

# Household file cluster (Indigenous community housing)

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

**Metadata item type:** Data Set Specification

**METEOR identifier:** 480535

**Registration status:** [Indigenous](#), Standard 01/05/2013  
[Housing assistance](#), Superseded 30/08/2017

**DSS type:** Data Element Cluster

**Scope:** The Household file cluster collects household demographic information and relevant information to link the household to a dwelling and service provider organisation. The household file information is recorded for all occupants of the dwelling.

Indigenous community housing (ICH) collection households, include those living in dwellings:

- managed by Indigenous Community Housing Organisations (ICHO) who received funding both in the current and/or previous financial years; and
- targeted to Indigenous people.

A principle of the ICHO must be to provide medium-term to long-term housing tenure to tenants. This collection excludes households living in dwellings managed under:

- mainstream community housing (i.e. not managed by an ICHO)
- public rental housing
- state owned and managed Indigenous housing (SOMIH)
- the Crisis Accommodation Program (CAP).

## Collection and usage attributes

**Statistical unit:** [Dwellings](#) and [Households](#)

**Collection methods:** Commonwealth, state and territory governments provide the data to the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare for national collation on an annual basis.

## Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:** Supersedes [Household file cluster \(Indigenous community housing\) Housing assistance](#), Superseded 01/05/2013

Has been superseded by [Household file cluster \(Indigenous community housing\) Housing assistance](#), Standard 30/08/2017

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [Indigenous community housing 2010-11](#)  
[Housing assistance](#), Superseded 01/05/2013  
**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2010  
**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2011  
**Conditional obligation:** Conditional on a household occupying a dwelling.

[Indigenous community housing DSS 2011-12](#)  
[Housing assistance](#), Superseded 03/07/2014  
[Indigenous](#), Standard 01/05/2013  
**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2011  
**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2012  
**Conditional obligation:** This is conditional on a household occupying the dwelling.

[Indigenous community housing DSS 2012-13](#)  
[Housing assistance](#), Superseded 30/08/2017  
**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2012  
**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2013  
**Conditional obligation:** This is conditional on a household occupying the dwelling.

## Metadata items in this Data Set Specification

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
-	<a href="#">Relationship in household cluster (Indigenous community housing)</a>	Mandatory	1
-	<a href="#">Person—child indicator, code N</a>	Mandatory	1
	<b>DSS specific information:</b>  Unknown values (code = "U") should be mapped to Not stated/Inadequately described (code= "9").		
-	<a href="#">Person—household single/couple status, code N</a>	Mandatory	1
	<b>DSS specific information:</b>  Unknown values (code = "U") should be mapped to Not stated/Inadequately described (code= "9").		
-	<a href="#">Dwelling—dwelling identifier, X[X(14)]</a>	Mandatory	1
-	<a href="#">Household—household identifier, X[X(14)]</a>	Mandatory	1
-	<a href="#">Person—date of birth, DDMMYYYY</a>	Mandatory	1
	<b>DSS specific information:</b>  Unknown values should be recorded as "U".		
-	<a href="#">Person—person identifier (household), X[X(14)]</a>	Mandatory	1
-	<a href="#">Person—sex, code N</a>	Mandatory	1
	<b>DSS specific information:</b>  Unknown values (code="U") should be mapped to Not stated/Inadequately described (code="9"). Intersex (code="3") is not used for this collection.		
-	<a href="#">Service provider organisation—organisation identifier, X[X(14)]</a>	Mandatory	1
	<b>DSS specific information:</b>  In community housing data collections the identifier should be reported by each community housing provider in conjunction with data collected as part of their reporting requirements each financial year. The identifier may only be unique within the state or territory and may be allocated by community housing providers, the state or territory housing authority or the state or territory community housing administrator.		