

Person—family name sequence number, code N[N]

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Family name sequence number
METEOR identifier:	521031
Registration status:	Health! , Standard 05/10/2016
Definition:	The numeric order of use for family name components, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Person—family name sequence number
Value Domain:	Number sequence code N[N]

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	N[N]
Maximum character length:	2

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	One
	2	Two
	3	Three
	4	Four
	5	Five
	6	Six
	7	Seven
	8	Eight
	9	Nine
	10	Ten

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.

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	CODE 1 One
	Refers to first family name
	CODE 2 Two
	Refers to second family name
	CODE 3 Three
	Refers to third family name
	CODE 4 Four
	Refers to fourth family name
	CODE 5 Five
	Refers to fifth family name
	CODE 6 Six
	Refers to sixth family name
	CODE 7 Seven
	Refers to seventh family name
	CODE 8 Eight
	Refers to eighth family name
	CODE 9 Nine
	Refers to ninth family name
	CODE 10 Ten
	Refers to tenth and subsequent family name

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Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	See also Person—family name, text X[X(39)] Health! , Standard 05/10/2016 Tasmanian Health , Standard 27/06/2017
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Implementation in Data Set Specifications:	Individual name cluster Health! , Standard 05/10/2016
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DSS specific information:

Recorded in conjunction with [Person—family name, text X\[X\(39\)\]](#).