Informal carer—average number of days available to provide care, code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Informal carer available days |
| METEOR identifier: | 496111 |
| Registration status: | [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 10/04/2013[Disability](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/16), Standard 13/08/2015 |
| Definition: | The average number of days per week an informal carer is available to provide care . |
| Data Element Concept: | [Informal carer—number of days available to provide care](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/496107)  |
| Value Domain: | [Average days per week code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/496109) |

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| Value domain attributes |
| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N |
| Maximum character length: | 1 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | 1 day per week |
|   | 2 | 2 days per week |
|   | 3 | 3 days per week |
|   | 4 | 4 days per week |
|   | 5 | 5 days per week |
|   | 6 | 6 days per week |
|   | 7  | 7 days per week |
| Supplementary values: | 0 | Less than 1 day per week |
|   | 9  | Not known  |
| Unit of measure: | Day |

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| Data element attributes  |
| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | The number of days may vary across a reference period, so an estimate of the usual or typical days available should be provided. |
| Collection methods: | This item should be collected along with [Informal carer available hours](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/496100) to provide an indication of the total hours available to provide care in a period. |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Relational attributes |
| Related metadata references: | See also [Informal carer—average number of hours available to provide care, hours NN](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/496100)       [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 10/04/2013       [Disability](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/16), Standard 13/08/2015 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Disability services carer details cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/484552)       [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 10/04/2013       [Disability](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/16), Standard 13/08/2015 |