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| **Change Notification:**  cn\_2020\_NCAMP\_PRIMHD\_New Referral From Code AC\_v2.0  **Date of Issue:**  11 December 2019 | **http://www.peoplenet.co.nz/Images/Logos/MinistryOfHealth.jpg** |

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| **Proposed Implementation Date:**  01 July 2020 | **Subject:** New Referral From code AC Access and Choice General Practice |
| **CHANGE NOTIFICATION** | |
| Summary:  This change notification advises the sector of the creation of a new Referral From code AC ‘Access and Choice General Practice’ to the Programme for the Integration of Mental Health Data (PRIMHD) collection. | |
| **National Collections Impacted by Change:** | Programme for the Integration of Mental Health Data (PRIMHD) |
| Context of the Change:  The Government recently announced a significant investment into primary/community care to improve access and choice for people with mild to moderate mental health conditions. It is imperative that the various components of access and choice services can be reported on.  Currently there is no way of tracking access and choice general practice referrals into specialist mental health and addiction providers. This reporting will mainly affect non-governmental organisations. | |
| **Details of Proposed Change:**   |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | **Code** | **Description** | **Code Valid from** | **Code Valid To** | **Comment** | | AC | Access and Choice General Practice | 01-07-2020 | 30-06-2030 | Access and Choice General Practice Teams. |   Add Referral From code AC ‘Access and Choice General Practice’ as a valid code and make available for reporting to PRIMHD from 01-07-2020 | |
| **What is Expected of the Sector:**  Referral From code AC is made available for use when reporting Referral From Access and Choice General Practice. Code AC with an effective date of 01/07/2020 until 30/06/2030 | |
| **Impact of Change on National Collection(s):**  PRIMHD will able to record referrals from Access and Choice General Practice | |
| **Comments:**  Reference HISO PRIMHD Code Set Standard section 2.3.1.1 | |
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