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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Expected setting for an antenatal care visit
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	558719
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 14/05/2015
<b>Definition:</b>	The expected setting for an <a href="#">antenatal care visit</a> that is offered within a model of maternity care, as represented by a code.
<b>Context:</b>	Used in maternal and perinatal healthcare settings.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Maternity model of care—expected setting for an antenatal care visit</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Setting of maternity care code N[N]</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code	
<b>Data type:</b>	Number	
<b>Format:</b>	N[N]	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	2	
	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	Hospital clinic - onsite
	2	Hospital clinic - outreach
	3	Clinicians' private rooms
	4	Community facility
	5	Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Service facility
	6	Home
	7	Birth centre - stand alone
	8	Birth centre - in hospital
	9	Hospital - excluding birth centre
	10	Hotel or hostel
	88	Other
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	99	Not stated/inadequately described

## Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:****CODE 2 Hospital clinic – outreach**

This code is used for hospital clinics located at a different hospital facility to the usual place of employment of the maternity health care provider where intrapartum care is provided. For example an antenatal clinic at a Level 2 rural hospital facility conducted by midwives from a nearby Level 4 maternity service where the women will give birth.

**CODE 3 Clinicians' private rooms**

This code also includes Medicare Local facilities and GP surgeries.

**CODE 4 Community facility**

This code is used for community facilities outside of a hospital or primary healthcare setting covered by other codes. This may include facilities such as community health centres or community halls where antenatal or postnatal care visits can be conducted.

**CODE 5 Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Service facility**

An Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Service (ACCHS) is a primary health care service initiated and operated by the local Aboriginal community to deliver holistic, comprehensive, and culturally appropriate health care to the community which controls it (through a locally elected Board of Management). (Reference <http://www.naccho.org.au/aboriginal-health/definitions/>)

**CODE 9 Hospital - excluding birth centre**

This code is used for areas used for birthing in a hospital other than a birth centre (if one is present). These may be known by a variety of names such as a birth suite, delivery suite, labour ward, labour and delivery etc.

## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** National Perinatal Epidemiology and Statistics Unit

**Origin:** National Maternity Data Development Project (AIHW and NPESU), Maternity Care Classification System subproject.

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

**Collection methods:** Data are gathered using the Maternity Care Classification System (MaCCS) data collection questionnaire on an annual basis by every maternity service when classifying their models of care or when a new model of care is introduced.

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## Relational attributes

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [Maternity model of care NBPDS](#)  
Health, Standard 14/05/2015

***DSS specific information:***

Some models of care offer multiple options for where antenatal care is provided and all applicable codes should be used.