Person (employed)—role of early childhood education and care worker, code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Role of early childhood education and care worker |
| METEOR identifier: | 441583 |
| Registration status: | [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Superseded 08/04/2013 |
| Definition: | The main role undertaken by an early childhood education and care worker, as represented by a code  |

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| Data element concept attributes |
| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Data element concept: | [Person—role of early childhood education and care worker](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/441581)  |
| METEOR identifier: | 441581 |
| Registration status: | [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Standard 07/06/2011 |
| Definition: | The main role of an early childhood education and care worker. |
| Object class: | [Person](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/268955) |
| Property: | [Role of early childhood education and care worker](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/441579) |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Early Childhood Data Sub Group (ECDSG) |

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| Value domain attributes  |
| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Value domain: | [Early childhood education and care worker role, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/441577) |
| METEOR identifier: | 441577 |
| Registration status: | [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Superseded 28/05/2014 |
| Definition: | The main role of the early childhood education and care worker |

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| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N |
| Maximum character length: | 1 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Principal/director/coordinator/teacher-in-charge |
|   | 2 | Group leader/teacher |
|   | 3 | Assistant/aide |
|   | 4 | Other contact worker |
|   | 5  | Non contact worker  |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | CODE 1 Principal/director/coordinator/teacher in chargeA person with overall responsibility for managing the service.CODE 2 Group leader/teacherA degree qualified teacher or educator responsible for a group of young children.CODE 3 Assistant/aideAn early childhood worker who helps a more senior and more qualified early childhood teacher or educator.CODE 4 Other contact workerIncludes people who provide child care or additional educational or supplementary services for children, such as a child care worker, dance teacher, music therapist, disability support worker, librarian or speech therapist.CODE 5 Non contact workerA worker who has no direct contact with children and primarily contributes to the running of the service or provides support services. |

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| Submitting organisation: | Early Childhood Data Sub Group (ECDSG) |

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| Data element attributes  |
| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | This item is only applicable to paid workers in early childhood education and care services. |
| Collection methods: | Should be reported for the main role performed by a person during the reference period, regardless of whether this is different to their usual role.‘Main’ is defined as the role that the person spends the majority of time performing during the reference period. |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Early Childhood Data Sub Group (ECDSG) |
| Relational attributes |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Person—role of early childhood education and care worker, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/401020)       [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Superseded 07/06/2011Has been superseded by [Person (employed)—role of early childhood education and care worker, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/507585)       [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Superseded 28/05/2014 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Early childhood education and care worker cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/444715)       [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Superseded 09/03/2012***Conditional obligation:*** Conditional on responding '1 Yes' to whether the person is in paid employment. [Early childhood education and care worker cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/473929)       [Early Childhood](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Superseded 08/04/2013***Conditional obligation:*** Conditional on responding '1 Yes' to whether the person is in paid employment.  |