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| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 24/03/2006 |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. |

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| 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 |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | CODE 2     Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode completed - departed without being admitted or referred to another hospital  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. |

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| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Emergency department non-admitted patient service episode end status code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/322643)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 24/03/2006 |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—patient departure status, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270001)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 24/03/2006 |