Person—legal status of prisoner, detention status code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Legal status of prisoner |
| METEOR identifier: | 640895 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 29/06/2016 |
| Definition: | The legal status of a prisoner, as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Person—legal status of prisoner](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/412273) |
| Value Domain: | [Detention status of prisoner code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/631928) |

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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 | Remand |
|  | 2 | Sentenced |
| 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 to be used with other metadata then 'Unknown' would map to code 8.  CODE 1 Remand  Remand refers to a person who is held in prison while awaiting the outcome of a court hearing.  CODE 2 Sentenced  Sentenced prisoners are those persons who have received a term of imprisonment from a court. This includes offenders who have been given an indeterminate sentence or custodial order, for example, persons detained under the 'Governor's/His/Her Majesty's Pleasure' and forensic patients, or those who have received a life sentence. |

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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 | |
| Guide for use: | This data element is used in conjunction with the data element: [Prison—number of prisoners released, number N[NN]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/626200) and [Person—prisoner health discharge summary indicator, yes/no code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/411257) to obtain information on the proportion of prisoners released from a prison who have a health-related discharge summary at the time of their release. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Person—legal status of prisoner, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/410530)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 29/06/2016  See also [Person—prisoner health discharge summary indicator, yes/no code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/411257)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 25/08/2011  See also [Prison—number of prisoners released, number N[NN]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/626200)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 29/05/2024 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Prisoner health discharge summary cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/624391)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 29/05/2024  [Prisoner health discharge summary cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/696661)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 29/05/2024 |