

# Specialised mental health service—ambulatory service unit identifier, XXXXXXX[XXX]

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Ambulatory mental health service unit identifier
METEOR identifier:	782069
Registration status:	<a href="#">Health</a> , Recorded 17/08/2023
Definition:	A unique identifier for a specialised mental health ambulatory service unit, as represented by a combination of numeric and/or alphabetic characters.
Data Element Concept:	<a href="#">Specialised mental health service—ambulatory service unit identifier</a>
Value Domain:	<a href="#">Identifier XXXXXX[XXX]</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

Representation class:	Identifier
Data type:	String
Format:	XXXXXX[XXX]
Maximum character length:	9

## Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	For the ambulatory service setting, the service unit is equivalent to an organisation's ambulatory services as a whole. However, ambulatory service units should be differentiated by target population. Where an organisation provides multiple teams serving the same target population, these may be grouped and reported as a single service unit or identified as individual service units in their own right. Ambulatory services would be separately identifiable as service units using the <a href="#">Specialised mental health service—target population group, code N</a> data element. For additional information, please refer to the glossary item <a href="#">Ambulatory mental health care service</a> . The complete identifier string, including State/Territory identifier, Region identifier, Organisation identifier, Service unit cluster identifier and Ambulatory service unit identifier, should be a unique code for the service unit in that state/territory. Service unit reporting structures should be identical between all mental health collections (e.g., Mental Health National Minimum Data Sets and the Mental Health National Outcomes and Casemix Collection (NOCC)).
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## Relational attributes

**Related metadata  
references:**

See also [Specialised mental health service—ambulatory service unit identifier, XXXXXX](#)

[Health](#), Standard 17/12/2021

See also [Specialised mental health service—target population group, code N](#)

[Health](#), Standard 25/01/2018