Person—dementia diagnosis status, code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Dementia diagnosis status |
| METEOR identifier: | 737883 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 05/10/2022 |
| Definition: | Whether a person has been [**diagnosed**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/327224) with [**dementia**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/737874), as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Person—dementia diagnosis status](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/737881)  |
| Value Domain: | [Dementia clinical diagnosis status code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/422940) |

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| Value domain attributes |
| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N |
| Maximum character length: | 1 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Diagnosed with dementia |
|   | 2 | Not diagnosed with dementia |
|   | 3 | Not assessed |
| Supplementary values: | 9  | Not stated/inadequately described  |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | CODE 1     Diagnosed with dementiaRecord if a person is reported to have a confirmed diagnosis of dementia (including Alzheimer's disease) after clinical assessment. CODE 2     Not diagnosed with dementiaRecord if a person, after clinical assessment, is reported to not have a confirmed or suspected diagnosis of dementia. CODE 3     Not assessedRecord if a person has not been assessed for dementia in a clinical setting. CODE 9     Not stated/inadequately describedThis code is for use where information is insufficient to assign CODE 1 - CODE 3, or the information is unclear or unavailable. |

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Relational attributes |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Dementia NBPDS](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/737872)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 05/10/2022 |