

# Service event—payment type, home purchase assistance code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Home purchase assistance payment type
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	611709
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Housing assistance</a> , Standard 30/08/2017
<b>Definition:</b>	The type of payment for an instance of home purchase assistance received by a client from a service provider organisation, as represented by a code.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Service event—payment type</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Home purchase assistance payment type code N</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code
<b>Data type:</b>	Number
<b>Format:</b>	N
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	1

	Value	Meaning
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	One-off repayable
	2	One-off non-repayable
	3	Ongoing repayable
	4	Ongoing non-repayable
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	9	Not stated/inadequately described

## Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:****CODE 1 One-off repayable**

Refers to assistance to meet a specific event, such as direct lending or deposit assistance for the purchase of a home, which the client has an obligation to repay. The assistance is repayable (or returnable) when the client has an obligation to repay, in part or full, the value of assistance provided. The repaying of assistance can be delayed for a period of time (e.g. 12 months after the loan was provided) or returned depending on the client's income situations.

**CODE 2 One-off non-repayable**

Refers to assistance to meet a specific event, such as direct lending or deposit assistance for the purchase of a home, which the client has no obligation to repay.

**CODE 3 Ongoing repayable**

Refers to assistance that covers a specific length of time, such as interest rate assistance provided for a six month period, which the client has an obligation to repay. The assistance is repayable (or returnable) when the client has an obligation to repay, in part or full, the value of assistance provided. The repaying of assistance can be delayed for a period of time (e.g. 12 months after the loan was provided).

**CODE 4 Ongoing non-repayable**

Refers to assistance that covers a specific length of time, such as interest rate assistance provided for a six month period, which the client has no obligation to pay.

## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:**

'One-off' denotes assistance consisting of a single transfer to a [household](#) to meet a specific event.

'Ongoing' denotes assistance that comprises multiple transfers to a household covering a specific length of time.

An instance of 'one-off repayable' assistance consists of a single repayable transfer to a household.

'Ongoing repayable' assistance is where repayable assistance consists of multiple repayable transfers to a household that occur over a specific length of time.

In this context, 'ongoing' does not refer to a loan for which monies remain outstanding, but refers to whether the initial assistance consisted of one or multiple transfers to a household.

### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:**

Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

**Steward:**

[Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](#)

### Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:**

Supersedes [Service event—payment type, home purchase assistance code N Housing assistance](#), Superseded 30/08/2017

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [Home purchase assistance DSS 2013-  
Housing assistance](#), Standard 30/08/2017  
**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2013  
**DSS specific information:**

Commonly referred to as data item HPA\_PAYMENT.

A separate record should be provided for each type of assistance provided to a household indicating the payment type. For each type of assistance where the assistance was ongoing, provide only a single record for that assistance in the collection, regardless of the reference year in which assistance commenced.