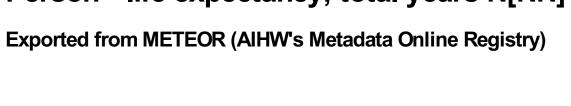
Person—life expectancy, total years N[NN]



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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: Life expectancy

METEOR identifier: 557421

Registration status: National Health Performance Authority (retired), Retired 01/07/2016

Definition: The number of years, on average, a person is expected to live, based on current

age and sex-specific death rates.

Data Element Concept: Person—life expectancy

Value Domain: <u>Total years N[NN]</u>

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:TotalData type:NumberFormat:N[NN]

Maximum character length: 3

Value Meaning

Supplementary values: 999 Unknown/not stated

Unit of measure: Year

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: A life table is a statistical model used to represent mortality of a population. In its

simplest form, a life table is generated from age-specific death rates and the resulting values are used to measure mortality, survivorship and life expectancy.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: National Health Performance Authority