

# Sex

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Property
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	269231
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Community Services (retired)</a> , Standard 01/03/2005 <a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 22/10/2005 <a href="#">Independent Hospital Pricing Authority</a> , Standard 01/11/2012 <a href="#">Disability</a> , Standard 07/10/2014 <a href="#">WA Health</a> , Standard 19/03/2015 <a href="#">Commonwealth Department of Health</a> , Standard 14/10/2015 <a href="#">National Health Performance Authority (retired)</a> , Retired 01/07/2016 <a href="#">Children and Families</a> , Standard 22/11/2016 <a href="#">Health!</a> , Superseded 11/05/2017 <a href="#">Indigenous</a> , Superseded 16/10/2017 <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Superseded 09/01/2018 <a href="#">Early Childhood</a> , Superseded 24/07/2018 <a href="#">Homelessness</a> , Superseded 10/08/2018
<b>Definition:</b>	The biological distinction between male and female.
<b>Property group:</b>	<a href="#">Demographic/social/cultural characteristics</a>

## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
<b>Origin:</b>	Australian Bureau of Statistics 1999. <a href="#">Standards for Social, Labour and Demographic Variables Demographic Variables, Sex</a>

## Relational attributes

<b>Related metadata references:</b>	Has been superseded by <a href="#">Sex</a> <a href="#">Early Childhood</a> , Standard 24/07/2018 <a href="#">Health!</a> , Superseded 15/02/2022 <a href="#">Homelessness</a> , Standard 10/08/2018 <a href="#">Indigenous</a> , Standard 16/10/2017 <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Standard 09/01/2018
<b>Data Element Concepts implementing this property:</b>	<a href="#">Person—sex</a> <a href="#">Children and Families</a> , Standard 22/11/2016 <a href="#">Commonwealth Department of Health</a> , Standard 14/10/2015 <a href="#">Community Services (retired)</a> , Standard 01/03/2005 <a href="#">Disability</a> , Standard 07/10/2014 <a href="#">Early Childhood</a> , Superseded 24/07/2018 <a href="#">Health!</a> , Superseded 11/05/2017 <a href="#">Homelessness</a> , Superseded 10/08/2018 <a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 10/02/2006 <a href="#">Independent Hospital Pricing Authority</a> , Standard 01/11/2012 <a href="#">Indigenous</a> , Superseded 16/10/2017 <a href="#">National Health Performance Authority (retired)</a> , Retired 01/07/2016 <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Superseded 09/01/2018 <a href="#">WA Health</a> , Standard 19/03/2015  <a href="#">Person—sex (housing assistance)</a> <a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Superseded 10/02/2006