Person—AUDIT-C result, code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | AUDIT-C result |
| METEOR identifier: | 585194 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 13/03/2015  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 14/07/2021 |
| Definition: | A person's AUDIT-C test result, as represented by a code. |

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| Data element concept attributes | |
| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Data element concept: | [Person—AUDIT-C result](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/585183) |
| METEOR identifier: | 585183 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 13/03/2015  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Standard 13/03/2015 |
| Definition: | A person's AUDIT-C test result. |
| Object class: | [Person](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/268955) |
| Property: | [AUDIT-C result](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/585191) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Value domain attributes | |
| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Value domain: | [AUDIT-C result code N](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/585196) |
| METEOR identifier: | 585196 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 13/03/2015  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 14/07/2021 |
| Definition: | A code set identifying the AUDIT-C result |
| Context: | AUDIT-C is a 3-item alcohol screen that can help identify persons who are hazardous drinkers or have active alcohol use disorders (including alcohol abuse or dependence). |

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| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | String | |
| Format: | N | |
| Maximum character length: | 1 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Not at risk |
|  | 2 | At risk |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | CODE 1: Not at risk  Use this code when the AUDIT-C score is less than 4.  CODE 2: At risk  Use this code when the AUDIT-C score is greater than or equal to 4. |
| Collection methods: | AUDIT-C is scored on a scale of 0-12. Each AUDIT-C question has 5 answer choices, which are rated from 0 to 5. A total score of 4 or more in males and 3 or more in females is considered positive, optimal for identifying hazardous drinking or active alcohol use disorders. |
| Comments: | AUDIT-C is a 3-item alcohol screen that can help identify persons who are hazardous drinkers or have active alcohol use disorders (including alcohol abuse or dependence). The AUDIT-C is a modified version of the 10 question AUDIT instrument. |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) |
| Reference documents: | Bush K, Kivlahan DR, McDonnell MB et al. 1998. Alcohol consumption questions (AUDIT-C): an effective brief screening test for problem drinking. Archives of Internal Medicine 1998(3): 1789-95. |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | AUDIT-C is scored on a scale of 0-12. A total score of 4 or more in males and 3 or more in females is considered positive, optimal for identifying hazardous drinking or active alcohol use disorders. |
| Collection methods: | Each AUDIT-C question has 5 answer choices, which are rated from 0 to 5. The scores against the 3 questions are summed to arrive at the total score. |
| Comments: | AUDIT-C is a 3-item alcohol screen that can help identify persons who are hazardous drinkers or have active alcohol use disorders (including alcohol abuse or dependence). It is a modified version of the 10 question the Alcohol Use Disorders Identification Test (AUDIT) instrument. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Origin: | RACGP: Clinical guidelines for preventive activities in general practice |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Person—AUDIT-C result, code N](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/741483)  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Standard 14/07/2021 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Indigenous primary health care DSS 2015-17](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/585036)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 25/01/2018  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 27/02/2018  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2015 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2017 ***Conditional obligation:***  Reporting of this data element is conditional on a 'yes' answer to 'Person—AUDIT-C result recorded indicator, yes/no code N'.  [Indigenous primary health care NBEDS 2017–18](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/686603)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 06/09/2018  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 22/10/2018  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2017 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2018 ***Conditional obligation:***  Reporting of this data element is conditional on a 'yes' answer to 'Person—AUDIT-C result recorded indicator, yes/no code N'.  [Indigenous primary health care NBEDS 2018–19](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/694101)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 12/12/2018  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 02/04/2019  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2018 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2019 ***Conditional obligation:***  Reporting of this data element is conditional on a 'yes' answer to 'Person—AUDIT-C result recorded indicator, yes/no code N'.  [Indigenous primary health care NBEDS 2019–20](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/707502)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 16/01/2020  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 14/07/2021  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2019 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2020 ***Conditional obligation:***  Reporting of this data element is conditional on a 'yes' answer to 'Person—AUDIT-C result recorded indicator, yes/no code N'.  [Indigenous primary health care NBEDS 2020–21](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/715320)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Retired 13/10/2021  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2020 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2021 ***Conditional obligation:***  Reporting of this data element is conditional on a 'yes' answer to 'Person—AUDIT-C result recorded indicator, yes/no code N'. |
| Implementation in Indicators: | **Used as Numerator** [Indigenous primary health care: PI17a-Number of regular clients who had an AUDIT-C with result within specified levels, 2015](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/591952)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 05/10/2016  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 20/01/2017  [Indigenous primary health care: PI17a-Number of regular clients who had an AUDIT-C with result within specified levels, 2015-2017](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/686358)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 17/10/2018  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 17/10/2018  [Indigenous primary health care: PI17a-Number of regular clients who had an AUDIT-C with result within specified levels, 2015-2017](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/663963)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 25/01/2018  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 27/02/2018  [Indigenous primary health care: PI17a-Number of regular clients who had an AUDIT-C with result within specified levels, 2018-2019](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/687992)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 16/01/2020  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 14/07/2021  [Indigenous primary health care: PI17a-Number of regular clients who had an AUDIT-C with result within specified levels, June 2020](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/717334)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Retired 13/10/2021  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 14/07/2021  [Indigenous primary health care: PI17b-Proportion of regular clients who had an AUDIT-C with result within specified levels, 2015](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/585006)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 05/10/2016  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 20/01/2017  [Indigenous primary health care: PI17b-Proportion of regular clients who had an AUDIT-C with result within specified levels, 2015-2017](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/663965)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 25/01/2018  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 27/02/2018  [Indigenous primary health care: PI17b-Proportion of regular clients who had an AUDIT-C with result within specified levels, 2015-2017](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/686360)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 17/10/2018  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 17/10/2018  [Indigenous primary health care: PI17b-Proportion of regular clients who had an AUDIT-C with result within specified levels, 2018-2019](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/687994)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 16/01/2020  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 14/07/2021  [Indigenous primary health care: PI17b-Proportion of regular clients who had an AUDIT-C with result within specified levels, June 2020](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/717336)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Retired 13/10/2021  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 14/07/2021  [Indigenous-specific primary health care: PI17a-Number of Indigenous regular clients who have an AUDIT-C result within specified levels, December 2020](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/739423)  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Standard 14/07/2021  [Indigenous-specific primary health care: PI17b-Proportion of Indigenous regular clients who have an AUDIT-C result within specified levels, December 2020](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/739426)  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Standard 14/07/2021 |