

Person—registered/awaiting government payment indicator

Metadata item type: Data Element Concept

METEOR identifier: 690718

Registration status:

- [Homelessness](#), Standard 10/08/2018

Definition: An indicator of whether a person has applied for a government benefit, pension or allowance, but is still awaiting their first payment.

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/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>

Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property: [Registered/awaiting government payment indicator](#)

Definition: An indicator of whether an application has been made for a government benefit, pension or allowance, with the first payment still being awaited.

Property group: [Financial characteristics](#)

Data element concept attributes

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes [Person—registered/awaiting government payment indicator](#)

- [Community Services \(retired\)](#), Standard 30/11/2007
- [Homelessness](#), Superseded 10/08/2018
- [Housing assistance](#), Standard 23/08/2010

Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:

[Person—registered/awaiting government payment indicator, yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N](#)

- [Homelessness](#), Standard 10/08/2018