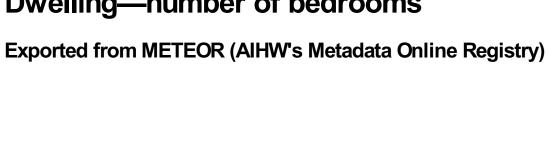
# **Dwelling—number of bedrooms**



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## **Dwelling—number of bedrooms**

### Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element Concept

METEOR identifier: 269664

Registration status: Housing assistance, Superseded 10/02/2006

**Definition:** The number of bedrooms in each occupied dwelling.

**Context:** Actual and ideal number of bedrooms required to calculate the national proxy

occupancy standard for overcrowding.

## **Object Class attributes**

### Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class: <a href="Dwelling">Dwelling</a>
Synonymous names: <a href="Dwelling">Dwelling</a>
METEOR identifier: 268982

Registration status: Community Services (retired), Standard 01/03/2005

Housing assistance, Superseded 30/08/2017

**Definition:** A structure or a discrete space within a structure intended for people to live in or

where a person or group of people live. Thus a structure that people actually live in is a dwelling regardless of its intended purpose, but a vacant structure is only a dwelling if intended for human residence. A dwelling may include one or more rooms used as an office or workshop provided the dwelling is in residential use.

**Context:** Dwellings are the main counting unit in the housing sector. Dwellings are reported

for a variety of purposes including number of untenantable or tenantable, and occupied or vacant dwellings. Dwellings may be owned and/or, managed, and/or available for a use by a specific program, including head-leased stock from <a href="mailto:private">private</a> and <a href="mailto:government">government</a> sources. A dwelling includes a <a href="mailto:boarding house building">boarding house building</a> and

boarding house units.

Specialisation of: Environmental factors

## Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: Boarding house rooms or beds are not identified as separate dwellings unless

they are self-contained. Self-contained rooms are therefore defined as units and

are counted as a separate dwelling.

For the public rental housing and state owned and managed Indigenous housing data collections, the number of tenancy (rental) units is used as a proxy for counting

the number of dwellings.

#### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** National Housing Data Development Committee

Origin: Australian Bureau of Statistics: 2001 Census Data Dictionary (Cat. no. 2901.0).

Reference through: <a href="http://www.abs.gov.au">http://www.abs.gov.au</a>.

## **Property attributes**

## Identifying and definitional attributes

Property: Number of bedrooms

METEOR identifier: 269191

**Registration status:** Housing assistance, Standard 01/03/2005

**Definition:** A count of bedrooms.

Property group: <u>Material resource characteristics</u>

## Data element concept attributes

#### Source and reference attributes

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

#### Relational attributes

Related metadata Has been superseded by <u>Dwelling—number of bedrooms</u>

references: Housing assistance, Standard 10/02/2006

Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:

<u>Dwelling—number of bedrooms, total N[NN]</u>
<u>Housing assistance</u>, Superseded 10/02/2006