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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Aged care service identifier |
| METEOR identifier: | 774981 |
| Registration status: | [Aged Care](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/19), Standard 30/06/2023 |
| Definition: | A sequence of characters which uniquely identifies an aged care service, as represented by a string of alphanumeric characters. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Aged care service—identifier](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774786) |
| Value Domain: | [Identifier X[X(19)]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/522893) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Identifier | |
| Data type: | String | |
| Format: | X[X(19)] | |
| Maximum character length: | 20 | |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | Each aged care service is to have a unique identifier at the national level.  This information is collected and reported by the Australian Government. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Department of Health and Aged Care |
| Origin: | [About accreditation | Aged Care Quality and Safety Commission](https://www.agedcarequality.gov.au/consumers/about-accreditation), Australia, viewed 14 February 2023.  [Compliance in aged care | My Aged Care](https://www.myagedcare.gov.au/quality/compliance#how-can-i-check-if-a-provider-has-non-compliance-decisions), Australia, viewed 14 February 2023.  [Star Ratings for residential aged care | Australian Government Department of Health and Aged Care](https://www.health.gov.au/our-work/star-ratings-for-residential-aged-care) Australia, viewed 14 February 2023. |
| Relational attributes | |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Aged care episode cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/777790)  [Aged Care](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/19), Standard 30/06/2023  [Aged care provider cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/777808)  [Aged Care](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/19), Standard 30/06/2023  ***Conditional obligation:***  Conditional on an aged care provider being associated with one or more aged care services.  ***DSS specific information:***  Note: an aged care provider may be associated with multiple [aged care services](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774720). All relevant identifiers should be collected.  [Aged care service cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/777798)  [Aged Care](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/19), Standard 30/06/2023 |