Person—date of death, DD

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Day of death |
| METEOR identifier: | 769965 |
| Registration status: | [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/24), Recorded 01/02/2023 |
| Definition: | The day of the month upon which a person ceases to live, expressed as DD. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Person—date of death](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/646023) |
| Value Domain: | [Date DD](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/769963) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Date | |
| Data type: | Date/Time | |
| Format: | DD | |
| Maximum character length: | 2 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Supplementary values: | 99 | Not stated/inadequately described |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | See also [Person—date of death, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/646025)  [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/24), Recorded 30/10/2023  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 05/10/2016  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Standard 03/05/2021 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [National mortality database DSS 1964-1967](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/769559)  [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/24), Recorded 11/08/2023  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/01/1964 ***Implementation end date:*** 31/12/1967 ***DSS specific information:***  In the National Mortality Database, the permissible values are 01-31.  If day of death is not available, date is coded to 15 (i.e., CODE 99 'Not stated/inadequately described' is not used.)  [National mortality database DSS 1968-1977](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/783273)  [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/24), Recorded 30/10/2023  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/01/1968 ***Implementation end date:*** 31/12/1977 ***DSS specific information:***  In the National Mortality Database, the permissible values are 01-31.  If day of death is not available, date is coded to 15 (i.e., CODE 99 'Not stated/inadequately described' is not used.)  [National mortality database DSS 1978](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/783276)  [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/24), Recorded 30/10/2023  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/01/1978 ***Implementation end date:*** 31/12/1978 ***DSS specific information:***  In the National Mortality Database, the permissible values are 01-31.  If day of death is not available, date is coded to 15 (i.e., CODE 99 'Not stated/inadequately described' is not used.)  [National mortality database DSS 1979](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/783285)  [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/24), Recorded 30/10/2023  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/01/1979 ***Implementation end date:*** 31/12/1979 ***DSS specific information:***  In the National Mortality Database, the permissible values are 01-31.  If day of death is not available, date is coded to 15 (i.e., CODE 99 'Not stated/inadequately described' is not used.) |