Person (name)—name suffix, text A[A(11)]

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Name suffix |
| Synonymous names: | Name suffix |
| METEOR identifier: | 270255 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 04/05/2005  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Superseded 25/08/2005 |
| Data Element Concept: | [Person (name)—name suffix](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/269707) |
| Value Domain: | [Name suffix text A[A(11)]](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/270801) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Text | |
| Data type: | String | |
| Format: | A[A(11)] | |
| Maximum character length: | 12 | |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | Valid abbreviations from the Australian Standard AS4590-1999 Interchange of client information. |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Origin: | Standards Australia 1999. Australian Standard AS4590-1999 Interchange of Client Information. Sydney: Standards Australia Standards Australia 2002. Australian Standard AS5017-2002 Health Care Client Identification. Sydney: Standards Australia |

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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | Mixed case should be used (rather than upper case only).  Examples of name suffixes are 'Jr' for Junior and 'MP' for Member of Parliament. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Standards Australia  National Health Data Committee  National Community Services Data Committee |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Person (name)—name suffix, text A[A(11)]](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/287164)  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Superseded 06/02/2012  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 04/05/2005  Is re-engineered from  [Name suffix, version 2, DE, Int. NCSDD & NHDD, NCSIMG & NHIMG, Superseded 01/03/2005.pdf](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/273956)  (14.6 KB)  *No registration status* |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Health care client identification](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/273055)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 04/05/2005  ***DSS specific information:*** More than one Name suffix may be collected. Use a single space between each suffix. |