Total contract patient days

Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NHDD

Knowledgebase ID: 000429   Version number: 1

Metadata type: DERIVED DATA ELEMENT

Registration Authority: NHIMG   Admin status: SUPERSEDED

Effective date: 01-MAR-05

Definition: Sum of the number of contract patient days (Contracted care completion date minus Contracted care commencement date) for all periods within the hospital stay.

Context: Admitted patient care.

Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Numeric

Representational form: QUANTITATIVE VALUE

Representation layout: NNN

Minimum Size: 1

Maximum Size: 3

Data Domain: NOVAL   Count number of days

Guide For Use: A day is measured from midnight to 2359 hours.

Contract patient days are included in the total count of patient days. If necessary, Contract patient days can be distinguished from other patient days by using the following rules:

The day the contract commences is counted as a contract patient day.

If the patient is on contract from midnight to 2359 count as a contract patient day.

The day a contract is completed is not counted as a contract patient day.

If the patient is admitted and commences a contract on the same day, this is not counted as a contract patient day.

If a contract is completed and the patient is separated on the same day, the day should not be counted as a contract or other patient day.

Related metadata: relates to the data element Contracted hospital care version 1
relates to the data element Contract establishment identifier version 1
relates to the data element Contract procedure flag version 1
relates to the data element Contract role version 1
relates to the data element Contract type version 1
relates to the data element Contracted care commencement date version 1
relates to the data element Contracted care completion date version 1
relates to the data element Patient days version 3

Administrative Attributes

Source Document:

Source Organisation:

Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

NHIM   Performance indicator

Data Agreements which include this Data Element