

# Person—tobacco smoking frequency, current tobacco smoking frequency code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Tobacco smoking frequency
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	416274
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health!</a> , Superseded 28/04/2016
<b>Definition:</b>	How often a person now smokes a tobacco product, as represented by a code.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Person—tobacco smoking frequency</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Current tobacco smoking frequency code N</a>

## Value domain attributes

### Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code
<b>Data type:</b>	Number
<b>Format:</b>	N
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	1

	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	Occasionally, but less than once a week
	2	Occasionally, not every day, but at least once a week
	3	Regularly, every day or most days

### Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	Only one option may be selected.
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### Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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### Data element attributes

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### Relational attributes

<b>Related metadata references:</b>	Has been superseded by <a href="#">Person—tobacco smoking frequency, current smoking frequency code N</a> <a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 28/04/2016
	See also <a href="#">Person—current smoking status indicator, yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N</a> <a href="#">Health!</a> , Superseded 28/04/2016

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [Smoking status cluster](#)  
[Health!](#), Superseded 28/04/2016  
**Conditional obligation:** Conditional on the person indicating that they currently smoke.

**Implementation in Indicators:** **Used as Numerator**  
[National Healthcare Agreement: PB e-Better health: by 2018, reduce the national smoking rate to 10 per cent of the population and halve the Indigenous smoking rate over the 2009 baseline, 2014](#)  
[Health!](#), Superseded 14/01/2015  
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[Health!](#), Superseded 14/01/2015  
[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 04-Rates of current daily smokers, 2014](#)  
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