

# Transgender

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Glossary Item
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	398610
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Community Services (retired)</a> , Standard 06/02/2012 <a href="#">Health!</a> , Superseded 23/08/2018
<b>Definition:</b>	A transgender person is a person who:  (a) identifies as a member of a different sex by living, or seeking to live, as a member of that sex; or  (b) has identified as a member of a different sex by living as a member of that sex; whether or not the person is a recognised transgender person.

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Comments:</b>	A person's sex may change during their lifetime as a result of surgical procedures known alternatively as sex change, gender reassignment, transsexual surgery, transgender reassignment or sexual reassignment. Throughout this process, which may be over a considerable period of time, sex could be recorded as either male or female.
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## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
<b>Reference documents:</b>	<a href="#">Australian Capital Territory Legislation (Gay, Lesbian and Transgender) Amendment Act 2003</a>

## Relational attributes

<b>Related metadata references:</b>	Has been superseded by <a href="#">Transgender Health!</a> , Standard 23/08/2018
<b>Metadata items which use this glossary item:</b>	<a href="#">Person—transgender indicator</a> <a href="#">Community Services (retired)</a> , Standard 06/02/2012 <a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 25/08/2011  <a href="#">Person—transgender indicator, code N</a> <a href="#">Community Services (retired)</a> , Standard 06/02/2012 <a href="#">Health!</a> , Superseded 28/04/2016  <a href="#">Person—transgender indicator, prisoner health yes/no/unknown code N</a> <a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 28/04/2016  <a href="#">Prisoner health NBEDS</a> <a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 28/04/2016  <a href="#">Transgender indicator</a> <a href="#">Community Services (retired)</a> , Standard 06/02/2012 <a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 25/08/2011