

# Household—principal source of cash income, community housing code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Principal household income source (community housing)
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	462758
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Superseded 30/08/2017
<b>Definition:</b>	The main source from which cash income is derived by a household client of a community housing organisation, as represented by a code.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Household—principal source of cash income</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Principal source of income (community housing) code N</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code	
<b>Data type:</b>	Number	
<b>Format:</b>	N	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	1	
	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	Wages
	2	Centrelink payments
	8	Other
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	9	Not stated/inadequately described

## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
<b>Steward:</b>	<a href="#">Australian Institute of Health and Welfare</a>

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	Income source is used to derive low income status of households and whether they may be eligible to receive Commonwealth rent assistance if the same household was living in the private rental market.
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<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	National Housing Data Development Committee
<b>Origin:</b>	Australian Bureau of Statistics. <a href="#">Standards for Social, Labour and Demographic Variables</a> . Viewed 3 November 2005.

## Relational attributes

**Related metadata  
references:**

Has been superseded by [Household—principal source of cash income, community housing code N](#)  
[Housing assistance](#), Standard 30/08/2017

**Implementation in Data Set  
Specifications:**

[Tenancy/vacancy cluster \(Mainstream community housing\)](#)  
[Housing assistance](#), Superseded 01/05/2013

**DSS specific information:** In the Community Housing 2009-10 collection 'Other' is recorded as '3' and 'Unknown' is recorded as 'U', they should be mapped to '8' and '9' respectively.

[Tenancy/vacancy cluster \(Mainstream community housing\)](#)  
[Housing assistance](#), Superseded 30/08/2017

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