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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Glossary Item |
| METEOR identifier: | 733968 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 03/12/2020 |
| Definition: | The process of identifying apparently healthy people who may be at increased risk of a disease, condition or harm through the use of standardised tests, examinations or other procedures. Those identified as being at increased risk can then be offered information, further tests and appropriate treatment to reduce their risk and/or any complications arising from the disease, condition or harm. |

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| Relational attributes |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Screening](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/622601)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 03/12/2020 |
| Metadata items which use this glossary item: | [Family violence screening status](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/733536)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 03/12/2020[Female—antenatal mental health risk screening status](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/733472)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 03/12/2020[Female—antenatal mental health risk screening status, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/733468)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 03/12/2020[Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Standard 27/03/2023[Perinatal NBEDS 2021–22](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/727295)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 17/12/2021[Perinatal NBEDS 2022–23](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/742055)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 09/12/2022[Perinatal NBEDS 2023–24](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/756064)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 06/12/2023[Perinatal NBEDS 2024–25](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/775716)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/12/2023[Person—family violence screening status](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/733539)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 03/12/2020[Person—family violence screening status, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/733542)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 03/12/2020 |