Mental health service contact—session type, code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Mental health service contact—session type |
| METEOR identifier: | 286832 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 07/02/2013 |
| Definition: | Whether a service contact is provided for one or more patient(s)/client(s), as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Mental health service contact—session type](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/286812)  |
| Value Domain: | [Session type code N](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/286786) |

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| Value domain attributes |
| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N |
| Maximum character length: | 1 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Individual session |
|   | 2  | Group session  |

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| Data element attributes  |
| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | A service contact is regarded as an individual session where the service is provided for one patient/client with or without third party involvement.A service contact is regarded as a group session where two or more patients/clients are participating in the service contact with or without third parties and the nature of the service would normally warrant dated entries in the clinical records of the patients/clients in question.A service contact is also regarded as a group session where third parties for two or more patients/clients are participating in the service contact without the respective patients/clients and the nature of the service would normally warrant dated entries in the clinical records of the patients/clients in question.  |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Relational attributes |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Mental health service contact—session type, code N](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/494347)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 02/02/2016 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Community mental health care NMDS 2005-06](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/285489)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 07/12/2005***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2005***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2006[Community mental health care NMDS 2006-07](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/334069)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 23/10/2006***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2006***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2007[Community mental health care NMDS 2007-08](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/345116)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 05/02/2008***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2007***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2008[Community mental health care NMDS 2008-09](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/362308)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 04/02/2009***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2008***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2009[Community mental health care NMDS 2009-10](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/374216)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 05/01/2010***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2009***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2010[Community mental health care NMDS 2010-11](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/386803)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 01/12/2010***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2010***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2011[Community mental health care NMDS 2011-12](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/424727)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 07/03/2012***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2011***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2012[Community mental health care NMDS 2012-13](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/468200)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 07/02/2013***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2012***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2013 |