Service delivery mode code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 679545 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 17/07/2020 |
| Definition: | A code set representing the method of communication between the patient or client and the healthcare provider. |

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| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | Number | |
| Format: | N | |
| Maximum character length: | 1 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | In person |
|  | 2 | Telephone |
|  | 3 | Videoconference |
|  | 4 | Electronic mail |
|  | 5 | Postal/courier service |
|  | 8 | Other |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | CODE 1   In person  The healthcare provider delivers the service in the physical presence of the patient (i.e., in the same room). Codes 1 and 3 provide a measure of 'face-to-face' service delivery.  CODE 2   Telephone  The healthcare provider delivers the service using a telephone. This includes teleconference.  CODE 3   Videoconference  The healthcare provider delivers the service using videoconference equipment. Codes 1 and 3 provide a measure of 'face-to-face' service delivery.  CODE 4   Electronic mail  The healthcare provider delivers the service via electronic mail.  CODE 5   Postal/courier service  The healthcare provider delivers the service via postal (including courier) services. |
| Comments: | Guide for use sourced from Queensland Health (data element [QHLTH 040780](https://www.health.qld.gov.au/__data/assets/pdf_file/0033/362697/qhddreport.pdf)). |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Independent Hospital Pricing Authority |

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| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Service delivery mode code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/410942)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 25/01/2018  [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 01/11/2012  Has been superseded by [Service delivery mode code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/727732)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/02/2021 |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Non-admitted patient service event—service delivery mode, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/679543)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 17/07/2020 |