

# Person—glycosylated haemoglobin level, code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Glycosylated haemoglobin level
<b>Synonymous names:</b>	HbA1c level
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	443631
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 07/12/2011
<b>Definition:</b>	A person's glycosylated haemoglobin (HbA1c) level, as represented by a code.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Person—glycosylated haemoglobin level</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Glycosylated haemoglobin level code N</a>

## Value domain attributes

### Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code
<b>Data type:</b>	String
<b>Format:</b>	N

	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	Less than or equal to 7%
	2	Greater than 7% but less than or equal to 8%
	3	Greater than 8% but less than 10%
	4	Greater than or equal to 10%

### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW)

## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

**Comments:** Glycosylated haemoglobin (HbA1c) is an index of average blood glucose level for the previous 2 to 3 months and is used to monitor blood sugar control in people with diabetes.

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### Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:** Has been superseded by [Person—glycosylated haemoglobin level, code N](#)  
[Health!](#), Standard 13/03/2015  
[Indigenous](#), Standard 13/03/2015

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:**

[Indigenous primary health care DSS 2012-14](#)  
[Health!](#), Superseded 21/11/2013  
[Indigenous](#), Superseded 21/11/2013  
**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2012  
**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2014  
**Conditional obligation:**

Conditional on having had a glycosylated haemoglobin measurement result recorded within the previous 6 months or within the previous 12 months.

This item is only collected for persons who have Type II diabetes.

**DSS specific information:** In the Indigenous primary health care DSS, this data element relates to glycosylated haemoglobin measurement results recorded within the previous 6 months and within the previous 12 months.

**Implementation in Indicators:**

**Used as Numerator**

[Indigenous primary health care: PI06a-Number of regular clients with Type II diabetes whose HbA1c measurement result was within a specified level, 2012](#)  
[Health!](#), Superseded 23/02/2012

[Indigenous primary health care: PI06a-Number of regular clients with Type II diabetes whose HbA1c measurement result was within a specified level, 2013](#)  
[Health!](#), Superseded 21/11/2013  
[Indigenous](#), Superseded 21/11/2013

[Indigenous primary health care: PI06b-Proportion of regular clients with Type II diabetes whose HbA1c measurement result was within a specified level, 2012](#)  
[Health!](#), Superseded 23/02/2012

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