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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| Synonymous names: | Setting of birth |
| METEOR identifier: | 607996 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 14/05/2015 |
| Definition: | A code set that represents the different settings where labour and intrapartum care may be provided in a particular maternity model of care. |

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| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | Number | |
| Format: | N[N] | |
| Maximum character length: | 2 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 5 | Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Service facility |
|  | 6 | Home |
|  | 7 | Birth centre - stand alone |
|  | 8 | Birth centre - in hospital |
|  | 9 | Hospital - excluding birth centre |
|  | 88 | Other |
| Supplementary values: | 99 | Not stated/inadequately described |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | The code set for this value domain has been set to correspond with the codes used in the [Setting of maternity care code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/558715) value domain.  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. |

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| 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. |

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| Relational attributes | |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Maternity model of care—expected setting of birth, code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/558725)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 14/05/2015 |