relationships.  CODE 3 Couple with child(ren)  This category includes step and adopted parent/child relationships.  CODE 4 Couple without child(ren)  This category includes couples without children.  CODE 5 Other family  This category includes all other groups with related individuals, including siblings and multi-generational families of more than two generations.  CODE 6 Group  This category includes two or more unrelated persons who live together. Boarders and lodgers are included in this category.
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## Source and reference attributes

**Reference documents:** Australian Bureau of Statistics, Family, Household and Income Unit Variables, Cat. No. 1286.0, 2005

## Relational attributes

**Data elements implementing this value domain:** [Person—living arrangement, homelessness code N](#)  
[Homelessness](#), Standard 23/08/2010  
[Housing assistance](#), Standard 23/08/2010