

# Triage category

## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Property
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	269109
<b>Registration status:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Health</a>, Superseded 05/10/2016</li><li>• <a href="#">Independent Hospital Pricing Authority</a>, Standard 31/10/2012</li><li>• <a href="#">National Health Performance Authority (retired)</a>, Retired 01/07/2016</li><li>• <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a>, Superseded 25/05/2020</li></ul>
<b>Definition:</b>	The classification of a patient assigned according to the urgency of their need for medical and/or nursing care.
<b>Context:</b>	Emergency department care
<b>Property group:</b>	<a href="#">Service/care urgency</a>

## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

## Relational attributes

<b>Related metadata references:</b>	Has been superseded by <a href="#">Triage category</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">ACT Health (retired)</a>, Candidate 19/07/2018</li><li>• <a href="#">Health</a>, Standard 05/10/2016</li><li>• <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a>, Standard 25/05/2020</li></ul>
<b>Data Element Concepts implementing this property:</b>	<p><a href="#">Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—triage category</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ <a href="#">Health</a>, Superseded 29/01/2012</li></ul> <p><a href="#">Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—triage category</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ <a href="#">Health</a>, Superseded 30/01/2012</li></ul> <p><a href="#">Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—triage category</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◦ <a href="#">Health</a>, Superseded 05/10/2016</li><li>◦ <a href="#">Independent Hospital Pricing Authority</a>, Standard 31/10/2012</li><li>◦ <a href="#">National Health Performance Authority (retired)</a>, Retired 01/07/2016</li><li>◦ <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a>, Superseded 25/05/2020</li></ul>