

# Health service event— presentation date, DDMMYYYY

## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Date patient presents
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	270393
<b>Registration status:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Health</a>, Standard 01/03/2005</li></ul>
<b>Definition:</b>	The date on which the patient/client presents for the delivery of a service.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Health service event—presentation date</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Date
<b>Data type:</b>	Date/Time
<b>Format:</b>	DDMMYYYY
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	8

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	<p>For community health care, outreach services and services provided via telephone or telehealth, this may be the date on which the service provider presents to the patient or the telephone/telehealth session commences.</p> <p>The date of patient presentation at the <a href="#">Emergency department</a> is the earliest occasion of being registered clerically or triaged.</p> <p>The date that the patient presents is not necessarily:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• the listing date for care (see listing date for care), nor</li><li>• the date on which care is scheduled to be provided, nor</li><li>• the date on which commencement of care actually occurs (for admitted patients see admission date, for hospital non-admitted patient care and community health care see service commencement date).</li></ul>
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## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	National Institution Based Ambulatory Model Reference Group
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Origin: National Health Data Committee

## Relational attributes

### Related metadata references:

Supersedes [Date patient presents, version 2, DE, NHDD, NHIMG, Superseded 01/03/2005.pdf](#) (16.3 KB) *No registration status*

Is used in the formation of [Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—service episode length, total minutes NNNNN](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 23/05/2012

Is used in the formation of [Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—waiting time \(to hospital admission\), total hours and minutes NNNN](#)

- [Health](#), Retired 02/04/2014

Is used in the formation of [Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—waiting time \(to service delivery\), total minutes NNNNN](#)

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

See also [Emergency department stay—presentation date, DDMMYYYY](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 05/10/2016
- [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Standard 31/10/2012
- [National Health Performance Authority \(retired\)](#), Retired 01/07/2016
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Superseded 25/05/2020

See also [Emergency department stay—presentation date, DDMMYYYY](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 08/08/2018
- [Health](#), Superseded 20/10/2021
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 25/05/2020

See also [Emergency department stay—presentation date, DDMMYYYY](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 25/01/2018

See also [Emergency department stay—presentation date, DDMMYYYY](#)

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

See also [Emergency service stay—presentation date, DDMMYYYY](#)

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

### Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) DSS Health](#), Superseded 01/10/2008

[Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) DSS Health](#), Superseded 07/12/2005

[Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) DSS Health](#), Superseded 01/09/2012

#### ***DSS specific information:***

This data element should only be collected for patients who presented to the emergency department for treatment related to acute coronary syndromes.

[Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) DSS Health](#), Superseded 02/05/2013

***DSS specific information:***

This data element should only be collected for patients who presented to the emergency department for treatment related to acute coronary syndromes.

[Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) NBPDS 2013-Health](#), Standard 02/05/2013

***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2013

***DSS specific information:***

This data element should only be collected for patients who presented to the emergency department for treatment related to acute coronary syndromes.

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS Health](#), Superseded 24/03/2006

***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2005

***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2006

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS Health](#), Superseded 23/10/2006

***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2006

***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2007

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS Health](#), Superseded 07/12/2005

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2007-08 Health](#), Superseded 05/02/2008

***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2007

***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2008

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2008-10 Health](#), Superseded 22/12/2009

***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2008

***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2010

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2010-11 Health](#), Superseded 18/01/2011

**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2010

**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2011

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2011-12 Commonwealth Department of Health](#), Candidate 16/07/2015  
[Health](#), Superseded 30/01/2012

**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2011

**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2012

**DSS specific information:**

Data collected for this item from 1 January 2012 to 30 June 2012 may not comply with the above requirements. Therefore, data collected from 1 January 2012 to 30 June 2012 may not be directly comparable to data collected between 1 July 2011 and 31 December 2011.