Person—identifier type

Exported from METEOR (AIHW's Metadata Online Registry)

Person—identifier type

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element Concept
METEOR identifier:	654394
Registration status:	Health, Superseded 25/01/2018
Definition:	The geographical or administrative organisational unit for which the unique person identifier is applicable.

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class:	Person
Definition:	A human being.

Collection and usage attributes

Comments:	Prior to 13 March 2018, the definition of the 'Person' Object class was 'A human being, whether man, woman or child'. From 13 March 2018, the definition was edited by removing the words '…whether man, woman or child' so that a person is defined as 'A human being'. This amendment was undertaken to align the definition of a person with the *Australian Government Guidelines on the Recognition of Sex and Gender* and the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) *Standard for Sex and Gender Variables*, which recognise that there are sex and gender types that are not exclusively male or female.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
Origin:	Macquarie University 2003. *The Macquarie Dictionary 3rd ed.* Sydney: The Macquarie Library Pty. Ltd
Reference documents:	Attorney-General's Department 2015. Australian Government Guidelines on the Recognition of Sex and Gender. Viewed 26 July 2016, https://www.ag.gov.au/Publications/Pages/ AustralianGovernmentGuidelines ontheRecognitionofSexandGender.aspx
	ABS (Australian Bureau of Statistics) 2016. Standard for Sex and Gender Variables, 2016. ABS Cat. no. 1200.0.55.012. Canberra: ABS. Viewed 26 July 2016, http://abs.gov.au/AUSSTATS/abs@.nsf/ Lookup/1200.0.55.012 Main+Features12016?OpenDocument

Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property:	Identifier type
Definition:	The class of identifier based on the extent to which it applies across geographic or administrative boundaries.
Property group:	Identifier characteristics

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element concept attributes

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Independent Hospital Pricing Authority

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes [Person—identifier type](#)
[Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Superseded 28/02/2017

Has been superseded by [Person—unit identifier type](#)
[Health](#), Standard 25/01/2018

Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:

[Person—identifier type, mental health organisation type code NN](#)
[Health](#), Superseded 25/01/2018