

Person—COVID-19 test indicator, prisoner health yes/no/unknown code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	COVID-19 test indicator
METEOR identifier:	766624
Registration status:	Health , Qualified 06/07/2023
Definition:	An indicator of whether a person has been tested for the coronavirus disease caused by the SARS-CoV-2 virus, as represented by a code.
Context:	Prisoner health
Data Element Concept:	Person—COVID-19 test indicator
Value Domain:	Prisoner health yes/no/unknown code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N	
Maximum character length:	1	
	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Yes
	2	No
Supplementary values:	9	Unknown

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	For use in Prisoner health data collections. If this value domain is used with other metadata then 'Unknown' would map to code 8.
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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 [Prison dischargee NBEDS 2022](#)
Specifications: [Health](#), Qualified 06/07/2023

DSS specific information:

This data element corresponds to the following question of the Prison Dischargee Form:

56a. Were you tested for COVID-19 on entry to prison?