Establishment identifier

Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NHDD

Knowledgebase ID: 000050   Version number: 4

Metadata type: DERIVED DATA ELEMENT

Registration Authority: NHIMG   Admin status: SUPERSEDED

Effective date: 01-MAR-05

Definition: Identifier for the establishment in which episode or event occurred. Each separately administered health care establishment to have a unique identifier at the national level.

Context:

Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Alphanumeric

Representational form: IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

Representation layout: NNANNNNNN

Minimum Size: 9

Maximum Size: 9

Data Domain: NOVAL   Concatenation of:
State/Territory identifier (character position 1)
Establishment sector (character position 2)
Region code (character positions 3-4)
Establishment number (character positions 5-9)

Related metadata: is composed of Region code version 2
supersedes previous data element Establishment identifier version 3
is composed of Establishment sector version 3
is composed of State/Territory identifier version 3
relates to the data element Person identifier version 1
is composed of Establishment number version 4
relates to the data element Person identifier type - health care version 1

Administrative Attributes

Source Document:

Source Organisation: National Health Data Committee

Comments: Establishment Identifier should be able to distinguish between all health care establishments nationally.

NMDS - Admitted patient care:

A residential establishment is considered to be separately administered if managed as an independent institution for which there are financial, budgetary and activity statistics. For example, if establishment-level data for components of an area health service are not available separately at a central authority, this is not grounds for treating such components as a single establishment unless such data are not available at any level in the health care system.

This item is now being used to identify hospital contracted care. The use of this item will lead to reduced duplication in reporting patient activity and will enable linkage of services to one episode of care.

Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

NHIM   Organisation characteristic

Data Agreements which include this Data Element

NMDS - Admitted patient care	From 01-Apr-03 to 04-Jun-04
NMDS - Elective surgery waiting times	From 01-Jul-03 to
NMDS - Admitted patient mental health care	From 01-Jul-03 to
NMDS - Perinatal	From 01-Jul-03 to
NMDS - Community mental health care	From 01-Jul-03 to
NMDS - Emergency department waiting times	From 01-Jul-03 to 05-Dec-03
NMDS - Admitted patient palliative care	From 01-Jul-03 to
NMDS - Alcohol and other drug treatment services	From 01-Jul-03 to
NMDS - Public hospital establishments	From 01-Jul-03 to
NMDS - Community mental health establishments	From 01-Jul-03 to
NMDS - Non-admitted patient emergency department care	From 01-Jul-03 to

DSS - Health care client identification   From 01-Jan-03 to
NMDS - Residential mental health care   From 01-Jul-04 to