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# Episode of residential care start date

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## *Identifying and Definitional Attributes*

Data Dictionary: NHDD  
Knowledgebase ID: 000897                      Version number: 1  
Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT  
Registration Authority: NHIMG                      Admin status: SUPERSEDED  
Effective date: 01-MAR-05  
Definition: Date on which the resident starts an episode of residential care either because of:  
Formal episode of residential care start  
- The start of treatment and/or care and accommodation of a resident, or  
Statistical episode of residential care start  
- The start of a reference period for a resident continuing their treatment and/or care and accommodation from the previous reference period.  
Context: Specialised mental health services (Residential mental health care).

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## *Relational and Representational Attributes*

Datatype: Numeric  
Representational form: DATE  
Representation layout: DDMMYYYY  
Minimum Size: 8  
Maximum Size: 8  
Data Domain: NOVAL      Valid date  
Verification Rules: Right justified and zero filled.  
Episode of residential care start date <= episode of residential care end date.  
Episode of residential care start date >= date of birth.  
Related metadata: relates to the data element concept Episode of residential care version 1  
relates to the data element concept Resident version 1  
relates to the data element concept Episode of residential care start

version 1

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### *Administrative Attributes*

Source Document:

Source Organisation:

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### *Data Element Links*

*Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element*

NHIM Request for / entry into service event

*Data Agreements which include this Data Element*

NMDS - Residential mental health care From 01-Jul-04 to

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