
Time of service event

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Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NHDD
Knowledgebase ID: 000357 Version number: 1
Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT
Registration Authority: NHIMG Admin status: SUPERSEDED
Effective date: 01-JUL-01
Definition: The time at which the delivery of a service commences. The service is defined as commencing when a medical officer (or, if no medical officer is on duty in the Emergency Department, a treating nurse) first takes responsibility for the patient's care. The commencement of assessment of the patient by the medical officer is included as taking responsibility for care.
Context: Admitted patient care

Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Numeric
Representational form: QUANTITATIVE VALUE
Representation layout: HHMM
Minimum Size: 4
Maximum Size: 4
Data Domain: NOVAL Expressed as hours and minutes using 24-hour clock
Related metadata: relates to the data element Admission date version 3
relates to the data element Emergency department waiting time to service delivery version 1
relates to the data element Emergency department waiting time to admission version 1
relates to the data element concept Patient presentation at emergency department version 1
relates to the data element Date patient presents version 1
relates to the data element Time patient presents version 1
relates to the data element Type of visit version 1
relates to the data element Time of triage version 1

relates to the data element Date of service event version 1
relates to the data element Admission time version 1
has been superseded by Time of commencement of service event
version 2

Administrative Attributes

Source Document:

Source Organisation: National Institution Based Ambulatory Model Reference Group;
NHDC

Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

NHIM Service provision event

Data Agreements which include this Data Element

NMDS - Emergency department waiting times From 01-Jul-99 to 30-Jun-01
