

Person—place of residence, out-of-home care placement code N[N]

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Place of residence—out-of-home care placement
METEOR identifier:	351057
Registration status:	Community Services (retired) , Recorded 23/10/2007 [Non Dictionary]
Definition:	The place of residence that a child moved into after leaving an out-of-home care placement, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Person—place of residence
Value Domain:	Residence after child's out-of-home care placement 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	Other placement in the same jurisdiction
	2	Placement in another jurisdiction
	3	Independent living
	4	Residing with at least one parent
	5	Residing with other relative/kin
	6	Child adopted
	7	Permanent care arrangement
	8	Juvenile justice or adult correction facility
	9	Child unable to be located
	10	Child died
	11	Other residential
	12	Other
Supplementary values:	99	Not stated

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:

CODE 1 Other placement in the same jurisdiction

Where the child has moved to another placement within the state or territory, that fits the definition of out-of-home care.

CODE 2 Placement in another jurisdiction

Where the child moves interstate and the care of the child is transferred to the child protection authority in another jurisdiction.

CODE 3 Independent living

Where the child is living independently, with no assistance from the child protection agency or their delegate. They may be alone or in a group home.

CODE 4 Residing with at least one parent

Where the child left the placement to live with at least one of his/her parents.

CODE 5 Residing with other relative/kin

Where the child left the placement care to live with a member of his/her family or kin.

CODE 6 Child adopted

Where the child was adopted and the adoption was approved by the government authority.

CODE 7 Permanent care arrangement

Where arrangements have been made for the child to be placed permanently with a carer, and all support from the department and agency has been withdrawn.

CODE 8 Juvenile justice or adult correction facility

Where the child has been sentenced by the court to reside for a specified time in a juvenile or adult correctional facility.

CODE 9 Child unable to be located

Includes children who have absconded and those who have been removed from their placement without the agreement of the child protection authority or their delegate.

CODE 10 Child died

CODE 11 Other residential

This includes disability and mental health services which are not in scope of the out-of-home care collection.

CODE 12 Other

Where the residence does not fit into the above categories.

Data element attributes

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: National Child Protection and Support Services data group (NCPASS).

Origin: Child protection and support services out-of-home care data dictionary. AIHW Version 1.0 Oct 2005.

Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [Child protection and support services \(CPSS\) - out-of-home care NMDS \(July 2007\)](#)
[Community Services \(retired\)](#), Superseded 01/05/2008
[Child protection and support services \(CPSS\) - out-of-home care NMDS pilot \(2008\)](#)
[Community Services \(retired\)](#), Retired 06/02/2012