

Person file cluster (Mainstream community housing)

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Set Specification

METEOR identifier: 605348

Registration status:

- [Housing assistance](#), Standard 30/08/2017

DSS type: Data Element Cluster

Scope: The Person file cluster (Mainstream community housing) defines information about tenants who live in housing provided for low to moderate income or special needs [households](#). These dwellings are managed by community-based organisations that have received capital or recurrent subsidy from government. Community housing models vary across jurisdictions, and the housing stock may be owned by a variety of groups including government.

Collection and usage attributes

Statistical unit: [Person](#)

Collection methods: Data is collected via a survey of community housing providers and forwarded to state or territory housing authorities.

State and territory housing authorities provide the data to the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare for national collation on an annual basis.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Steward: [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](#)

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Supersedes [Person file cluster \(Mainstream community housing\)](#)

- [Housing assistance](#), Superseded 30/08/2017

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Mainstream community housing DSS 2013-18 Housing assistance](#), Superseded 10/05/2019

Implementation start date: 01/07/2013

Implementation end date: 30/06/2018

Conditional obligation:

This cluster is conditional on the basis of a person/household having an active tenancy in mainstream community housing during the collection period.

[Mainstream community housing DSS 2014-Housing assistance](#), Recorded 12/05/2016

Implementation start date: 01/07/2014

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Metadata items in this Data Set Specification

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
-	Person—Australian state/territory identifier, code N	Mandatory	1
-	Person—date of birth, DDMMYYYY	Mandatory	1
-	Person—household single/couple status, code N	Mandatory	1
-	Person—principal tenant indicator, yes/no code N	Mandatory	1
-	Person—sex, code N	Mandatory	1
-	Service provider organisation—household identifier, X[X(14)]	Mandatory	1
-	Service provider organisation—organisation identifier, X[X(14)]	Mandatory	1