

Service provider organisation—corporation indicator, yes/no code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Corporation indicator
METEOR identifier:	315191
Registration status:	Community Services (retired) , Standard 30/11/2007
Definition:	An indicator of whether the group or organisation which is responsible for managing the service is legally termed a corporation , as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Service provider organisation—corporation indicator
Value Domain:	Yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N	
Maximum character length:	1	
	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Yes
	2	No
Supplementary values:	9	Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	CODE 9 Not stated/inadequately described This code is not for use in primary data collections.
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Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	A corporation is a legal entity that: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• is created for the purpose of producing goods and services for the market;• may be a source of profit or other financial gain to its owner(s); and• is collectively owned by shareholders who have the authority to appoint directors responsible for its general management. Respondents should choose 'no' if the legal entity of their service's owner or management group does not reflect the definition.
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Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set [Children's Services NMDS](#)

Specifications:

[Community Services \(retired\)](#), Superseded 21/05/2010

Conditional obligation: This item only needs to be answered by those services who nominated category 3, 4 or 5 in the Management type data element.

DSS specific information:

This item only needs to be answered by those services who nominated category 3, 4 or 5 in the Management type data element.

The legal entity of the children's service indicates the involvement of different market sectors in the direct delivery of children's services. Embedded within this classification is the distinction between corporate services and other services.