Service event—living arrangement start date, DDMMYYYY

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Living arrangement start date |
| METEOR identifier: | 474217 |
| Registration status: | [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 22/11/2016  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Recorded 04/02/2014 |
| Definition: | The date on which a living arrangement organised by a service provider commenced, expressed as DDMMYYYY. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Service event—living arrangement start date](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/474211) |
| Value Domain: | [Date DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270566) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Date | |
| Data type: | Date/Time | |
| Format: | DDMMYYYY | |
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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Collection methods: | Valid date occurs on or before 31 August following the reference period.  For funded out-of-home care placements, the date must be preceding 'living arrangement end date'.  For other living arrangements, the date must be equal to or preceding 'living arrangement end date'.  When an estimate is required, all known fields should be entered (e.g. if year and month are known use 01MM/YYY; if the exact date is unknown but the reporting period to which it relates can be determined, use 0107YYY).  If the date is not known and can't be estimated, please record 01011900. |
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| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Steward: | [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/246013) |
| Origin: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) 2013. Child protection national minimum data set, data collection manual 2012-13. Canberra: AIHW. |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | See also [Service event—living arrangement end date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/474223)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 22/11/2016  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Recorded 21/02/2014 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Living arrangements for children under care (LA) file cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/492989)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 22/11/2016  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Recorded 10/10/2014  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2011 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2013  [Living arrangements for children under care (LA) file cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/655221)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 22/11/2016  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2012 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2014  [Living arrangements for children under care (LA) file cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/656483)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 22/11/2016  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2013 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2015  [Living arrangements for children under care (LA) file cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/656502)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 20/04/2018  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2014 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2016  [Living arrangements for children under care (LA) file cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/688441)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 20/01/2021  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2015 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2017  [Living arrangements for children under care (LA) file cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/706943)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 20/01/2021  ***DSS specific information:***  This collection requires a non-standard format for this data item: DD/MM/YYYY.  [Living arrangements for children under care (LA) file cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/737458)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 03/11/2021  ***DSS specific information:***  This collection requires a non-standard format for this data item: DD/MM/YYYY.  [Living arrangements for children under care (LA) file cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/773803)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 11/05/2023  ***DSS specific information:***  This collection requires a non-standard format for this data item: DD/MM/YYYY.  [Living arrangements for children under care (LA) file cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/748857)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 11/05/2023  ***DSS specific information:***  This collection requires a non-standard format for this data item: DD/MM/YYYY. |
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