

Child—primary type of abuse or neglect

Metadata item type: Data Element Concept

METEOR identifier: 455464

Registration status:

- [Children and Families](#), Standard 22/11/2016

Definition: The most serious type of abuse or neglect that has caused, or is likely to cause, injury or harm to a child.

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class: [Child](#)

Definition: An individual under the age of 18 years.

Specialisation of: [Person/group of persons](#)

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australia Institute of Health and Welfare

Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property: [Primary type of abuse or neglect](#)

Definition: The most serious type of action or inaction, which has resulted in, or is likely to result in, significant harm or injury.

Property group: [Crisis event](#)

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

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Data element concept attributes

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Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Supersedes [Child—abuse and neglect type](#)

- [Community Services \(retired\)](#), Standard 01/03/2005

**Data Elements
implementing this Data
Element Concept:**

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- [Children and Families](#), Standard 22/11/2016
- [Community Services \(retired\)](#), Candidate 19/08/2011