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# Maternity model of care—identifier, NNNNNN

## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

**Short name:** Maternity model of care identifier

METEOR identifier: 573834

**Registration status:** <u>Health</u>, Standard 14/05/2015

**Definition:** A sequence of characters which uniquely identifies a maternity model of care, as

represented by a number.

**Context:** Used in maternal and perinatal healthcare settings.

Data Element Concept: <u>Maternity model of care—identifier</u>

Value Domain: <u>Identifier NNNNNN</u>

#### Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

Representation class: Identifier

Data type: Number

Format: NNNNNN

Maximum character length: 6

### Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: The first character position should be the Australian state/territory identifier for the

origin of the model of care.

The remaining characters should be a unique number combination within each

state or territory.

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.

#### 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.

#### Relational attributes

Related metadata Is formed using Establishment—Australian state/territory identifier, code N

references: Health, Superseded 18/12/2019

Implementation in Data Set Maternity model of care NBPDS
Specifications: Health, Standard 14/05/2015