Person—sibling relationship, biological code N[N]

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Sibling relationship |
| Synonymous names: | Sibling biological relationship |
| METEOR identifier: | 529702 |
| Registration status: | [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 22/11/2016  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Recorded 04/10/2014 |
| Definition: | The biological relationship of a sibling to the subject child, as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Person—sibling relationship](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/529699) |
| Value Domain: | [Sibling biological relationship code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/529707) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | Number | |
| Format: | N[N] | |
| Maximum character length: | 2 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Full sibling |
|  | 2 | Half sibling |
| Supplementary values: | 99 | Not stated/inadequately described |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | CODE 1  Full sibling  Children who share both biological parents.  CODE 2   Half sibling  Children who share one biological parent. |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Steward: | [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/246013) |

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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | Siblings are children who share at least one biological parent (i.e. full siblings and half siblings). Step siblings and other sibling types (such as kinship relationships) are excluded. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Steward: | [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/246013) |
| Origin: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) 2013. Child Protection National Minimum Data Set, data collection manual 2012-13. Canberra: AIHW. |
| Relational attributes | |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Sibling file cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/525049)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 22/11/2016  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Recorded 04/10/2014  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2012 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2013  [Sibling file cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/655232)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 22/11/2016  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2012 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2014  [Sibling file cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/656489)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 22/11/2016  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2013 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2015  [Sibling file cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/656506)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 20/04/2018  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2014 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2016  [Sibling file cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/688450)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 20/01/2021  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2015 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2017  [Sibling file cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/706947)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 20/01/2021 |