Prison dischargee—tattoo indicator, prisoner health yes/no/unknown code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element
Short name: Tattoo indicator

METEOR identifier: 625815

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

Definition: An indicator of whether a prison dischargee received a tattoo, as represented by a

code.

 Data Element Concept:
 Prison dischargee—tattoo indicator

 Value Domain:
 Prisoner health yes/no/unknown code N

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

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.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: Tattoo refers to a form of body modification made by inserting ink into the skin to

change the pigment.

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Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes Prison dischargee—tattoo indicator, yes/no code N

Health!, Superseded 28/04/2016

Implementation in Data Set Prison dischargee NBEDS Specifications:

Health!, Standard 28/04/2016

DSS specific information:

Received during the most recent imprisonment.

This data element is included in the Prisoner health NBEDS as the National Prisoner Health Indicators include the indicator: Proportion of prison dischargees who reported receiving a tattoo while in prison.

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