

Person—age range, code N[N]

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Age range
Synonymous names:	Age group; Five-year age group
METEOR identifier:	769565
Registration status:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, Recorded 01/02/2023
Definition:	The age range that best accommodates a person's completed age in years, as represented by a code (based on five-year age ranges).
Data Element Concept:	Person—age range
Value Domain:	Age range code N[N]

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	N[N]
Maximum character length:	2

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	0–4 years
	2	5–9 years
	3	10–14 years
	4	15–19 years
	5	20–24 years
	6	25–29 years
	7	30–34 years
	8	35–39 years
	9	40–44 years
	10	45–49 years
	11	50–54 years
	12	55–59 years
	13	60–64 years
	14	65–69 years
	15	70–74 years
	16	75–79 years
	17	80–84 years
	18	85+ years
Supplementary values:	99	Unknown age

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
Origin: National Mortality Database.

Data element attributes

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Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [National mortality database DSS 1964-1967](#)
[Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](#), Recorded 11/08/2023
Implementation start date: 01/01/1964
Implementation end date: 31/12/1967

[National mortality database DSS 1968-1977](#)
[Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](#), Recorded 30/10/2023
Implementation start date: 01/01/1968
Implementation end date: 31/12/1977

[National mortality database DSS 1978](#)
[Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](#), Recorded 30/10/2023
Implementation start date: 01/01/1978
Implementation end date: 31/12/1978

[National mortality database DSS 1979](#)
[Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](#), Recorded 30/10/2023
Implementation start date: 01/01/1979
Implementation end date: 31/12/1979