

Hospital—hospital identifier

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Definition: A unique identifier for a hospital.

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Object class: | Hospital |
| Definition: | A health care facility established under Commonwealth, state or territory legislation as a hospital or a free-standing day procedure unit, and authorised to provide treatment and/or care to patients. |
| Context: | Admitted patient care, admitted patient palliative care, admitted patient mental health care and public hospital establishments. |
| Specialisation of: | Organisation |

Collection and usage attributes

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| Comments: | <p>A hospital thus defined may be located at one physical site or may be a multicampus hospital. A multicampus hospital treats movements of patients between sites as ward transfers.</p> <p>For the purposes of these definitions, the term hospital includes satellite units managed and staffed by the hospital.</p> <p>This definition includes, but is not limited to, hospitals as recognised under Australian Health Care Agreements.</p> <p>Residential aged care services as approved under the <i>National Health Act 1953</i> (Cwth) or equivalent state legislation are excluded from this definition.</p> <p>This definition includes entities with multipurpose facilities (e.g. those which contain both recognised and non-recognised components).</p> |
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Source and reference attributes

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| Origin: | National Health Data Committee |
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Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Property: | Hospital identifier |
| Definition: | A sequence of characters which identify a hospital. |
| Property group: | Identifier characteristics |

Source and reference attributes

Data element concept attributes

Relational attributes

Data Elements
implementing this Data
Element Concept:

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- [Commonwealth Department of Health](#), Standard 17/12/2015

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- [Health](#), Standard 16/01/2020

[Hospital—hospital identifier, XXXXX](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 17/08/2018
- [Health](#), Superseded 16/01/2020
- [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Qualified 23/11/2015