

Person—number of people in the presenting unit, total N[N]

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Number of people in presenting unit
METEOR identifier:	401596
Registration status:	Housing assistance , Standard 23/08/2010 Homelessness , Superseded 10/08/2018
Definition:	The size of the presenting unit, based on the total number of people seeking specialist homelessness services together.
Data Element Concept:	Person—number of people in the presenting unit
Value Domain:	Total people N[N]

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Total
Data type:	Number
Format:	N[N]
Maximum character length:	2
Unit of measure:	Person

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	This data element captures the size of the presenting unit, children are included in this total.
Collection methods:	How many people are presenting as a unit?

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Has been superseded by Person—number of people presenting, total N[N] Homelessness , Standard 10/08/2018
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Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS 2011](#)

[Homelessness](#), Superseded 01/05/2013

[Housing assistance](#), Superseded 01/05/2013

Implementation start date: 01/07/2011

[Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS 2012-13](#)

[Homelessness](#), Superseded 01/05/2013

[Housing assistance](#), Superseded 01/05/2013

Implementation start date: 01/07/2012

Implementation end date: 30/06/2013

[Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS 2013-14](#)

[Homelessness](#), Superseded 26/08/2014

[Housing assistance](#), Superseded 26/08/2014

Implementation start date: 01/07/2013

Implementation end date: 30/06/2014

DSS specific information: In the Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS, this data element is collected at the date of presentation.

[Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS 2014-15](#)

[Homelessness](#), Superseded 24/11/2016

[Housing assistance](#), Superseded 24/11/2016

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[Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS 2015-17](#)

[Homelessness](#), Superseded 24/11/2016

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[Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS 2017-19](#)

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