Person (employed)—highest level of qualification in employment field, children's services code N[N]

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Highest level of qualification in employment field (children's services)
METEOR identifier:	325943
Registration status:	Community Services (retired), Superseded 21/05/2010 [Non Dictionary]
Definition:	The highest level of qualification a person employed in children's services has attained in a children's services related field, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Person (employed)—highest level of qualification in employment field
Value Domain:	Type of children's services qualification code N[N]

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N[N]	
Maximum character length:	2	
	Value	**Meaning**
Permissible values:	1	Post Graduate Degree
	2	Graduate diploma or graduate certificate
	3	Bachelor degree
	4	Advanced diploma
	5	Diploma
	6	Certificate Level III or IV
	7	Certificate Level I or II
	88	Other education
Supplementary values:	99	Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	For a mapping of this value domain to the national standard for level of highest educational attainment follow this link: **'Level of highest educational attainment code mapping from NCSDD to CS'.**

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:

This item is only applicable to paid contact workers/caregivers in child care and preschool services. Only workers identified as being 'paid' and as being 'primary contact workers' or 'other contact workers' should respond to this data element.

The qualification status of a worker relates to the worker's currently held relevant qualifications, i.e. only completed qualifications should be reported.

CODE 5 Diploma

Associate Diplomas issued under the Register of Australian Tertiary Education should be reported under this code.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Children's Services Data Working Group.

Origin: Children's Services National Minimum Data Dictionary, AIHW 2005.

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Has been superseded by Person (employed)—level of highest qualification in employment field, early childhood education and care, code N[N]
Early Childhood, Superseded 07/06/2011

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