## Data Element Name: Zero-Tolerance: Expulsions

A code indicating whether or not the student was removed from the school setting for an extended length of time with or without continuing education services due to state or local zero-tolerance policies.

A zero-tolerance policy is a policy that results in mandatory expulsion of any student who commits one or more specified offenses (for example, offenses involving guns, or other weapons, or violence, or similar factors, or combinations of these factors). A policy is considered "zero-tolerance" even if there are some exceptions to the mandatory aspect of the expulsions, such as allowing the chief administering officer of an LEA to modify the expulsion on a case-by-case basis.

## Code Definition/Example

N No, the student's expulsion was not due to zero-tolerance policies.

| Y | Yes, the student's expulsion was due to zero-tolerance policies. |
| :--- | :--- |
| Z |  |

Note: Students coded Y or N must have a code E, F or U on the Discipline/Resultant Action Code element.

Length:
Data Type:
Year Implemented: 1112
State Standard: No

## Use Types:

| State Reporting: | Yes |
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| Local Accountability: | Yes |
| FASTER: | Yes |
| Migrant Tracking: | No |

Required Grades: PK-12
Programs Required:
All Programs
Formats Required:
Student Discipline/Resultant Action DB9 19x

## Surveys Required:

Survey 2 Yes
Survey $3 \quad$ Yes
Survey $5 \quad$ Yes

## Appendixes:

None

## Data Element Number: 197231

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## Description of Changes:

6/1/2012 Definition

6/1/2011
Revised definition to include "or" local zero-tolerance policies instead of "and".
New Element

