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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Indicator |
| Indicator type: | Indicator |
| Short name: | Indicator 6a- Proportion of patients with a final diagnosis of acute stroke whose carer(s) received a formal needs assessment prior to separation from hospital |
| METEOR identifier: | 719068 |
| Registration status: | [Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/18), Qualified 09/09/2019 |
| Description: | Proportion of patients with a final diagnosis of [**acute stroke**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/721343) whose carer(s) have had a documented formal needs assessment prior to [**separation**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/327268) from hospital. |
| Rationale: | Assessment of carer support needs allows for referral to appropriate services. |
| Indicator set: | [Clinical care standard indicators: acute stroke](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/719072)  [Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/18), Standard 03/11/2020 |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Computation description: | Both the numerator and the denominator include patients with a final diagnosis of acute stroke[**.**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/629525) The final diagnosis is made at the hospital where the patient is admitted for the acute phase of management of their stroke.  Both the numerator and the denominator only include patients separated to their usual residence, own accommodation or welfare institution following the acute episode of care (i.e. where [Episode of admitted patient care—separation mode, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270094) = 9 Other).  Welfare institutions includes prisons, hostels and group homes providing primarily welfare services.  Both the numerator and denominator exclude:   * Acute stroke patients separated from hospital who do not have a carer. * Acute stroke patients or carer(s) that refuse a formal assessment.   Presented as a percentage. |
| Computation: | (Numerator ÷ denominator) x 100 |
| Numerator: | Number of patients with a final diagnosis of acute stroke whose carer(s) have had a documented formal needs assessment. |
| Denominator: | Number of patients with a final diagnosis of acute stroke who have a carer upon separation from hospital. |
| Representational attributes | |
| Representation class: | Percentage |
| Data type: | Real |
| Unit of measure: | Episode |
| Format: | N[NN] |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care |