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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Opioid substitution program continuation on release indicator |
| Synonymous names: | Opioid replacement program continuation on release indicator |
| METEOR identifier: | 624781 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 28/04/2016 |
| Definition: | An indicator of a prison dischargee's plan to continue participation in a treatment program for opioid dependence on release, as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Prison dischargee—opioid substitution program continuation on release indicator](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/624785)  |
| Value Domain: | [Prisoner health yes/no/unknown code N](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/631087) |

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| Value domain attributes |
| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N |
| Maximum character length: | 1 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Yes |
|   | 2 | No |
| Supplementary values: | 9  | Unknown  |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | For use in Prisoner health data collections. If this value domain is used with other metadata then 'Unknown' would map to code 8. |

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: |  Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Guide for use: | Opiate substitution program refers to a program for opiate addicts which aims to:* reduce the harm associated with drug use;
* improve overall quality of life; and
* ease the discomfort of withdrawing from heroin.

It includes both:* maintenance (or long term) programs, where the goal is to reduce the harm associated with drug use and to improve overall quality of life; and
* withdrawal (or short term) programs, where methadone is used to ease the discomfort of withdrawing from heroin.
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| Comments: | Examples of opioid substitution programs include methadone, naltrexone, buprenorphine, suboxone and LAAM. |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Relational attributes |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Prison dischargee—opioid substitution program continuation on release indicator, yes/no code N](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/483044)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 28/04/2016See also [Person—type of opioid pharmacotherapy treatment, code N](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/696815)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Recorded 30/05/2018 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Opioid pharmacotherapy treatment program cluster](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/634954)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 28/04/2016***DSS specific information:*** This data element is included in the Prisoner Health DSS as the National Prisoner Health Indicators include the indicator: Proportion of prison dischargees on an opiate substitution program while in prison with a plan to continue after release.[Opioid pharmacotherapy treatment program cluster](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/696812) [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Recorded 30/05/2018***DSS specific information:*** This data element is included in the Prisoner Health DSS as the National Prisoner Health Indicators include the indicator: Proportion of prison dischargees on an opiate substitution program while in prison with a plan to continue after release. |