

Episode of residential care—mental health care referral destination, code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Mental health care referral destination
Synonymous names:	Referral destination to further care (from specialised mental health residential care)
METEOR identifier:	534056
Registration status:	Health , Superseded 13/11/2014
Definition:	The type of health care the resident is referred to by the residential mental health care service for further care at the end of residential stay, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Episode of residential care—mental health care referral destination
Value Domain:	Residential mental health care referral destination code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	N
Maximum character length:	1

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Specialised mental health admitted patient care
	2	Specialised mental health residential care
	3	Specialised mental health ambulatory care
	4	Private psychiatrist care
	5	General practitioner care
	6	Other care
	7	Not referred
	8	Not applicable (i.e. end of reference period)
Supplementary values:	9	Unknown/not stated/inadequately described

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	Where the resident is referred to two or more types of health care, the type of health care provided by the service primarily responsible for the care of the resident is to be reported.
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Relational attributes

**Related metadata
references:**

Supersedes [Episode of residential care—referral destination \(mental health care\),
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[Health](#), Superseded 07/03/2014

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**Implementation in Data Set
Specifications:**

[Residential mental health care NMDS 2014-15](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 13/11/2014

Implementation start date: 01/07/2014

Implementation end date: 30/06/2015