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# **Sex of prison entrants cluster**

### Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Set Specification

METEOR identifier: 769440

**Registration status:** <u>Health</u>, Qualified 06/07/2023

**DSS type:** Data Element Cluster

**Scope:** The Sex of prison entrants cluster defines the number of males and females

entering Australia's prisons during the National Prisoner Health Data Collection

period.

### Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: The Sex of prison entrants cluster comprises two data elements: Prison—number

of prison entrants, total N[NNNN] and Person—sex, code X. In combination these

data elements define the following information:

| Sex                                 | Number of prison entrants |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Male                                | N[NNNN]                   |
| Female                              | N[NNNN]                   |
| Other                               | N[NNNN]                   |
| Not recorded/inadequately described | N[NNNN]                   |

**Comments:** The number and sex of persons entering Australia's prisons during the National

Prisoner Health Data Collection period will be used to derive statistics on the

demographic characteristics of prison entrants.

#### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes Sex of prison entrants cluster

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Specifications:

DSS specific information:

This data element corresponds to the following question of the Prison

Establishment form:

12. Total number of prison entrants into your facility during the 2-week collection

period, by sex?

## Metadata items in this Data Set Specification

#### Seq No. Metadata item

#### **Obligation Max occurs**

- Person—sex, code X

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DSS specific information:

In the Prison establishments NBEDS

- code 3 refers to 'Other'
- code 9 refers to 'Not recorded'.
- Prison—number of prison entrants, total N[NNNN] Mandatory 3