# Identifier—similar entity confirmed by, text X[X(199)]



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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: Similar entity confirmed by

**METEOR** identifier: 520248

Registration status: Health!, Standard 05/10/2016

**Definition:** The identifier of the organisation or individual provider that gives confirmation

that two entities represented by different identifiers are not the same entity despite

having similar identifying information, as represented by text.

**Data Element Concept:** Identifier-similar entity confirmed by

Value Domain: Text X[X(199)]

### Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

Representation class: Text Data type: String Format: X[X(199)]

Maximum character length: 200

#### Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: This information establishes that two identifiers with similar identifying information

> belong to two entities. The authority of the organisation may serve to inform other related organisations of a potential duplicate within their systems. Each organisation is responsible for management of duplicates and merging.

#### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Reference documents: Standards Australia 2014. AS 4846:2014 Person and provider identification in

healthcare. Sydney: Standards Australia.

#### Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set Similar but different entity cluster

**Specifications:** 

Health!, Standard 05/10/2016