

Episode of care—principal diagnosis

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- [Health](#), Standard 01/03/2005
- [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Standard 16/03/2016
- [National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Retired 01/07/2016
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 02/09/2016

Definition: The diagnosis established after study to be chiefly responsible for occasioning an episode of admitted patient care, an episode of residential care or an attendance at the health care establishment.

Context: Health services

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class: [Episode of care](#)
Definition: A period of health care with a defined start and end.
Specialisation of: [Service episode](#)

Source and reference attributes

Origin: National Health Data Committee

Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property: [Principal diagnosis](#)
Definition: The diagnosis chiefly responsible for occasioning a service event or episode.
Property group: [Service provision event](#)

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element concept attributes

Relational attributes

**Data Elements
implementing this Data
Element Concept:**

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- [Health](#), Superseded 25/01/2018
- [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Recorded 04/08/2016
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Superseded 08/04/2019

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- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 09/08/2018
- [Health](#), Superseded 12/12/2018
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Superseded 08/04/2019

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- [Health](#), Superseded 20/10/2021
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 08/04/2019

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- [Health](#), Standard 20/10/2021

[Episode of care—principal diagnosis, code \(ICD-10-AM 3rd edn\) ANN{.N\[N\]}](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 28/06/2004

[Episode of care—principal diagnosis, code \(ICD-10-AM 4th edn\) ANN{.N\[N\]}](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 07/12/2005

[Episode of care—principal diagnosis, code \(ICD-10-AM 5th edn\) ANN{.N\[N\]}](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 05/02/2008

[Episode of care—principal diagnosis, code \(ICD-10-AM 6th edn\) ANN{.N\[N\]}](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 22/12/2009

[Episode of care—principal diagnosis, code \(ICD-10-AM 7th edn\) ANN{.N\[N\]}](#)

- [Commonwealth Department of Health](#), Candidate 16/07/2015
- [Health](#), Superseded 02/05/2013
- [National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Retired 01/07/2016
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Incomplete 23/07/2012

[Episode of care—principal diagnosis, code \(ICD-10-AM 8th edn\) ANN{.N\[N\]}](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 13/11/2014
- [National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Not progressed 01/07/2016
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 02/09/2016

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- [Health](#), Superseded 05/10/2016
- [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Standard 16/03/2016
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Superseded 10/07/2017