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Financial payment for out-of-home care code N[N]

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Value Domain

METEOR identifier: 456637

Registration status: Community Services (retired), Recorded 11/10/2014

Children and Families, Superseded 03/11/2021

Definition: A code set representing whether a child protection authority made or offered a

financial contribution towards an out-of-home care placement.

Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Number

Format: N[N]

Maximum character length: 2

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	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Child protection authority made a direct financial contribution
	2	Child protection authority offered a direct financial contribution but it was declined by the carer
	3	Child protection authority made no financial contribution
Supplementary values:	00	Not stated/inadequately described

Supplementary values: 99 Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: CODE 1 Child protection authority made a direct financial contribution

Where the child protection authority (or their delegate) made a payment to fund the placement, such as a foster care allowance, relative/kin allowance, or funded the residential care facility or the family group home to place clients of the child protection authority.

<u>Note:</u> A delegate exists where out-of-home care services have been out-sourced and a non-government organisation has been provided with the authority to place children in out-of-home care. These organisations must be funded by the child protection authority. This item should be recorded as if the organisation was the child protection authority.

CODE 2 Child protection authority offered a direct financial contribution but it was declined by the carer

Where the child protection authority (or their delegate) made an offer to fund the placement, such as a foster care allowance, relative/kin allowance, but the offer was declined by the carer.

CODE 3 Child protection authority made no financial contribution

Where the child protection authority did not make any financial contribution outside of staffing costs, e.g. workers time.

CODE 99 Not stated/inadequately described

Where it is unknown whether the child protection authority made/offered a payment to fund the placement.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Steward: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Origin: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AlHW) 2013. Child protection national

minimum data set, data collection manual 2012-13. Canberra: AlHW.

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes Out-of-home placement financial payment indicator code N

Community Services (retired), Standard 30/04/2008

Has been superseded by Financial payment for a living arrangement code N[N]

Children and Families, Standard 03/11/2021

Data elements implementing this value domain:

Living arrangement—financial payment indicator, out-of-home care code N[N]

Community Services (retired), Recorded 10/10/2014

Service event—financial payment indicator, out-of-home care code N[N]

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Service event—Financial support payment status, out-of-home care code N[N]

Community Services (retired), Recorded 05/02/2014