Prison dischargee—female health screening test type, code N
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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: Female health screening test type

METEOR identifier: 625262

Registration status: Health!, Standard 28/04/2016

Definition: The type of female-specific screening test a prison dischargee had during their

most recent imprisonment, as represented by a code.

Data Element Concept: Prison dischargee—female health screening test type

Value Domain: Female screening test code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Number

Format: N
Maximum character length: 1

Value Meaning

Permissible values: 1 Pap smear

2 Mammogram

Supplementary values: 9 Unknown

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: Multiple options may be selected.

For use in Prisoner health data collections. If this value domain is to be used with

other metadata then 'Unknown' would map to code 8.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: CODE 1 Pap smear

A pap smear refers to a screening test for cervical cancer, which is carried out by a medical professional. During a Pap test, cells are collected from the surface of the cervix, transferred onto a slide or into a special liquid, and sent to a pathology laboratory for assessment.

CODE 2 Mammogram

A mammogram refers to a screening test for breast cancer, which is carried out by a medical professional. A mammogram is the process of using low-energy-X-rays to examine the breast.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes Prison dischargee—female health screening test type, code N

Health!, Superseded 28/04/2016

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

Implementation in Data Set Prison dischargee NBEDS

Health!, Standard 28/04/2016

Conditional obligation:

Conditional on a response of 2 for Person—sex, code N.

DSS specific information:

This data element is included in the Prisoner health NBEDS as the National Prisoner Health Indicators include the indicator: Proportion of female prison dischargees who had a cervical cancer screening in prison and Number of female prison dischargees who had a mammogram in prison.

Prison dischargee NBEDS

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Conditional obligation:

Conditional on a response of 2 for Person—sex, code X.

DSS specific information:

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