

Informant relationship code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Value Domain
METEOR identifier:	784472
Registration status:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, Qualified 17/01/2024
Definition:	A code set representing types of relationships between a person who provides information and another person.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	N
Maximum character length:	1

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Self
	2	Family member
	3	Friend, neighbour or acquaintance
	4	Paid carer, service provider or organisation
	8	Other
Supplementary values:	9	Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:**CODE 1 Self**

Choose this code when a person is providing information about themselves.

CODE 2 Family member

Choose this code when a family member is providing information about a person.

Includes all relatives including step, in-law, ex-, adoptive or foster relationships. Also includes members of indigenous communities who are accepted as being related to the person, or part of their kinship networks.

CODE 3 Friend, neighbour or acquaintance

Choose this code when an unrelated person or acquaintance who is known to, or lives in close proximity to, a person is providing information about the person.

CODE 4 Paid carer, service provider or service provider organisation

Choose this code when a paid carer, service provider, or service provider organisation, is providing information about a person.

Includes persons providing formal care, or associated with service provider organisations, including medical, financial, welfare, legal and housing or other services.

CODE 8 Other

Choose this code when someone other than those listed above is providing information about a person.

Includes all other persons or organisations not classified above (such as ministers of religion, employees or employers, tenants, or government agencies and instrumentalities not classified above).

CODE 9 Not stated/inadequately described

Choose this code when the information is not stated or otherwise inadequately described (eg. when a response has not been recorded.)

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Relational attributes

Data elements implementing this value domain:

[Person—relationship to reference person, informant code N](#)
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