Element Name: Days Absent, Other

## Definition/Domain

Number of days in the 180 day school year that the teacher or school administrator was absent attributed to reasons other than personal leave, sick leave, and temporary duty elsewhere. The school year comprises the student contact days for that school. (Round to the nearest full day.) Examples of reasons for these absences include annual leave, vacation leave, professional leave, suspension with or without pay, illness-in-line-of-duty leave, sabbatical leave, military leave, absence without leave, etc. These examples are guidelines only and may vary from district to district.

Use 999 for teachers and school administrators who were on leave with pay and those who received only benefit or supplement pay for the fiscal year. Use 000 for employees other than teachers and administrators.

Note: Teachers are those employees whose job codes place them on lines 21-33 of the Public Schools Staff Survey (EEO-5). School administrators are those whose job codes place them on lines 9-19 of the Public Schools Staff Survey (EEO-5).


