

Emergency department patient departure status code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Value Domain
METEOR identifier:	270599
Registration status:	Health , Superseded 24/03/2006
Definition:	A code set representing the status of a patient at the end of a non-admitted patient emergency department service episode.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N	
Maximum character length:	1	
	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Admitted to this hospital (including to units or beds within the emergency department)
	2	Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode completed - departed without being admitted or referred to another hospital
	3	Referred to another hospital for admission
	4	Did not wait to be attended by a health care professional
	5	Left at own risk after being attended by a health care professional but before the non-admitted patient emergency department service episode was completed
	6	Died in emergency department as a non-admitted patient
	7	Dead on arrival, not treated in emergency department

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	<p>CODE 2 Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode completed - departed without being admitted or referred to another hospital</p> <p>This code includes patients who departed under their own care, under police custody and under the care of a residential aged care facility or other carer. Code 2 excludes those who died in the emergency department, which should be coded to Code 6.</p>
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Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Has been superseded by Emergency department non-admitted patient service episode end status code N Health , Standard 24/03/2006
Data elements implementing this value domain:	Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—patient departure status, code N Health , Superseded 24/03/2006

