

# Child protection new client indicator yes/no

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Value Domain
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	521840
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Community Services (retired)</a> , Recorded 20/02/2014
<b>Definition:</b>	A code set representing whether the person was a new child protection client of the reporting jurisdiction.

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code
<b>Data type:</b>	Number
<b>Format:</b>	N
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	2

	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	Yes
	2	No
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	99	Not stated/inadequately described

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	CODE 1
	Yes
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A new client. A child or young person who has not ever previously been the subject of an investigation, any type of national care and protection order, or funded out-of-home care placement (including only those respite placements of 7 days or more) within the jurisdiction.</li></ul>
	CODE 2
	No
	A child or young person: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>who has previously been the subject of an investigation or was discharged (according to national specifications) from any type of national care and protection order or funded out-of-home care placement (including only those respite placements of 7 days or more).</li><li>whose earliest order and/or placement in the current reporting period is part of a preceding continuous episode of care.</li></ul>

## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Research, Evaluation and Data Working Group (REDWG)
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