

Person—interpreter service required, yes/no code A

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Patient interpreter required indicator
Synonymous names:	PER_INTERPRETER_REQUIRED
METEOR identifier:	562185
Registration status:	WA Health , Standard 19/03/2015
Definition:	The code that represents whether or not an interpreter service is required by or for the person.

Data element concept attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	Person—interpreter service required
METEOR identifier:	304292
Registration status:	Health , Standard 08/02/2006 Community Services (retired) , Standard 10/04/2006 WA Health , Standard 19/03/2015 Disability , Superseded 28/09/2016 Tasmanian Health , Standard 27/04/2021
Definition:	Whether an interpreter service is required by or for the person.
Context:	To assist in planning for provision of interpreter services.
Object class:	Person
Property:	Interpreter service required status

Value domain attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	Yes/no code A
METEOR identifier:	555670
Registration status:	WA Health , Standard 19/03/2015 Commonwealth Department of Health , Retired 19/10/2023
Definition:	A code set representing 'yes' and 'no'.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code						
Data type:	String						
Format:	A						
Maximum character length:	1						
Permissible values:	<table><thead><tr><th>Value</th><th>Meaning</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>Y</td><td>Yes</td></tr><tr><td>N</td><td>No</td></tr></tbody></table>	Value	Meaning	Y	Yes	N	No
Value	Meaning						
Y	Yes						
N	No						

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: Includes verbal language, non-verbal language and languages other than English.
Persons requiring interpreter services for any form of sign language should be coded as Y (interpreter service required).

Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection \(NAPAAWL DC\) 2013-14](#)
WA Health, Standard 19/03/2015

[WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection \(NAPAAWL DC\) 2014-15](#)
WA Health, Standard 24/04/2015

[WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection \(NAPAAWL DC\) 2016-17](#)
WA Health, Standard 30/05/2017