Episode of care—inter-hospital contracted patient status

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element Concept |
| METEOR identifier: | 269715 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/10/2016 |
| Definition: | An episode of care for an admitted patient whose treatment and/or care is provided under an arrangement between a hospital purchaser of hospital care (contracting hospital) and a provider of an admitted service (contracted hospital), and for which the activity is recorded by both hospitals. |
| Context: | Admitted patient care:  To identify patients receiving services that have been contracted between hospitals. This metadata item is used to eliminate potential double-counting of hospital activity in the analysis of patterns of health care delivery and funding and epidemiological studies. |

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Object class: | [Episode of care](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/268978) |
| Definition: | A period of health care with a defined start and end. |
| Specialisation of: | [Service episode](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/333545) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Origin: | National Health Data Committee |

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Property: | [Inter-hospital contracted patient status](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269338) |
| Definition: | An indicator identifying a patient as being treated as part of a contracted hospital care agreement. |
| Property group: | [Service provision event](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/274661) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

## Data element concept attributes

### Relational attributes



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| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Episode of care—inter-hospital contracted patient status](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/647112)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 05/10/2016 |
| Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept: | [Episode of care—inter-hospital contracted patient status, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270409)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 11/04/2012  [Episode of care—inter-hospital contracted patient status, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/472024)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/10/2016 |