Prison dischargee—mental health change since imprisonment indicator, prisoner health yes/no/unknown code N



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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: Mental health change since imprisonment indicator

METEOR identifier: 634188

Registration status: <u>Health</u>, Standard 28/04/2016

Definition: A self-reported indicator of whether the mental health of a prison dischargee has

changed since most recently entering prison, as represented by a code.

Data Element Concept: Prison dischargee—mental health change since imprisonment indicator

Value Domain: Prisoner health yes/no/unknown code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Number

Format:

Maximum character length: 1

Value Meaning

Permissible values: 1 Yes

2 No

Supplementary values: 9 Unknown

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.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: This data element should be used in conjunction with the data element Prison

dischargee—extent of mental health change since imprisonment, code N.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Related metadata references:

Supersedes Prison dischargee—mental health change since imprisonment

indicator, yes/no code N

Health, Superseded 28/04/2016

See also Prison dischargee—extent of mental health change since imprisonment,

code N

Health, Standard 28/04/2016

Implementation in Data Set Prison dischargee NBEDS Specifications:

Health, Standard 28/04/2016

DSS specific information:

This data element is included in the Prisoner health NBEDS as the National Prisoner Health Indicators include the indicator: Proportion of prison dischargees reporting that their mental health improved or stayed the same while in prison.