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Investigation outcome code N

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Value Domain

METEOR identifier: 316566

Registration status: Community Services (retired), Recorded 23/10/2007

Definition: A code set representing the outcome of an investigation.

Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Number

Format: N

Maximum character length: 1

Permissible values:

Value Meaning

Substantiated

Not substantiated

3 Investigation not finalised

4 Investigation not able to be commenced or completed

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: Once an investigation is finalised an outcome is recorded in the system.

CODE 1 Substantiated

A finalised investigation is classified as 'substantiated' where an allegation is

supported or established by evidence or proof.

CODE 2 Not substantiated

A finalised investigation is classified in this category where an allegation is not

supported or established by evidence or proof.

CODE 3 Investigation not finalised

Where the investigation was ongoing at the end of a period.

CODE 4 Investigation not able to be commenced or completed

Where every effort has been made to investigate the concern, but was not possible.

Relational attributes

Data elements implementing this value domain:

<u>Child protection notification—investigation outcome, code N</u>
<u>Community Services (retired)</u>, Recorded 23/10/2007