# Person—type of opioid pharmacotherapy treatment, code N

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### Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

**Short name:** Type of opioid pharmacotherapy treatment

**METEOR identifier:** 634297

Registration status: Health, Standard 28/04/2016

**Definition:** The type of opioid pharmacotherapy administered to a person, as represented by a

code.

 Value Domain:
 Person—type of opioid pharmacotherapy treatment

 Type of opioid pharmacotherapy treatment code N

#### Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Number

Format: N
Maximum character length: 1

Value Meaning

Permissible values: 1 Methadone

2 Other opioid pharmacotherapy

# Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: CODE 1 Methadone

Includes treatment programs whereby the administered opioid substitute is

methadone.

CODE 2 Other opioid pharmacotherapy

Includes opioid replacement programs such as naltrexone, buprenorphine,

suboxone or levacetylmethadyl (LAAM).

#### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Reference documents: Kastelic A, Pont J & Stover H 2008. Opioid substitution treatment in custodial

settings: a practical guide. Oldenburg: BIS-Verlag.

#### Data element attributes

# Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: This data element should be used in conjunction with the data elements: Person—

previous opioid pharmacotherapy treatment program indicator, prisoner health yes/no/unknown code N and Person—current opioid pharmacotherapy treatment program indicator, prisoner health yes/no/unknown code N to provide information

on a person's history of opioid pharmacotherapy treatment.

#### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Reference documents: Dolan KA, Hall W & Wodak A 1996. Methadone maintenance reduces injecting in

prison. British Medical Journal 312:1162.

Kastelic A, Pont J & Stover H 2008. Opioid substitution treatment in custodial

settings: a practical guide. Oldenburg: BIS-Verlag.

#### Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes Person—type of opioid pharmacotherapy treatment, code N

Health, Superseded 28/04/2016

Has been superseded by Person—type of opioid pharmacotherapy treatment,

code N

Health, Qualified 06/07/2023

See also Person—current opioid pharmacotherapy treatment program indicator,

prisoner health yes/no/unknown code N Health, Standard 28/04/2016

See also Person—previous opioid pharmacotherapy treatment program indicator,

<u>prisoner health yes/no/unknown code N</u>
<u>Health</u>, Standard 28/04/2016

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

Implementation in Data Set Opioid pharmacotherapy treatment cluster

Health, Standard 28/04/2016

Conditional obligation:

Conditional on the respondent indicating that they are currently on, or have been on a pharmacotherapy for opioid dependence.

DSS specific information:

This data element occurs twice: once for past treatment and once for current treatment.

Opioid pharmacotherapy treatment program cluster

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