

# Person—interpreter service required status (health), code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Need for interpreter service
<b>Synonymous names:</b>	Need for interpreter service
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	270345
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health!</a> , Superseded 08/02/2006
<b>Definition:</b>	Need for interpreter services (yes/no) as perceived by the person, as represented by a code.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Person—interpreter service required status (health)</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Health interpreter service required code N</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code	
<b>Data type:</b>	Boolean	
<b>Format:</b>	N	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	1	
	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	0	Interpreter not needed
	1	Interpreter needed

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Comments:</b>	This metadata item has not been included in the National minimum data set - Admitted patient care because of reservations about its utility in assessing demand for interpreter services and concerns that a question of this nature might raise expectations of service provision which could not always be fulfilled.
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## Source and reference attributes

<b>Origin:</b>	National Health Data Committee
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## Relational attributes

<b>Related metadata references:</b>	Has been superseded by <a href="#">Person—interpreter service required, yes/no code N Community Services (retired)</a> , Standard 10/04/2006 <a href="#">Disability</a> , Superseded 29/02/2016 <a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 08/02/2006 <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Standard 27/04/2021
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