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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Organisation identifier (early childhood education and care) |
| METEOR identifier: | 557881 |
| Registration status: | [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Standard 28/05/2014 |
| Definition: | A unique identifier assigned to each service which delivers child care services or  [**early childhood education programs**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/556834) to children. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Service provider organisation—organisation identifier](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269787) |
| Value Domain: | [Identifier X(15)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/336268) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Identifier | |
| Data type: | String | |
| Format: | X(15) | |
| Maximum character length: | 15 | |



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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | The service identifier includes components that identify main service type, state/territory and a number for each service.  Each service included in the Early Childhood and Education data collection should have a unique identifier at the national level.   All individual caregivers working for family day care/in-home care services are provided with the same service identifier as the service in which they work. |
| Comments: | The number may be used to identify particular records that require some follow-up contact with services to resolve any queries on the data reported. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Early Childhood Data Sub Group (ECDSG) |
| Steward: | [Early Childhood Data Sub Group (ECDSG)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/388499) |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Service provider organisation—organisation identifier, X(15)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/397155)  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 21/05/2010  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Superseded 28/05/2014 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Early Childhood Education and Care: Aggregate NMDS 2014](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/555377)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Superseded 01/06/2015  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2014 ***DSS specific information:*** Should be reported for the location at which the early childhood education program is delivered. A discrete identifier should be supplied for each early childhood education program operated as a separate campus or ‘satellite’ of a parent service provider organisation.  [Early Childhood Education and Care: Unit Record Level NMDS 2014](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/555380)  [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Superseded 01/06/2015  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2014  ***DSS specific information:*** Should be reported for the location at which the early childhood education program is delivered. A discrete identifier should be supplied for each early childhood education program operated as a separate campus or ‘satellite’ of a parent service provider organisation. |