

# Service provider organisation—site identifier, child protection NX[X(13)]

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Site identifier (out-of-home care)
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	456816
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Community Services (retired)</a> , Recorded 19/08/2011
<b>Definition:</b>	A combination of alphanumeric characters that uniquely identify the physical location of an organisation that provides child protection and support services.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Service provider organisation—site identifier</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Child protection identifier NX[X(11)]</a>

## Value domain attributes

### Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Identifier	
<b>Data type:</b>	String	
<b>Format:</b>	NX[X(11)]	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	13	
	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	97	Not applicable

### Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	<p>A state and territory identifier should be the first character of the ID (N), according to the following Australian Bureau of Statistics' standard:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. New South Wales</li><li>2. Victoria</li><li>3. Queensland</li><li>4. South Australia</li><li>5. Western Australia</li><li>6. Tasmania</li><li>7. Northern Territory</li><li>8. Australian Capital Territory</li></ol> <p>Note that 9. Other Territories (i.e. Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Christmas Island and Jervis Bay Territory are not separately identified in the child protection data collection.</p> <p>All alphabetic characters must be in uppercase.</p>
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### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

**Steward:** [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](#)

## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:** Each location has only one ID.

Each ID is only used by one location.

'Not applicable' should be recorded if the living arrangement is not an out-of-home care placement provided by a funded agency. Examples include living with parents, independent living, or other living arrangements.

### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Performance and Data Working Group

**Origin:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) 2010. Child protection and support services National Minimum Data Set, data collection manual for the 2010 pilot collection. AIHW: Canberra.

### Relational attributes

**Implementation in Data Set** [Living arrangements for children under care \(LA\) DSS Pilot \(2010\)](#)

**Specifications:** [Community Services \(retired\)](#), Recorded 19/08/2011

**Conditional obligation:** Conditional on the child being in an out-of-home placement.

**DSS specific information:** In the Living arrangements DSS, the site identifier refers to the physical location where funded out-of-home care is provided within a state or territory.