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Dementia living arrangement code NN

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Value Domain

METEOR identifier: 737919

Registration status: Health, Standard 05/10/2022

Definition: A code set representing the living arrangement of a person <u>diagnosed</u> with

dementia.

Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: String

Format: NN

Maximum character length: 2

Permissible values:

01 Lives alone

02 Lives with family - partner only

03 Lives with family - other

04 Lives with others

10 Other

Supplementary values: 99 Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: CODE 01 Lives alone

The person lives on their own. A person living alone in a private room within a retirement village, aged care facility, boarding house etc. should be coded as CODE 04 'Lives with others'.

CODE 02 Lives with family - partner only

The person lives with their partner only. Includes spousal and de facto relationships.

CODE 03 Lives with family - other

The person lives with family members. Family members may include the person's partner but if they live with their partner only, the person should be coded as CODE 02 'Lives with family – partner only'. If the person's household includes both family and non-family members, the person should be coded as living with family.

CODE 04 Lives with others

The person lives with non-family members.

CODE 10 Other

The person's living arrangements are not described by CODE 01–CODE 04.

CODE 99 Not stated/inadequately described

This code is for use where information is insufficient to assign CODE 01–CODE 10, unclear or unavailable.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Relational attributes

Data elements implementing this value domain:

Person—living arrangement, dementia code NN

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