Type of admitted patient care for short-stay patients

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Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NHDD

Knowledgebase ID: 000389 Version number: 3

Metadata type: DERIVED DATA ELEMENT

Registration NHIMG Admin status: RETIRED Authority:

Effective date: 01-JUL-01

Definition: The number of admitted patients separated following a length of

stay of less than 35 days totalled for specified programs within an

institution.

Context: Public hospital establishments: this variable is required to describe

adequately which broad programs of health care are provided in the establishment. Although this classificatory variable can be derived from the person-level data, a detailed description of the desired categories has been included in the National Health Data Dictionary to facilitate the routine production of a set of descriptive statistics for

each establishment.

Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Numeric

Representational QUANTITATIVE VALUE

form:

Representation NNNNNNN

layout:

Minimum Size: 1 Maximum Size: 7

Data Domain: NOVAL Count the number of separations for each of the

following categories:

Guide For Use: A8.1 Mental health: all episodes with principal diagnosis of F00-

F09, F20-F54, F56-F69 and F80-F99.

A8.2 Alcohol and drug: all episodes with a principal diagnosis of

F10-F19 and F55.

A8.11 Medical/surgical/obstetrics: balance of episodes.

Collection Methods: This data element is collected for public psychiatric and alcohol and

drug hospitals only.

Related metadata: supersedes previous data element Type of admitted patient care for

short stay patients - ICD-9-CM code version 2

Administrative Attributes

Source Document: International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related

health Problems - 10th Revision, Australian Modification (1998)

National Centre for Classification in Health, Sydney.

Source Organisation:

Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

NHIM Performance indicator

Data Agreements which include this Data Element