

# Identifier—similar entity confirmed by

**Metadata item type:** Data Element Concept  
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**Definition:** The identifier of the organisation or individual provider that gives confirmation that two entities represented by different identifiers are not the same entity despite having similar identifying information.

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

**Object class:** [Identifier](#)  
**Definition:** A piece of information that establishes the identity of an entity.  
**Specialisation of:** [Party](#)

## Property attributes

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## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare  
**Reference documents:** Standards Australia 2014. AS 4846:2014 Person and provider identification in healthcare. Sydney: Standards Australia.

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## Relational attributes

**Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:** [Identifier—similar entity confirmed by, text X\[X\(199\)\]](#)

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