Person—co-existing disability group

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# Person—co-existing disability group

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element Concept |
| METEOR identifier: | 680753 |
| Registration status: | [Disability](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/16), Standard 15/12/2017 |
| Definition: | A person's impairment in body structure or function, limitation in activity or restriction in participation that exists at the same time as the primary disability. |

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Object class: | [Person](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/268955) |
| 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/AustralianGovernmentGuidelinesontheRecognitionofSexandGender.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/1200.0.55.012Main+Features12016?OpenDocument](http://abs.gov.au/AUSSTATS/abs%40.nsf/Lookup/1200.0.55.012Main%2BFeatures12016?OpenDocument) |

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Property: | [Co-existing disability group](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/681089) |
| Definition: | The impairment in body structure or function, limitation in activity, or restriction in participation that exists at the same time as an individual's primary disability. |
| Property group: | [Impairment characteristic](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/525483) |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | National Disability Data Network (NDDN) |
| Steward: | [Disability Policy and Research Working Group (DPRWG)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/367581) |

## Data element concept attributes

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | National Disability Data Network (NDDN) |
| Steward: | [Disability Policy and Research Working Group (DPRWG)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/367581) |
| Origin: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare 2016. Disability Services National Minimum Data Set: data guide, July 2016. Cat. no. DAT 4. Canberra: AIHW. |

### Relational attributes

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| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Person—co-existing disability group](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/513798)        [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 10/04/2013       [Disability](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/16), Superseded 15/12/2017See also [Person—primary disability group](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/680775)       [Disability](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/16), Standard 15/12/2017 |
| Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept: | [Person—co-existing disability group, code N(N)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/680749)       [Disability](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/16), Standard 15/12/2017 |