
Scheduled admission date

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Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NHDD
Knowledgebase ID: 000147 Version number: 1
Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT
Registration Authority: NHIMG Admin status: SUPERSEDED
Effective date: 30-JUN-97
Definition: The date on which it is proposed that a waiting list patient will commence an episode of care as either a same-day or overnight-stay patient.
Context: Elective surgery: this data element is required for the purposes of hospital management - allocation of beds, operating theatre time and other resources.

Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Numeric
Representational form: DATE
Representation layout: DDMMYYYY
Minimum Size: 8
Maximum Size: 8
Data Domain: NOVAL Valid dates
Related metadata: is used in conjunction with Listing date version 1
has been superseded by Scheduled admission date version 2

Administrative Attributes

Source Document:
Source Organisation: National Health Data Committee

Comments: If this data element were to be used to compare data from different hospitals or geographic locations, then it would be necessary to define the point in time when the scheduled date is to be allocated, that is on addition to the waiting list. Some hospitals assign either a provisional (indication of admission date, but no guarantee) or a

scheduled admission date on addition to the waiting list. This matter may require further discussion and clarification.

Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

NHIM Planning event

Data Agreements which include this Data Element
