Service event—financial payment indicator, living arrangement code N[N]

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Financial payment indicator for a living arrangement |
| METEOR identifier: | 748853 |
| Registration status: | [Children and Families](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 03/11/2021 |
| Definition: | An indicator of whether a financial payment has been made/offered by, or on behalf of, a child protection authority to support a child in a living arrangement, as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Service event—financial payment indicator](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/652702) |
| Value Domain: | [Financial payment for a living arrangement code N[N]](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/748842) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | Number | |
| Format: | N[N] | |
| Maximum character length: | 2 | |
|  | **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: | 99 | Not stated/inadequately described |

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| 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.  Note: 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. |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Steward: | [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/246013) |
| Origin: | AIHW (Australian Institute of Health and Welfare) 2021. Child protection national minimum data set, data collection manual 2020-21. Canberra: AIHW. |

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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Comments: | This metadata item is important to determine how many placements received financial support from child protection authorities. It also allows for consistency with the previous out-of-home care collection. |
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| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Service event—financial payment indicator, out-of-home care code N[N]](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/652697)  [Children and Families](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Superseded 03/11/2021 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Living arrangements for children under care (LA) file cluster](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/748857)  [Children and Families](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 03/11/2021 |