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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 331762 |
| Registration status: | [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 30/04/2008[Homelessness](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 23/08/2010[Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Standard 23/08/2010 |
| Definition: | A code set representing types of care arrangements for a child. |

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| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N[N] |
| Maximum character length: | 2 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Residential care |
|   | 2 | Family group home |
|   | 3 | Relative(s)/kin who are reimbursed |
|   | 4 | Foster care |
|   | 5 | Other home-based care (reimbursed) |
|   | 6 | Relative(s)/kin who are not reimbursed |
|   | 7 | Independent living |
|   | 8 | Other living arrangements |
|   | 9 | Parents |
| Supplementary values: | 99  | Not stated/inadequately described  |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | CODE 1 Residential careWhere placement is in a residential building where the purpose is to provide placements for children and where there are paid staff.CODE 2 Family group homeFamily group homes provide care to children in a departmentally or community sector agency provided home. These homes have live-in, non-salaried carers who are reimbursed and/or subsidised for the provision of care.CODE 3 Relatives/kin who are reimbursedIncludes family members (other than parents) or a person well known to the child and/or family (based on a pre-existing relationship) who is reimbursed by the state/territory.CODE 4 Foster careIncludes situations in which a child is living with foster parent(s) who receive a foster care allowance from a government or non-government organisation for the care of a child (excluding children in family group homes)CODE 5 Other home based care (reimbursed)Any other type of reimbursed home-based care that does not fit into the above categories.CODE 6 Relative/kin who are not reimbursedIncludes family members (other than parents) or a person well known to the child and/or family (based on a pre-existing relationship) who ARE NOT reimbursed by the state/territory.CODE 7 Independent livingThis includes private board and lead-tenant households.CODE 8 Other living arrangementsThis includes any living arrangements not mentioned above.CODE 9 ParentsIncludes natural or adoptive parents of the child. CODE 99 Not stated/inadequately describedIs used when the family in which a child lives in not recorded or is unknown. |

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | National Child Protection and Support Services data working group (NCPASS). |
| Origin: | Child Protection and Support Services National Minimum Data Set, Data Collection Manual, AIHW September 2005. |

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| Relational attributes  |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by  [Living arrangement type for child under care code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/474167)       [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 22/11/2016       [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Recorded 14/02/2014Has been superseded by [Child protection care arrangement code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/458392)       [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Recorded 19/08/2011 |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Child—care arrangements, care and protection order code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/367626)       [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 30/04/2008       [Homelessness](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 23/08/2010       [Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Standard 23/08/2010[Person—residential setting, child protection code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/363220)       [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Recorded 18/10/2007 |