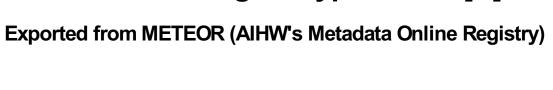
Child abuse or neglect type code N[N]



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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Value Domain

METEOR identifier: 455468

Registration status: Community Services (retired), Recorded 19/08/2011

Children and Families, Standard 22/11/2016

Definition: A code set representing types of abuse or neglect towards a child.

Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Number

Format: N[N]

Maximum character length: 2

Permissible values:

1 Physical abuse
2 Sexual abuse
3 Emotional abuse
4 Neglect
Supplementary values:
97 Not applicable

99 Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: CODE 1 Physical abuse

Any non-accidental physical act inflicted upon a child by a person having the care of

a child.

CODE 2 Sexual abuse

Any act by a person having the care of the child which exposes a child to, or involves a child in, sexual processes beyond his or her understanding or contrary to

accepted community standards.

CODE 3 Emotional abuse

Any act by a person having the care of a child that results in the child suffering any

kind of significant emotional deprivation or trauma.

CODE 4 Neglect

Any serious omissions or commissions by a person having the care of a child which, within the bounds of cultural tradition, constitute a failure to provide

conditions which are essential for the healthy, physical and emotional development

of a child.

Comments: These categories may be used in different ways by different jurisdictions,

depending on the state or territories' own definitions, policies and practices. In addition, a child subject to abuse and neglect may be subject to more than one type of abuse and neglect (for example, sexual abuse is often also associated with

emotional abuse).

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare Steward: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Relational attributes

Related metadata

domain:

Supersedes Abuse and neglect type code N

Community Services (retired), Standard 01/03/2005 references:

Data elements implementing this value Child protection notification—other type of abuse substantiated, code N Community Services (retired), Recorded 19/08/2011

Child protection notification—substantiated primary type of abuse, code N

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Child—primary type of abuse or neglect, code N[N] Children and Families, Standard 22/11/2016

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