

# Key demographic characteristic, homelessness code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Value Domain
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	418495
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Recorded 22/09/2010
<b>Definition:</b>	A code set describing certain key demographic characteristics.

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code
<b>Data type:</b>	String
<b>Format:</b>	N
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	2

	Value	Meaning
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	Children
	2	Young people
	3	Single men
	4	Single women
	5	Families with children
	6	Families without children
	7	Older people
	8	Other
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	99	Not stated/inadequately described

## Collection and usage attributes

## Guide for use:

### CODE 1 Children

This code is used to indicate a population of children under 12 years old.

### CODE 2 Young people

This code is used to indicate a population aged between 12 and 25 years, who do not have dependent children aged 25 years or less .

### CODE 3 Single Men

This code is used to indicate a population aged between 26 and 49 years, and who do not have dependent children.

### CODE 4 Single Women

This code is used to indicate a population aged between 26 and 49 years, and who do not have dependent children.

### CODE 5 Families with children

This code is used to indicate a population who regard themselves as a family and have dependent children, aged 25 years of less. A family is defined as a group of two or more persons who usually live in the same household and who are related to each other by blood, marriage or adoption.

### CODE 6 Families without children

This code is used to indicate a population who regard themselves as a family and do not have dependent children, aged 25 years of less. A family is defined as a group of two or more persons who usually live in the same household and who are related to each other by blood, marriage or adoption.

### CODE 7 Older people

This code is used to indicate a population aged 50 years or more without dependent children aged 25 years or less .

### CODE 8 Other

This code is used to indicate that none of the other categories of the value domain are specified for attention.

## Relational attributes

**Data elements  
implementing this value  
domain:**

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