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Seq No.	Metadata item	METEOR identifier	Data Type [Length]	Value & Meaning
-	Statistical linkage key 581 cluster	686238		
1	Letters of family name	349481	String [3]	XXX A combination of alphanumeric characters.
2	Letters of given name	349483	String [2]	XX A combination of alphanumeric characters.
3	Date of birth	287007	Date/Time [8]	DDMMYYYY The day of a particular month and year.
4	Sex	635126	String [1]	1 Male 2 Female 3 Other 9 Not stated/inadequately described
5	Statistical linkage key 581	686241	String [14]	XXXXXDDMMYYYYX A combination of the second, third and fifth alphanumeric characters of a person's family name, the second and third alphanumeric characters of a person's given name, a date in the format DDMMYYYY and a single alphanumeric character representing the sex of a person.

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6	Date accuracy indicator	294429	String [3]	AAA Day, month and year are accurate AAE Day and month are accurate, year is estimated AAU Day and month are accurate, year is unknown AEA Day is accurate, month is estimated, year is accurate AEE Day is accurate, month and year are estimated AEU Day is accurate, month is estimated, year is unknown AUA Day is accurate, month is unknown, year is accurate AUE Day is accurate, month is unknown, year is estimated AUU Day is accurate, month and year are unknown EAA Day is estimated, month and year are accurate EAE Day is estimated, month is accurate, year is estimated EAU Day is estimated, month is accurate, year is unknown EEA Day and month are estimated, year is accurate EEE Day, month and year are estimated EEU Day and month are estimated, year is unknown EUA Day is estimated, month is unknown, year is accurate EUE Day is estimated, month is unknown, year is estimated EUU Day is estimated, month and year are unknown UAA Day is unknown, month and year are accurate UAE Day is unknown, month is accurate, year is estimated UAU Day is unknown, month is accurate, year is unknown UEA Day is unknown, month is estimated, year is accurate UEE Day is unknown, month and year are estimated UEU Day is unknown, month is estimated, year is unknown UUA Day and month are unknown, year is accurate UUE Day and month are unknown, year is estimated UUU Day, month and year are unknown
-	Australian postcode	611398	String [4]	0097 Not applicable 0098 Unknown 0099 Not stated/inadequately described
-	Statistical area level 2 (SA2)	659774	String [9]	N(9) A code set representing a medium-sized general purpose area aggregated from whole Statistical areas level 1 (SA1s).
-	Injecting drug use status	707379	Number [1]	1 Last injected three months ago or less 2 Last injected more than three months ago but less than or equal to twelve months ago 3 Last injected more than twelve months ago 4 Never injected 9 Not stated/inadequately described

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-	Method of use for principal drug of concern	707395	Number [1]	1 Ingests 2 Smokes 3 Injects 4 Sniffs (powder) 5 Inhales (vapour) 6 Other 9 Not stated/inadequately described
-	Reason for cessation of treatment episode for alcohol and other drugs	270011	Number [2]	1 Treatment completed 2 Change in main treatment type 3 Change in the delivery setting 4 Change in the principal drug of concern 5 Transferred to another service provider 6 Ceased to participate against advice 7 Ceased to participate without notice 8 Ceased to participate involuntary (non-compliance) 9 Ceased to participate at expiation 10 Ceased to participate by mutual agreement 11 Drug court and /or sanctioned by court diversion service 12 Imprisoned, other than drug court sanctioned 13 Died 98 Other 99 Not stated/inadequately described
-	Client type (alcohol and other drug treatment services)	270083	Number [1]	1 Own alcohol or other drug use 2 Other's alcohol or other drug use
-	Other drug of concern	467579	String [4]	0005 Opioid analgesics not further defined 0006 Psychostimulants not further defined
-	Principal drug of concern	467699	String [4]	0005 Opioid analgesics not further defined 0006 Psychostimulants not further defined
-	Main treatment type for alcohol and other drugs	700925	Number [2]	1 Withdrawal management (detoxification) 2 Counselling 3 Rehabilitation 4 Pharmacotherapy 5 Support and case management 6 Information and education 7 Assessment only 88 Other

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-	Other treatment type for alcohol and other drugs	700927	Number [2]	1 Withdrawal management (detoxification) 2 Counselling 3 Rehabilitation 4 Pharmacotherapy 5 Support and case management 6 Information and education 88 Other
-	Source of referral to alcohol and other drug treatment service	269946	String [2]	01 Self 02 Family member/friend 03 Medical practitioner 04 Hospital 05 Mental health care service 06 Alcohol and other drug treatment service 07 Other community/health care service 08 Correctional service 09 Police diversion 10 Court diversion 98 Other 99 Not stated/inadequately described
-	Treatment delivery setting for alcohol and other drugs	704456	Number [1]	1 Non-residential treatment facility 2 Residential treatment facility 3 Home 4 Outreach setting 8 Other
-	Date of cessation of treatment episode for alcohol and other drugs	270067	Date/Time [8]	DDMMYYYY The day of a particular month and year.
-	Date of commencement of treatment episode for alcohol and other drugs	270069	Date/Time [8]	DDMMYYYY The day of a particular month and year.
-	Establishment identifier	269973	String [9]	NNX[X]NNNNN A combination of numeric and alphanumeric characters that identify an entity.
-	Country of birth	659454	Number [4]	NNNN The Standard Australian Classification of Countries (SACC 2016) code set representing a country.
-	Date of birth	287007	Date/Time [8]	DDMMYYYY The day of a particular month and year.

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-	Indigenous status	602543	Number [1]	1 Aboriginal but not Torres Strait Islander origin 2 Torres Strait Islander but not Aboriginal origin 3 Both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin 4 Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander origin 9 Not stated/inadequately described
-	Person identifier	290046	String [20]	XXXXXXXX[X(14)] A logical combination of valid alphanumeric characters that identify an entity.
-	Preferred language	659407	Number [4]	N[NNN] The Australian Standard Classification of Languages (ASCL) code set representing languages.
-	Sex	635126	String [1]	1 Male 2 Female 3 Other 9 Not stated/inadequately described

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-	Usual accommodation type prior to service episode	564711	Number [3]	Independent residential 11 Private residence 12 Boarding house/private hotel 13 Informal housing 14 None/homeless/public place Supported independent living 21 Domestic-scale supported living facility 22 Supported accommodation facility 23 Short term crisis, emergency or transitional accommodation facility Residential care Hospital 31.1 Acute hospital 31.2 Psychiatric hospital 31.3 Rehabilitation hospital 31.8 Other hospital Special-purpose residential setting 32.1 Residential aged care facility Community care residential unit 33.1 Mental health 33.2 Alcohol and other drugs 33.8 Other specialised community residential Custodial 34 Prison/remand centre/youth training centre Other 88 Other 98 Unknown 99 Not stated/inadequately described