Episode of residential care—number of leave days, total N[NN]

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Leave days from residential care |
| METEOR identifier: | 270304 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 07/12/2011 |
| Definition: | The number of days spent on leave from a residential care service during an episode of residential care. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Episode of residential care—number of leave days](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269741) |
| Value Domain: | [Total days N[NN]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270577) |

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| Value domain attributes |
| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Total |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N[NN] |
| Maximum character length: | 3 |
| Unit of measure: | Day |

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| Data element attributes  |
| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | A day is measured from midnight to midnight.Leave days can occur for a variety of reasons, including:* treatment by specialised mental health service
* treatment by a non-specialised health service
* time in the community.

The following rules apply in the calculation of leave days:* the day the [**resident**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/327198) goes on leave is counted as a leave day
* days the resident is on leave is counted as leave days
* the day the resident returns from leave is not counted as a leave day
* if the resident starts a residential stay and goes on leave on the same day, this is not counted as a leave day
* if the resident returns from leave and then goes on leave again on the same day, this is counted as a leave day
* if the resident returns from leave and ends residential care on the same day, the day should not be counted as leave day
* leave days at the end of a residential stay after the commencement of leave are not counted.

If a period of leave is greater than seven days or the resident fails to return from leave, then the residential stay is formally ended. |
| Relational attributes |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Episode of residential care—number of leave days, total N[NN]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/379734)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 07/03/2014Is re-engineered from  [Leave days from residential care, version 1, DE, NHDD, NHIMG, Superseded 01/03/2005.pdf](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/274099) (15.6 KB)*No registration status* |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Residential mental health care NMDS 2005-06](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/273056)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 07/12/2005***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2005***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2006***DSS specific information:*** Episode of residential care end date minus episode of residential care start date minus leave days from residential care must be ≥ 0 days.[Residential mental health care NMDS 2006-07](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/334067)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 23/10/2006***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2006***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2007***DSS specific information:*** Episode of residential care end date minus episode of residential care start date minus leave days from residential care must be >= 0 days.[Residential mental health care NMDS 2007-08](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/345122)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/02/2008***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2007***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2008***DSS specific information:*** Episode of residential care end date minus episode of residential care start date minus leave days from residential care must be >= 0 days.[Residential mental health care NMDS 2008-09](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/362316)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 04/02/2009***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2008***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2009***DSS specific information:*** Episode of residential care end date minus episode of residential care start date minus leave days from residential care must be >= 0 days.[Residential mental health care NMDS 2009-10](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/374223)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/01/2010***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2009***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2010***DSS specific information:*** Episode of residential care end date minus episode of residential care start date minus leave days from residential care must be >= 0 days.[Residential mental health care NMDS 2010-11](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/386809)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 21/12/2010***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2010***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2011***DSS specific information:*** Episode of residential care end date minus episode of residential care start date minus leave days from residential care must be >= 0 days.[Residential mental health care NMDS 2011-12](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/426754)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 07/03/2012***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2011***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2012***DSS specific information:*** Episode of residential care end date minus episode of residential care start date minus leave days from residential care must be >= 0 days. |