

Canadian Century Research Infrastructure Project Employment Status Indicator Background

Root variable: Employment Status Indicator

Synopsis of code set construction:

This code set was constructed using the expected responses from the Enumerator Guides and the Dominion Bureau of Statistics (DBS) code books, and by consulting the microdata for imputed values DBS did not expect or did not distinguish. Any imputed value that was a sensible response was given a code.

Understanding the numeric code:

This code has one or two digits. It is a standard sequence. There are no parent codes.

Code set application notes:

- Abbreviations were coded as necessary, for example “EP” was mapped to “Employer.”
- “Wage” or “W” was mapped to Worker.