

Care arrangement code N[N]

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Value Domain
METEOR identifier:	741645
Registration status:	Children and Families , Superseded 03/11/2021
Definition:	A code set representing whether a child's living arrangement was a formal out-of-home care placement or not.
Context:	Child protection

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	N[N]
Maximum character length:	2

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Out-of-home care placement
	2	Other placement type
Supplementary values:	99	Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	CODE 1 Out-of-home care placement
	This describes the situation where a child is not living with their parents. This includes foster care, relative or kinship care, family group homes, residential care and private boarding.
	CODE 2 Other placement type
	Used for placements that are not formal out-of-home care living arrangements. This includes situations where a child is on a third party parental order, or in a non-out-of-home care placement but on an order that transfers full or partial parental responsibility to an agent of the State.
	CODE 99 Not stated/inadequately described
	Is used when the care arrangement in which a child lives is not recorded or is unknown.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
Origin:	AIHW (Australian Institute of Health and Welfare) 2018. Child protection national minimum data set, data collection manual 2017-18. Canberra: AIHW.

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Has been superseded by Care arrangement code N[N] Children and Families , Standard 03/11/2021
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**Data elements
implementing this value
domain:**

[Service event—living arrangement type, care arrangement code N\[N\]
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