Person—blow to the head indicator, prisoner health yes/no/unknown code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Blow to the head indicator |
| METEOR identifier: | 629132 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 28/04/2016 |
| Definition: | An indicator of whether a person has ever received a blow to the head resulting in a loss of consciousness, as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Person—blow to the head indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/358831)  |
| Value Domain: | [Prisoner health yes/no/unknown code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/631087) |

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| Value domain attributes |
| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N |
| Maximum character length: | 1 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Yes |
|   | 2 | No |
| Supplementary values: | 9  | Unknown  |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | For use in Prisoner health data collections. If this value domain is used with other metadata then 'Unknown' would map to code 8. |

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: |  Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Data element attributes  |
| Collection and usage attributes |
| Collection methods: | This information is based on self-reporting. Only record blows to the head which resulted in a loss of consciousness. |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Relational attributes |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Person—blow to the head indicator, yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/358833)[Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 06/02/2012[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 28/04/2016 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Prison dischargee NBEDS](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/624543)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 29/05/2024***DSS specific information:*** For the current time in prison, and may include sporting injuries and king hits.[Prison dischargee NBEDS 2018](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/696775)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 29/05/2024***DSS specific information:*** This data element corresponds to the following question of the Prison Dischargee Form: 16a. While in prison this time, did you receive a head injury/blow to the head resulting in a loss of consciousness or blacking out? (e.g. sporting injury, king hit).[Prison dischargee NBEDS 2022](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/760891)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 29/05/2024***DSS specific information:*** For the current time in prison and may include sporting injuries and king hits.This data element corresponds to the following question of the Prison Dischargee Form: 16a. While in prison this time, did you receive a head injury/blow to the head resulting in a loss of consciousness or blacking out? (e.g. sporting injury, king hit)[Prison entrants NBEDS](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/482353)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 28/04/2016[Prison entrants NBEDS 2018](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/697135)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 29/05/2024***DSS specific information:*** This data element corresponds to the following question of the Prison Entrants Form: 26a. Have you ever received a head injury or blow to the head resulting in a loss of consciousness or blacking out?[Prison entrants NBEDS 2022](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/761534)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 29/05/2024***DSS specific information:*** This data element corresponds to the following questions of the Prison Entrants Form:33a. Have you ever received a head injury or blow to the head resulting in a loss of consciousness or blacking out? |