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Seq No.	Metadata item	METEOR identifier	Data Type [Length]	Value & Meaning
1	Date of birth	287007	Date/Time [8]	DDMMYYYY The day of a particular month and year.
2	Sex of a person	741686	String [1]	1 Male 2 Female 3 Another term 9 Not stated/inadequately described
3	Australian postcode	611398	String [4]	0097 Not applicable 0098 Unknown 0099 Not stated/inadequately described
4	Area of usual residence (SA2)	747315	String [9]	N(9) A code set representing a medium-sized general purpose area aggregated from whole Statistical Area Level 1s (SA1s).
5	Australian state/territory identifier (person)	720078	Number [1]	1 New South Wales 2 Victoria 3 Queensland 4 South Australia 5 Western Australia 6 Tasmania 7 Northern Territory 8 Australian Capital Territory 9 Other territories (Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Christmas Island and Jervis Bay Territory)
6	Country of birth	659454	Number [4]	NNNN The Standard Australian Classification of Countries (SACC 2016) code set representing a country.
7	Indigenous status	602543	Number [1]	1 Aboriginal but not Torres Strait Islander origin 2 Torres Strait Islander but not Aboriginal origin 3 Both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin 4 Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander origin 9 Not stated/inadequately described
8	Preferred language	659407	Number [4]	N[NNN] The Australian Standard Classification of Languages (ASCL) code set representing languages.

Seq No.	Metadata item	METEOR identifier	Data Type [Length]	Value & Meaning
9	Public dental listing date	428485	Date/Time [8]	DDMMYYYY The day of a particular month and year.
10	Public dental waiting list type	429615	Number [1]	1 General dental care 2 Denture care 3 Assessment 9 Not stated/inadequately described
11	Offer of dental care date	428965	Date/Time [8]	DDMMYYYY The day of a particular month and year.
12	Date of first dental visit	446601	Date/Time [8]	DDMMYYYY The day of a particular month and year.