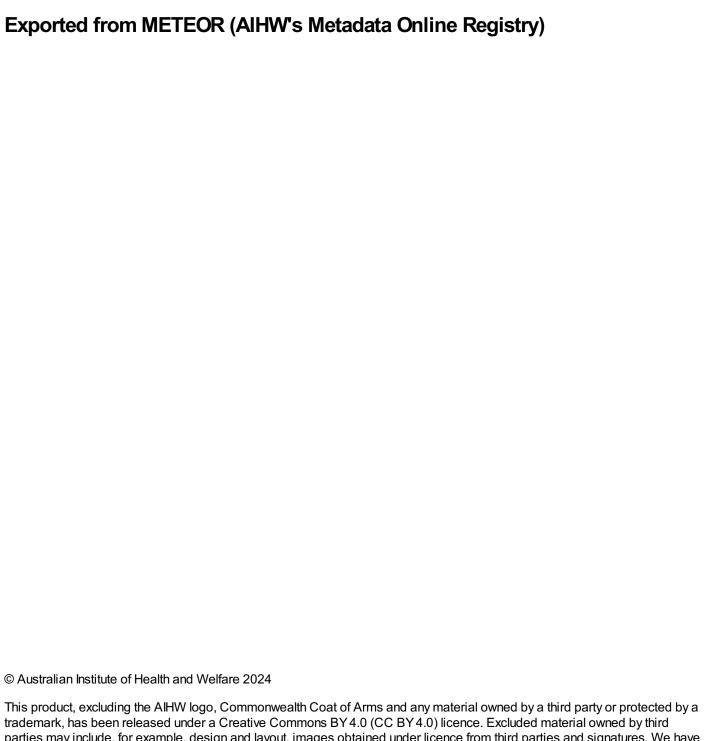
Prison dischargee—length of time imprisoned, code N



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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: Length of time imprisoned

Synonymous names: Time in prison

METEOR identifier: 696790

Registration status: Health, Qualified 06/07/2023

Definition: The length of time a prison dischargee has spent in a **prison**, as represented by a

code.

Data Element Concept: Prison dischargee—length of time imprisoned

Value Domain: Length of time code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Number

Format: N

Maximum character length: 1

 Value
 Meaning

 Permissible values:
 1
 1 to 31 days

 2
 1 to 3 months

 3
 3 to 6 months

 4
 6 to 12 months

 5
 1 to 2 years

 6
 2 to 5 years

Supplementary values: 9 Unknown

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Unit of measure: Period

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: Length of time imprisoned for the current period of imprisonment. If the prisoner has

More than 5 years

been in prison multiple times during their life, do not include this in the response. If

the exact number is unknown, enter an estimate.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes Prison dischargee—length of time imprisoned, code N

Health, Standard 28/04/2016

Specifications:

Implementation in Data Set Prison dischargee NBEDS 2018 Health, Qualified 06/07/2023

DSS specific information:

This data element corresponds to the following question of the Prison Dischargee

11. How long have you been in prison this time?

For most recent imprisonment.

Prison dischargee NBEDS 2022 Health, Qualified 06/07/2023 DSS specific information:

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Form:

11. How long have you been in prison this time?