Person—assessable income



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Person—assessable income

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element Concept

METEOR identifier: 302214

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

Definition: The value of income from all sources as specified and used by the agency to

establish eligibility of a person for receipt of housing assistance.

Context: Assessable income is used to determine eligibility for housing assistance.

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class: Person

Definition: A human being.

Collection and usage attributes

Comments: Prior to 13 March 2018, the definition of the 'Person' Object class was 'A human

being, whether man, woman or child'. From 13 March 2018, the definition was edited by removing the words '...whether man, woman or child' so that a person is defined as 'A human being'. This amendment was undertaken to align the definition of a person with the *Australian Government Guidelines on the Recognition of Sex and Gender* and the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) *Standard for Sex and Gender Variables*, which recognise that there are sex and gender types that are

not exclusively male or female.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Origin: Macquarie University 2003. The Macquarie Dictionary 3rd ed. Sydney: The

Macquarie Library Pty. Ltd

Reference documents: Attorney-General's Department 2015. Australian Government Guidelines on the

Recognition of Sex and Gender. Viewed 26 July 2016,

https://www.ag.gov.au/Publications/Pages/

<u>AustralianGovernmentGuidelines</u> <u>ontheRecognitionofSexandGender.aspx</u>

ABS (Australian Bureau of Statistics) 2016. Standard for Sex and Gender Variables, 2016. ABS Cat. no. 1200.0.55.012. Canberra: ABS. Viewed 26 July

2016, http://abs.gov.au/AUSSTATS/abs@.nsf/

Lookup/1200.0.55.012

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Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property: <u>Assessable income</u>

Definition: Amount of income from sources that are used to assess eligibility for receipt of a

service.

Property group: <u>Financial characteristics</u>

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element concept attributes

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: National Housing Data Development Committee

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

See also <u>Person—assessable weekly income</u> <u>Housing assistance</u>, Standard 30/08/2017

Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:

Person—assessable income (weekly), total Australian currency N[NNNNN].NN

Housing assistance, Superseded 30/08/2017