Child—initial health check required indicator, yes/no/not applicable/not stated/inadequately described code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Initial health check required indicator
METEOR identifier:	529672
Registration status:	Community Services (retired), Recorded 16/10/2014
	Children and Families, Standard 22/11/2016
Definition:	An indicator of whether a child is required by jurisdictional policy or legislation to have an **initial health check**, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Child—initial health check required indicator
Value Domain:	Yes/no/not applicable/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:	7	Not applicable
	9	Not stated/inadequately described

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	CODE 1 Yes

Use if the child was required by jurisdictional policy/legislation to have an initial health check.

CODE 2 No

Use if the child was not required by jurisdictional policy/legislation to have an initial health check.

CODE 7 Not applicable

Use if the child was no longer in scope on the night of 30 June in the reference period.

CODE 9 Not stated/inadequately described

Use if the child was in scope on the night of 30 June, but it was unknown if an initial health check was required (e.g. due to data quality).

Collection methods:

If the child was admitted to the care of the Minister/Chief Executive during the reference period, code 1, 2 or 9 should be recorded for this item. Code 9 should be recorded only if it was unknown whether a health check was required during the reference period (e.g. due to data quality).

If the child had not been admitted to the care of the Minister/Chief Executive during the reference period, code 7 'not applicable' should be recorded for this item.

Record only for children admitted to the care of the Minister/Chief Executive during the reporting period.

Comments:

Children admitted to care includes all children admitted to the care of the Minister/Chief Executive for the first time during the reporting period, as well as children returning to the care of the Minister/Chief Executive after exiting more than 60 days previously. Children with an ongoing care arrangement from a previous reporting period are not counted as being admitted to care in the current reporting period.

Children admitted to the care of the Minister/Chief Executive more than once during the reporting period should be recorded only once in the National Out-of Home Care file, irrespective of the number of times they were admitted.

Health check items should be reported for the first admission during the current reporting period.

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 (AIHW) 2013. Child Protection National Minimum Data Set, data collection manual 2012-13. Canberra: AIHW.

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	See also [Child—initial health check conducted indicator, yes/no/not applicable/not stated/inadequately described code N](#)
	   [Children and Families,](#) Standard 22/11/2016
	   [Community Services (retired),](#) Recorded 16/10/2014

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:	[National out-of-home care standards (NOOHCS) file cluster](#) [Children and Families,](#) Superseded 22/11/2016 ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2012 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2014 ***DSS specific information:***

This data collection uses an alternate code set for this data element.

Code 97 ('Not applicable') should be mapped to Code 7.

Code 99 ('Not stated/inadequately described') should be mapped to Code 9.

[National out-of-home care standards (NOOHCS) file cluster](#)
[Children and Families,](#) Superseded 22/11/2016
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[National out-of-home care standards (NOOHCS) file cluster](#)
[Children and Families,](#) Superseded 20/04/2018
Implementation start date: 01/07/2014
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