Other treatment type for alcohol and other drugs code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 270672 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 12/12/2018 |
| Definition: | A code set representing the secondary type of treatment provided for alcohol and other drugs. |

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| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | Number | |
| Format: | N | |
| Maximum character length: | 1 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Withdrawal management (detoxification) |
|  | 2 | Counselling |
|  | 3 | Rehabilitation |
|  | 4 | Pharmacotherapy |
|  | 5 | Other |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | CODE 1     Withdrawal management (detoxification)  Refers to any form of withdrawal management, including medicated and non-medicated.  CODE 2     Counselling  Refers to any method of individual or group counselling directed towards identified problems with alcohol and/or other drug use or dependency. This selection excludes counselling activity that is part of a rehabilitation program as defined in Code 3.  CODE 3     Rehabilitation  Refers to an intensive treatment program that integrates a range of services and therapeutic activities that may include counselling, behavioural treatment approaches, recreational activities, social and community living skills, group work and relapse prevention. Rehabilitation treatment can provide a high level of support (i.e. up to 24 hours a day) and tends towards a medium to longer-term duration. Rehabilitation activities can occur in residential or non-residential settings. Counselling that is included within an overall rehabilitation program should be coded to Code 3 for Rehabilitation, not to Code 2 as a separate treatment episode for counselling.  CODE 4     Pharmacotherapy  Refers to pharmacotherapies that include those used as maintenance therapies (e.g. naltrexone, buprenorphine, and methadone treatment) and those used as relapse prevention. Use Code 1 (withdrawal management) where a pharmacotherapy is used solely for withdrawal. Note collection exclusions: excludes clients who are on an opioid pharmacotherapy maintenance program and are not receiving any other form of treatment. |

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| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Other treatment type for alcohol and other drugs code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/707522)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 12/12/2018 |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Episode of treatment for alcohol and other drugs—treatment type (other), code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270076)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 12/12/2018 |