

Person—partner's Indigenous status, code A

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Partner's Indigenous status
METEOR identifier:	647017
Registration status:	Commonwealth Department of Social Services (retired) , Standard 20/06/2018
Definition:	Whether a person's partner identifies as being of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Person—partner's Indigenous status
Value Domain:	Indigenous status code A

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	String	
Format:	A	
	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	I	Indigenous
	N	Non-Indigenous
	U	Unknown

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Government Department of Social Services
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Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	This information is collected on a voluntary basis and is of unknown quality. Individuals may change their identification over time.
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Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Government Department of Social Services
Reference documents:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare 2010. National best practice guidelines for collecting Indigenous status in health data sets. Cat. no. IHW 29. Canberra: AIHW. Viewed 29 September 2015, http://www.aihw.gov.au/publication-detail/?id=6442468342 .

Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [Demographics Cluster](#)
[Commonwealth Department of Social Services \(retired\)](#), Standard 20/06/2018

Conditional obligation:

Conditional on a person having a partner.

DSS specific information:

Partner's Indigenous status refers to the variable PTN_INDIG_STS in the PIA research data set.