Service episode—service ongoing indicator, yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Service ongoing indicator
Synonymous names:	Support period ongoing
METEOR identifier:	692096
Registration status:	Homelessness, Standard 10/08/2018
Definition:	Whether a client was receiving ongoing assistance or support by the agency, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Service episode—service ongoing indicator
Value Domain:	Yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Boolean	
Format:	N	
Maximum character length:	1	
	Value	**Meaning**
Permissible values:	1	Yes
	2	No
Supplementary values:	9	Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	CODE 9 Not stated/inadequately described This code is not for use in primary data collections.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	This information enables an accurate count of clients assisted at the agency to be made at the end of the reporting period.
Collection methods:	Was the client receiving support at the end of the reporting period?

Source and reference attributes

Origin: SAAP National Data Collection Agency Collectors Manual July 2005.

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes Service episode—service ongoing indicator, code N
Community Services (retired), Standard 17/11/2010
Disability, Standard 13/08/2015
Homelessness, Superseded 10/08/2018
Housing assistance, Standard 23/08/2010

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Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS 2019-
Homelessness, Standard 10/08/2018

Conditional obligation:

In the Specialist Homelessness Services NMDS, this item is only asked of clients.

DSS specific information:

The code Not stated/inadequately described (Code 9) is not used by this collection.