

Service provider organisation—organisation identifier, X(15)

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Organisation identifier (early childhood education and care)
METEOR identifier:	397155
Registration status:	Community Services (retired) , Standard 21/05/2010 [Non Dictionary] Early Childhood , Superseded 28/05/2014
Definition:	A unique identifier assigned to each service which delivers child care or preschool services to children.

Data element concept attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	Service provider organisation—organisation identifier
Synonymous names:	Agency identifier
METEOR identifier:	269787
Registration status:	Community Services (retired) , Standard 01/03/2005 Early Childhood , Standard 21/05/2010 Housing assistance , Standard 23/08/2010 Homelessness , Standard 23/08/2010 Disability , Standard 07/10/2014
Definition:	The unique identifier for the establishment, which provides care or services.
Object class:	Service provider organisation
Property:	Organisation identifier

Value domain attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	Identifier X(15)
METEOR identifier:	336268
Registration status:	Community Services (retired) , Standard 15/09/2007 Early Childhood , Standard 21/05/2010
Definition:	A logical combination of alphanumeric characters that identify an entity.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Identifier
Data type:	String
Format:	X(15)
Maximum character length:	15

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

- Guide for use:** The service identifier includes components that identify main service type, state/territory and a number for each service.
- Each service included in the Early Childhood and Education data collection should have a unique identifier at the national level.
- All individual caregivers working for family day care/in-home care services are provided with the same service identifier as the service in which they work.
- Comments:** The number may be used to identify particular records that require some follow-up contact with services to resolve any queries on the data reported.

Source and reference attributes

- Submitting organisation:** Early Childhood Data Sub Group (ECDSG)
- Steward:** [Early Childhood Data Sub Group \(ECDSG\)](#)

Relational attributes

- Related metadata references:** Supersedes [Service provider organisation—organisation identifier \(children's services\), N\(6\)](#)
[Community Services \(retired\)](#), Superseded 21/05/2010
- Has been superseded by [Service provider organisation—organisation identifier, X\(15\)](#)
[Early Childhood](#), Standard 28/05/2014

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Early Childhood Education and Care: Aggregate NMDS 2010](#)

[Early Childhood](#), Superseded 07/06/2011

Implementation start date: 01/07/2010

DSS specific information: In the Early Childhood Education and Care collection, this item refers to the location at which the preschool program is provided.

[Early Childhood Education and Care: Aggregate NMDS 2011](#)

[Early Childhood](#), Superseded 09/03/2012

Implementation start date: 01/07/2011

DSS specific information: Should be reported for the location at which the preschool program is delivered. A discrete identifier should be supplied for each preschool program operated as a separate campus or 'satellite' of a parent service provider organisation.

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[Early Childhood](#), Superseded 08/04/2013

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