

# State owned and managed Indigenous housing (SOMIH) DSS 2014-17

## Identifying and definitional attributes

**Metadata item type:** Data Set Specification

**METEOR identifier:** 635961

**Registration status:**

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

**DSS type:** Data Set Specification (DSS)

**Scope:** The State Owned and Managed Indigenous Housing (SOMIH) data set specification defines information about SOMIH tenancies covered by the National Affordable Housing Agreement (NAHA). Included are [households](#) residing in SOMIH dwellings where the dwelling is either:

- owned by the state/territory housing authority; or
- [head-leased from private market](#) or other housing program areas and managed by the state/territory housing authority for provision of public housing.

The SOMIH data set specification excludes dwellings:

- owned but not administered by the state/territory housing authority (for example, dwellings leased to other program areas, such as community housing or crisis and emergency accommodation programs)
- no longer under the administration of the state/territory housing authority at 30 June of the reference period (including dwellings demolished, sold or otherwise disposed of); and
- not yet available to the state/territory housing authority at 30 June of the reference period (including those still under construction or being purchased).

## Collection and usage attributes

**Statistical unit:** [Person](#), [Household](#), [Dwelling](#) and Vacancy Episodes.

**Collection methods:** *National reporting arrangements*

State and territory housing authorities provide the data to the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) for national collation on an annual basis. The SOMIH program is not applicable to Victoria, Western Australia, Australian Capital Territory, and Northern Territory.

*Periods for which data are collected and nationally collated*

The reference period starts on 1 July and ends on 30 June each financial year. The reference period for this collection is the financial year for which the data were collected: 2014-15, 2015-16 and 2016-17, respectively.

**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2014

**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2017

**Comments:**

While approved as the national standard, some details are not presented in accordance with best practice standards for metadata published as national standards in METeOR. Improvements may be made to the presentation of the metadata in the future; however they will not affect the meaning of the metadata or the interpretation of data collected using the metadata.

*Glossary items*

Glossary terms that are relevant to this data set specification include:

[Boarding house building](#)

[Boarding house room](#)

[Canadian National Occupancy Standard](#)

[Boarding house unit](#)

[Dependant](#)

[Disability](#)

[Family](#)

[Geographic indicator](#)

[Greatest need](#)

[Head-leased dwelling \(government\)](#)

[Head-leased dwelling \(private\)](#)

[Homeless](#)

[Household](#)

[Tenancy composition](#)

[Unincorporated business](#)

## Source and reference attributes

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

**Origin:** [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare \(AIHW\) 2014. Public rental housing and state owned and managed Indigenous housing data collection, processing and data manuals. Canberra: AIHW.](#)

**Reference documents:** COAG (Council of Australian Governments) 2009. Intergovernmental Agreement on Federal Financial Relations: National Affordable Housing Agreement. Canberra: COAG. Viewed 5 September 2016, [http://www.federalfinancialrelations.gov.au/content/national\\_agreements.aspx](http://www.federalfinancialrelations.gov.au/content/national_agreements.aspx).

Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) 2013. National housing and homelessness data dictionary: version 1, 2013. Cat. no. HOU 269. Canberra: AIHW.

## Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:**

See also [Public rental housing DSS 2014-17](#)

- [Housing assistance](#), Superseded 19/12/2017

Supersedes [State owned and managed Indigenous housing \(SOMIH\) DSS 2013-14](#)

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

Has been superseded by [State owned and managed Indigenous housing \(SOMIH\) DSS 2017-18](#)

- [Housing assistance](#), Superseded 05/05/2019

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1	<a href="#">Dwelling (housing assistance) cluster</a>	Mandatory	1
2	<a href="#">Dwelling history (housing assistance) cluster</a>	Mandatory	1
3	<a href="#">Household (housing assistance) cluster</a>	Conditional	1
4	<a href="#">Person (housing assistance) cluster</a>	Conditional	1
5	<a href="#">Person income (housing assistance) cluster</a>	Conditional	1
6	<a href="#">Waitlist (housing assistance) cluster</a>	Conditional	1