

Person—dementia diagnosis status, code N

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Dementia diagnosis status
METEOR identifier:	737883
Registration status:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health, Recorded 13/01/2022
Definition:	Whether a person has been diagnosed with dementia , as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Person—dementia diagnosis status

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code								
Data type:	Number								
Format:	N								
Maximum character length:	1								
Permissible values:	<table><thead><tr><th>Value</th><th>Meaning</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>1</td><td>Diagnosed with dementia</td></tr><tr><td>2</td><td>Not diagnosed with dementia</td></tr><tr><td>3</td><td>Not assessed</td></tr></tbody></table>	Value	Meaning	1	Diagnosed with dementia	2	Not diagnosed with dementia	3	Not assessed
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Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:

CODE 1 Diagnosed with dementia

Record if a person is reported to have a confirmed diagnosis of dementia (including Alzheimer's disease) after clinical assessment.

CODE 2 Not diagnosed with dementia

Record if a person, after clinical assessment, is reported to not have a confirmed or suspected diagnosis of dementia.

CODE 3 Not assessed

Record if a person has not been assessed for dementia in a clinical setting.

CODE 9 Not stated/inadequately described

This code is for use where information is insufficient to assign CODE 1 - CODE 3, or the information is unclear or unavailable.

Data element attributes

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Dementia NBPDS Health](#), Recorded 13/01/2022

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