

# Detention period—detention end reason, youth justice detention end reason code N[N]

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Detention end reason
<b>Synonymous names:</b>	Exit reason
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	743916
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Youth Justice, Standard 15/02/2022</a>
<b>Definition:</b>	The reason a period of custody or confinement of a young person held under youth justice supervision ends, as represented by a code.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Detention period—detention end reason</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Youth justice detention end reason code N[N]</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code
<b>Data type:</b>	Number
<b>Format:</b>	N[N]
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	2

	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	Completed
	2	Death
	3	Transfer to another jurisdiction
	4	Transfer to another youth detention centre within the jurisdiction
	5	Release on parole
	6	Release on bail
	9	Escape
	10	Abscond on leave pass
	88	Other reason
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	0	Not applicable

## Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:**

Transfer to another jurisdiction: includes transfer to police custody, adult system or interstate.

CODE 1 (completed) is to end a period of detention where a young person completed their sentence or their period of police-referred detention or remand ended due to the outcome of a court hearing or trial.

CODE 2 (death) is to end a period of detention that ended due to the death of a young person.

CODE 3 (transfer to another jurisdiction, police custody, adult system) is used to end a detention period for reasons including transfer to police custody, adult system or interstate.

CODE 4 (transfer to another youth detention centre within the jurisdiction) is used to end a period of detention when a young person transfers to another youth detention centre within the state or territory.

CODE 5 (release on parole) is used to end a period of sentenced detention where a young person is released into the community to serve a portion or the remainder of their sentence.

CODE 6 (release on bail) is used to end a period of remand where a young person is released into the community on bail to await a trial.

CODE 9 (escape) is used to end a period of detention where a young person has escaped.

CODE 10 (abscond on leave pass) is used to end a period of detention where a young person did not return from leave.

CODE 88 (other) is used for any end reason not already defined above.

CODE 0 (not applicable) is used to end a detention period where the end date falls after the end of the reporting period.

Detention periods ending due to a release by appeal or to await the outcome of an appeal should be ended based on the release type. For example, if a young person was released to bail by appeal or released to bail to await the outcome of an appeal, then CODE 6 (release on bail) should be used.

## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:**

Detention code 5 should include detention periods that ended with a release on supervised release. This includes the community-based portion of a detention sentence.

Detention periods ending due to a release to await the outcome of an appeal should be ended based on the release type. For example, if awaiting the appeal resulted in a release to bail, then code 6 (release on bail) should be used.

Detention end reasons 7 (release on bail by appeal) and 8 (release stayed pending appeal) were removed as they were no longer used by jurisdictions.

### Relational attributes

**DSS specific information:**

Business rules:

- If the detention end reason is CODE 5 (release on parole), the [detention type](#) must be sentenced (CODE 3).
- If the detention end reason is released on bail, the [detention type](#) must be unsentenced (CODE 1, CODE 2).
- If the [detention end date](#) is on or before the end of the reporting period, the detention end reason must be a reason other than CODE 0 (not applicable).
- If the detention end reason for a previous detention period was CODE 2 (death) there must not be any subsequent detention periods.
- If the detention end reason is CODE 2 (death) there must be a corresponding order period with an [order end reason](#) of CODE 3 (death).
- If the [detention end date](#) is on or before the end of the reporting period, the detention end reason must be a reason other than CODE 0 (not applicable).
- If the [detention end date](#) is after the end of the reporting period, the detention end reason must be 0 (not applicable).
- If the detention end reason is CODE 4 (transfer to another youth detention centre within the jurisdiction), the next detention record must start within a day and have the same detention type.

No null values.