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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Glossary Item |
| METEOR identifier: | 622601 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 03/12/2020 |
| Definition: | The process of identifying apparently healthy people who may be at increased risk of a disease or condition. They can then be offered information, further tests and appropriate treatment to reduce their risk and/or any complications arising from the disease or condition. |

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| Relational attributes |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Screening](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/733968)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 03/12/2020 |
| Metadata items which use this glossary item: | [Female—antenatal mental health risk screening status, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/622186)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 03/12/2020[Perinatal NBEDS 2020–21](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/716067)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 03/12/2020 |