

# Recipient—level of educational attainment, code XXX

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

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| <b>Metadata item type:</b>   | Data Element   |
| <b>Short name:</b>           | Level of educational attainment  |
| <b>METEOR identifier:</b>    | 639258   |
| <b>Registration status:</b>  | <a href="#">Commonwealth Department of Social Services (retired)</a> , Standard 20/06/2018 |
| <b>Definition:</b>           | The level of educational attainment of a recipient, as represented by a code.              |
| <b>Data Element Concept:</b> | <a href="#">Recipient—level of educational attainment</a>                                  |
| <b>Value Domain:</b>         | <a href="#">Educational attainment code XXX</a>  |

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

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| <b>Representation class:</b>     | Code   |
| <b>Data type:</b>                | String |
| <b>Format:</b>                   | XXX    |
| <b>Maximum character length:</b> | 3      |

|                            | <b>Value</b> | <b>Meaning</b>                   |
|----------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|
| <b>Permissible values:</b> | ASD          | Associate Diploma                |
|                            | BAC          | Bachelor's Degree                |
|                            | CER          | Certificate - No longer valid    |
|                            | C01          | Certificate 1                    |
|                            | C02          | Certificate 2                    |
|                            | C03          | Certificate 3                    |
|                            | C04          | Certificate 4                    |
|                            | DIP          | Diploma                          |
|                            | DOC          | Doctorate                        |
|                            | HEB          | Bridging Course                  |
|                            | HNR          | Honours/Masters Qualification    |
|                            | MST          | Master's Degree                  |
|                            | PGR          | Post-Graduate Diploma            |
|                            | TRA          | Trade Qualification              |
|                            | U10          | Less than Year 10                |
|                            | UGR          | Undergraduate                    |
|                            | UNI          | Unknown with typographical error |
|                            | Y06          | Year 6                           |
|                            | Y07          | Year 7 - No longer valid         |
|                            | Y08          | Year 8 - No longer valid         |
|                            | Y09          | Year 9 - No longer valid         |
|                            | Y10          | Year 10                          |

|         |          |
|---------|----------|
| Y11     | Year 11  |
| Y12     | Year 12  |
| Y13     | Year 13  |
| UNK     | Unknown  |
| Missing | No value |

## Collection and usage attributes

### Guide for use:

#### CODE DIP Diploma

Includes: Advanced Diploma, Statement of Attainment at Advanced Diploma Level, Associate Degree, Statement of Attainment at Associate Degree level, Bridging and Enabling Course at Advanced Diploma and Associate Degree level, Diploma, Statement of Attainment at Diploma level, and Bridging and Enabling Course at Diploma level. Excludes Graduate Diploma.

#### CODE BAC Bachelor's Degree

Includes: Bachelor (Honours) Degree, Bachelor (Pass) Degree, Statement of Attainment at Bachelor Degree level, and Bridging and Enabling Course at Bachelor Degree level.

#### CODE C01 Certificate 1

Includes: Certificate I Statement of Attainment at Certificate I Level.

#### CODE C02 Certificate 2

Includes: Certificate II, Statement of Attainment at Certificate II Level, Bridging and Enabling Course at Certificate II Level,

#### CODE C03 Certificate 3

Includes: Certificate III, Statement of Attainment at Certificate III Level, Bridging and Enabling Course at Certificate III Level.

#### CODE C04 Certificate 4

Includes: Certificate IV, Statement of Attainment at Certificate IV Level, Bridging and Enabling Course at Certificate IV Level.

#### CODE DOC Doctorate

Includes: Higher Doctorate, Doctorate by Research, Doctorate by Coursework, Professional Specialist Qualification at Doctoral Degree level, Statement of Attainment at Doctoral Degree level, Bridging and Enabling Course at Doctoral Degree level.

#### CODE MST Master's Degree

Includes: Master Degree by Research, Master Degree by Coursework, Professional Specialist Qualification at Master Degree level, Statement of Attainment at Master Degree level, Bridging and Enabling Course at Master Degree level.

#### CODE PGR Post-Graduate Diploma

Includes: Graduate Diploma, Graduate Qualifying or Preliminary, Professional Specialist Qualification at Graduate Diploma level, Statement of Attainment at Graduate Diploma level, Bridging and Enabling Course at Graduate Diploma level.

## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Government Department of Social Services

**Reference documents:** Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) 2001. Australian Standard Classification of Education, Level of Education (ASCED). Cat. no. 1272.0, Canberra: ABS .

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:** The most recent level of educational attainment is recorded.

**Collection methods:** This information is only collected when it is needed by Centrelink.

## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Government Department of Social Services

## Relational attributes

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [Priority investment approach research DSS Commonwealth Department of Social Services \(retired\)](#), Standard 20/06/2018

***Conditional obligation:***

Conditional on the recipient receiving Youth Allowance (student or apprentice), AUSTUDY or ABSTUDY and who are not in receipt of other income support.

***DSS specific information:***

Level of educational attainment by the recipient refers to the variable EDU\_LVL\_ATTAIN\_CODE in the PIA research data set.