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Recipient—identifier, scrambled customer reference number N(9)

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: Scrambled Customer reference number

METEOR identifier: 639185

Registration status: Commonwealth Department of Social Services (retired), Standard 20/06/2018

Definition: A random sequence of characters used for the purposes of identifying a Centrelink

recipient in the PIA research data set.

Data Element Concept: Recipient—identifier

Value Domain: Scrambled customer reference number identifier N(9)

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class: Identifier

Data type: Number

Format: N(9)

Maximum character length: 9

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: The identifier has been scrambled.

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Collection methods: The identifier is a random number assigned to each individual recipient and is not

used outside the PIA research data set.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Government Department of Social Services

Relational attributes

references:

Related metadata See also Recipient—partner identifier, scrambled customer reference number N(9)

Commonwealth Department of Social Services (retired), Standard 20/06/2018

Implementation in Data Set Income support information Cluster

Specifications: Commonwealth Department of Social Services (retired), Standard 20/06/2018

DSS specific information:

Scrambled customer reference number refers to the variable SCRAMBLED_PERSON_ID in the PIA research data set.