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# Type of residential aged care admission

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## *Identifying and Definitional Attributes*

Data Dictionary: NHDD  
Knowledgebase ID: 000172                      Version number: 1  
Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT  
Registration Authority: NHIMG                      Admin status: RETIRED  
Effective date: 30-JUN-02  
Definition: Type of admission distinguishes respite/crisis care episodes from other residential aged care service episodes.  
Context: Residential aged care service statistics:  
this item will assist in analyses of demand for institutional services and planning studies.

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## *Relational and Representational Attributes*

Datatype: Numeric  
Representational form: CODE  
Representation layout: N  
Minimum Size: 1  
Maximum Size: 1  
Data Domain: 1                      Respite / crisis care (short-term admission, usually in order to give a carer respite from the provision of care)  
2                      Other (continuing care)  
Collection Methods: This item is based on the form NH5, which has been replaced.

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## *Administrative Attributes*

Source Document:  
Source Organisation: National minimum data set working parties

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Comments: This data element was formerly named "Type of nursing home admission". The name was changed to comply with Commonwealth legislation.

## *Data Element Links*

*Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element*

NHIM Request for / entry into service event

*Data Agreements which include this Data Element*

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