Person—highest year of school completed, code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Highest year of school completed
Synonymous names:	Highest level of school completed
METEOR identifier:	631891
Registration status:	Health!, Standard 28/04/2016
Definition:	The highest level of schooling that a person has completed, as represented by a code.

Data element concept attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	Person—highest year of school completed
METEOR identifier:	375994
Registration status:	Health!, Standard 25/08/2011 Community Services (retired), Standard 06/02/2012
Definition:	The highest level of schooling that a person has completed.
Object class:	Person
Property:	Highest year of school completed

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Value domain attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	Highest year of school completed code N
Synonymous names:	Highest level of school completed
METEOR identifier:	631888
Registration status:	Health!, Standard 28/04/2016
Definition:	A code set representing the highest level of education completed.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	N
Maximum character length:	1

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Year 12
	2	Year 11
	3	Year 10

	4	Year 9
	5	Year 8 or below
	6	No schooling
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.
	Highest level of schooling includes study at a secondary education level which might, for example, be undertaken at a Technical and Further Education (TAFE) institution (ABS, 2002).
	Record the code for the highest year of schooling completed, regardless of the institution or location where that study took place. If a year of schooling had been commenced but not completed, the code for the year below should be used.
	Only one option may be selected.
Comments:	This metadata item maps to the Australian Bureau of Statistics standard 'Highest year of school completed'.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
Reference documents:	Australian Bureau of Statistics 2002. Education variables. ABS cat. no. 1246.0. Canberra: ABS

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Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Supersedes Person—highest year of school completed, code N Community Services (retired), Standard 06/02/2012 Health!, Superseded 28/04/2016

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Prison dischargee NBEDS](#)
Health!, Standard 28/04/2016
DSS specific information:

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Health!, Recorded 31/05/2018
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