Episode of residential care—number of episodes of residential care, total NNNN

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Number of episodes of residential care |
| METEOR identifier: | 534013 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 16/01/2020 |
| Definition: | The total number of episodes of completed residential care occurring during the reference period (between 1 July and 30 June each year). This includes both formal and statistical episodes of residential care. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Episode of residential care—number of episodes of residential care](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/534011) |
| Value Domain: | [Total episodes of residential care NNNN](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/427774) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Total | |
| Data type: | Number | |
| Format: | NNNN | |
| Maximum character length: | 4 | |



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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | The sum of the number of episodes of residential care where the Episode of residential care end date has a value:   * Equal to or greater than the beginning of the reference period (01 July each year); and * Less than or equal to the end of the reference period (30 June each year at midnight). |
| Collection methods: | To be reported for all specialised residential mental health care services, including non-government residential mental health care services and less than 24-hour residential mental health care services. |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Episode of residential care—number of episodes of residential care, total NNNN](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/417667)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 07/03/2014  Has been superseded by [Episode of residential care—number of episodes of residential care, total NNNN](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/721810)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 16/01/2020 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Mental health establishments NMDS 2014-15](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/546889)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 13/11/2014  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2014 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2015  [Mental health establishments NMDS 2015-16](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/565661)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 04/09/2015  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2015 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2016  [Mental health establishments NMDS 2016-17](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/605829)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 17/08/2017  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2016 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2017  [Mental health establishments NMDS 2017–18](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/645723)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 25/01/2018  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2017 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2018  [Mental health establishments NMDS 2018–19](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/677892)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 12/12/2018  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2018 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2019  [Mental health establishments NMDS 2019–20](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/707557)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 16/01/2020  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2019 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2020  [Staffed residential services mental health service type cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/494826)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 13/11/2014 |