

# Episode of mental health care—service provider setting origin, code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Mental health care service provider origin
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	730818
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 17/12/2021
<b>Definition:</b>	The setting from which a service provider for a mental health episode of care originates, as represented by a code.
<b>Context:</b>	This data element is used in the allocation of an episode of care to a branch of the Australian Mental Health Care Classification.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Episode of mental health care—service provider setting origin</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Service provider setting origin code N</a>

## Value domain attributes

### Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code	
<b>Data type:</b>	Number	
<b>Format:</b>	N	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	1	
<b>Permissible values:</b>	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
	1	Admitted patient care
	2	Residential care
	3	Ambulatory care

## Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:**

Where there are multiple service providers for an episode of care, the service setting of the primary service provider should be reported. This data item is reported at the episode level and is associated to the primary service provider for the episode.

**CODE 1 Admitted patient care**

The setting of the service provider is considered to provide admitted patient care. This includes hospitals and units located within hospitals, including non-specialised mental health services. Excludes hospital outpatient clinics.

**CODE 2 Residential care**

The setting of the service provider is considered to be a [Residential mental health care service](#).

**CODE 3 [Ambulatory care](#)**

The setting of the service provider is considered to provide non-admitted ambulatory mental health care services. They include hospital outpatient clinics and non-hospital community mental health services, such as crisis or mobile assessment and treatment services, day programs, outreach services and consultation/liaison services (that are reported through the Community Mental Health Care National Minimum Data Set). This includes both specialised and non-specialised mental health services.

For further details, refer to the ABF MHC NBEDS 2020-21 Technical Specifications on the Independent Hospital Pricing Authority website.

## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Independent Hospital Pricing Authority

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**Reference documents:** IHPA (Independent Hospital Pricing Authority) 2018. ABF MHC NBEDS 2020-21 Technical Specifications for reporting. IHPA, Sydney. Viewed 14 July 2020, [https://ihpa.govcms.gov.au/sites/default/files/abf\\_mhc\\_nbeds\\_2020-21\\_technical\\_specifications\\_v1.pdf](https://ihpa.govcms.gov.au/sites/default/files/abf_mhc_nbeds_2020-21_technical_specifications_v1.pdf)

### Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:** Supersedes [Episode of mental health care—service provider setting origin, code N](#)  
[Health](#), Superseded 23/12/2020

Has been superseded by [Episode of mental health care—service provider setting origin, code N](#)  
[Health](#), Standard 17/12/2021

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [Activity based funding: Mental health care NBEDS 2021–22](#)  
[Health](#), Superseded 17/12/2021

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