

Out-of-home care exit outcome code N[N]

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Value Domain
METEOR identifier:	456841
Registration status:	Community Services (retired) , Recorded 19/08/2011
Definition:	A code set representing the situation of a child once they have exited out-of-home care.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	String
Format:	N[N]
Maximum character length:	2

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Return to family of origin
	2	Return to extended family
	3	Return to family of unknown type
	4	Remain with foster carer
	5	Independent living
	6	Adopted
	7	Guardianship transferred to another jurisdiction
	8	Guardianship transferred to a third party
	9	Specialist homelessness service agency
	10	Detention
	11	Community-based corrections
Supplementary values:	97	Not applicable

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:**CODE 1 Return to family of origin**

Where the child returned to the original family they were removed from. This includes situations where the family composition has changed but at least one of the original parent(s)/guardian(s) is still present in the family.

CODE 2 Return to extended family

Where the child returned to their extended family. This includes relatives/kin other than parents/guardians) upon exit from out-of-home care.

CODE 3 Return to family of unknown

Where the child returned to their family upon exit from out-of-home care and it was unknown whether it was the family of origin or extended family.

CODE 4 Remain with foster carer

Where the child remained with the foster carer upon exit from out-of-home care without an order to do so and not as a funded out-of-home care placement.

CODE 5 Independent living

This may include assisted living.

CODE 6 Adopted

This excludes permanent care orders.

CODE 7 Guardianship transferred to another jurisdiction

Where guardianship was transferred to a jurisdiction other than the reporting jurisdiction.

CODE 8 Guardianship transferred to a third party

Where guardianship was transferred to a third party, which may be another individual such as a relative, or an officer of the state.

CODE 9 Supported accommodation assistance program (SAAP)

Where the child, unaccompanied by a parent or guardian, was accommodated by a Specialist Homelessness Services agency.

CODE 10 Detention

Where the child was ordered by the court to reside for a specified time in a juvenile or adult correctional facility.

CODE 11 Community-based corrections

This refers to the community-based management of court-ordered sanctions, post-prison administrative arrangements and fine conversions, which principally involve the provision of one or more of the following activities: supervision, programs or community work. This can include home detention, community service orders, probation, parole/supervised release and bail.

CODE 97 Not applicable

Record if the client has not exited funded out-of-home care.

Relational attributes**Related metadata references:**

Supersedes [Reason for out-of-home placement exit code NN Community Services \(retired\)](#), Standard 30/04/2008

Data elements implementing this value domain:

[Child—out-of-home care exit status, code N\[N\] Community Services \(retired\)](#), Recorded 19/08/2011

