

# Identifier—identifier status, Individual Healthcare Identifier number status code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Individual Healthcare Identifier (IHI) number status
<b>Synonymous names:</b>	IHI number status
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	743466
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 20/10/2021
<b>Definition:</b>	An identifier to describe the status of the Individual Healthcare Identifier (IHI) number.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Identifier—identifier status</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Individual Healthcare Identifier number status code N</a>

## Value domain attributes

### Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code	
<b>Data type:</b>	Number	
<b>Format:</b>	N	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	1	
	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	Active
	2	Deceased
	3	Retired
	4	Expired
	5	Resolved
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	9	Not stated / inadequately described

## Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:**

The number status includes:

CODE 1    Active

Use for IHI numbers attached to a Verified, Unverified or Provisional IHI record where a date of death is not present, where the recorded age is < 130 years, and which is not expired.

CODE 2    Deceased

Use for IHI numbers attached to a Verified, Unverified or Provisional IHI record where a date of death is present, but which has not yet been matched with Fact of Death Data (FoDD) from Births, Deaths and Marriages Registries, and where the recorded age is < 130 years.

For Provisional records only, the record should have < 90 days of no activity.

CODE 3    Retired

Use for IHI numbers attached to a Verified or Unverified IHI record where a date of death is present and either (a) the record has been matched with Fact of Death Data (FoDD) from Births, Deaths and Marriages Registries and has had no activity for 90 days, or (b) the age recorded is ≥ 130 years (Verified IHI records only).

CODE 4    Expired

Use for IHI numbers attached to either (a) a Provisional IHI record where there has been no activity on the record for 90 days, or (b) an Unverified IHI record where the age recorded is ≥ 130 years.

CODE 5    Resolved

Use for IHI numbers attached to a Verified, Unverified or Provisional IHI record which is linked with another record as part of resolving a provisional record or resolving a duplicate record and end dated as part of the replica resolution process.

**Comments:**

Verified, Unverified and Provisional IHI record status are defined in [Individual Healthcare Identifier record status, code N](#).

## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:**    Independent Hospital Pricing Authority (IHPA)

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:**

To be reported when the [Person—Individual Healthcare Identifier, N16](#) (IHI Number) is reported.

## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:**    Independent Hospital Pricing Authority

## Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:**

See also [Identifier—record status, Individual Healthcare Identifier record status code N](#)

[Health](#), Standard 20/10/2021

See also [Person—Individual Healthcare Identifier, N\(16\)](#)

[Health](#), Standard 20/10/2021

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [Individual Healthcare Identifier NBEDS 2022-23](#)  
[Health](#), Superseded 23/01/2023

**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2022

**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2023

**Conditional obligation:**

This data element is only to be reported if the Person—Individual Healthcare Identifier, N(16) is reported.

[Individual Healthcare Identifier NBEDS 2023-24](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 06/12/2023

**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2023

**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2024

**Conditional obligation:**

This data element is only to be reported if the Person—Individual Healthcare Identifier, N(16) is reported.

[Individual Healthcare Identifier NBEDS 2024-25](#)

[Health](#), Standard 06/12/2023

**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2024

**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2025

**Conditional obligation:**

This data element is only to be reported if the Person—Individual Healthcare Identifier, N(16) is reported.