Service provider organisation (address)—electronic communication medium, code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Electronic communication medium (service provider organisation) |
| METEOR identifier: | 287521 |
| Registration status: | [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 30/09/2005  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 05/10/2016  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 16/10/2017 |
| Definition: | A type of communication mechanism used by an organisation, as represented by a code. |

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| Data element concept attributes | |
| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Data element concept: | [Service provider organisation (address)—electronic communication medium](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/287511) |
| METEOR identifier: | 287511 |
| Registration status: | [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 30/09/2005  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 05/10/2016  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 16/10/2017 |
| Definition: | A code representing a type of communication mechanism used by an organisation. |
| Object class: | [Service provider organisation](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/269022) |
| Property: | [Electronic communication medium](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/287501) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Value domain attributes | |
| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Value domain: | [Electronic communication medium code N](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/287515) |
| METEOR identifier: | 287515 |
| Registration status: | [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 30/09/2005  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 05/10/2016  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 16/10/2017 |
| Definition: | A codeset representing the type of communication mechanism. |

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| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | Number | |
| Format: | N | |
| Maximum character length: | 1 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Telephone (excluding mobile telephone) |
|  | 2 | Mobile (cellular) telephone |
|  | 3 | Facsimile machine |
|  | 4 | Pager |
|  | 5 | e-mail |
|  | 6 | URL |
|  | 8 | Other |



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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | Multiple electronic communication addresses (for example, multiple phone numbers, fax numbers and e-mail) may be recorded as required. Each instance should have an appropriate Electronic communication medium and Electronic communication usage code assigned. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Standards Australia |
| Origin: | AS 4846 Health Care Provider Identification, 2004, Sydney: Standards Australia |
| Reference documents: | AS4846 Health Care Provider Identification, 2004, Sydney: Standards Australia  In AS4846 alternative alphabetic codes are presented. Refer to the current standard for more details. |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Address—electronic communication medium, code N[N]](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/522584)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 05/10/2016  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Standard 16/10/2017 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Health care provider identification DSS](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/289061)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 04/07/2007  ***DSS specific information:*** Multiple electronic communication addresses (for example, multiple phone numbers, fax numbers and e-mail) may be recorded as required. Each instance should have an appropriate Electronic communication medium and Electronic communication usage code assigned.  [Health care provider identification DSS](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/356020)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 03/12/2008  ***DSS specific information:*** Multiple electronic communication addresses (for example, multiple phone numbers, fax numbers and e-mail) may be recorded as required. Each instance should have an appropriate Electronic communication medium and Electronic communication usage code assigned.  [Health care provider identification DSS](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/374199)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Retired 20/03/2013  ***DSS specific information:*** Multiple electronic communication addresses (for example, multiple phone numbers, fax numbers and e-mail) may be recorded as required. Each instance should have an appropriate Electronic communication medium and Electronic communication usage code assigned.  [Indigenous primary health care DSS 2012-14](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/430629)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 21/11/2013  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 21/11/2013  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2012 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2014  [Indigenous primary health care DSS 2014-15](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/504325)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 13/03/2015  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 13/03/2015  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2014 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2015  [Indigenous primary health care DSS 2015-17](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/585036)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 25/01/2018  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Superseded 27/02/2018  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2015 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2017  [SAAP Administrative National Minimum Data Set (NMDS)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/336310)  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Retired 01/07/2011  ***Conditional obligation:*** Conditional on presence of an electronic communication address. ***DSS specific information:*** The telephone number, facsimile number and email address of the SAAP agency and the Auspice is recorded. An agency may or may not be responsible to an Auspice (the governing body).  [Specialist Homelessness Establishment Database - SHED](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/413035)  [Housing assistance](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Recorded 14/10/2010  ***Conditional obligation:*** Conditional on presence of an electronic communication address.  ***DSS specific information:*** Multiple forms of electronic communication(s) are recorded, such as telephone number, facsimile number and email address(es) of an agency. |