

# Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—episode end time, hhmm

## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Emergency department episode end time
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	471904
<b>Registration status:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Health</a>, Superseded 30/01/2012</li></ul>
<b>Definition:</b>	The time at which the non-admitted patient emergency department service episode ends, expressed as hhmm.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—episode end time</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Time
<b>Data type:</b>	Date/Time
<b>Format:</b>	hhmm
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	4

## Source and reference attributes

<b>Reference documents:</b>	ISO 8601:2000 : Data elements and interchange formats - Information interchange - Representation of dates and times
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## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:**

The value of the episode end status should guide the selection of the value to be recorded as the end time of a non-admitted patient emergency department service episode as follows:

- If the patient is subsequently admitted to this hospital, then record the time the patient's emergency department non-admitted clinical care is completed.
- If the service episode is completed without the patient being admitted, then record the time the patient's emergency department non-admitted clinical care is completed.
- If the service episode is completed and the patient is referred to another hospital for admission, then record the time the patient's emergency department non-admitted clinical care is completed.
- If the patient did not wait, then record the time the patient leaves the emergency department or was first noticed as having left.
- If the patient left at their own risk, then record the time the patient leaves the emergency department or was first noticed as having left.
- If the patient died in the emergency department as a non-admitted patient, then record the time the patient was certified dead.
- If the patient was dead on arrival, then record the time the patient was certified dead.

## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing

## Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:**

Supersedes [Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—episode end time, hhmm](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 22/12/2011

Has been superseded by [Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—episode end time, hhmm](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 19/11/2015
- [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Standard 01/11/2012
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Superseded 27/05/2020

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:**

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care DSS 1 January 2012-30 June 2012](#)  
[Health](#), Retired 30/01/2012

*Implementation start date:* 01/01/2012

*Implementation end date:* 30/06/2012

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2011-12](#)  
[Health](#), Superseded 30/01/2012  
[Commonwealth Department of Health](#), Candidate 16/07/2015

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*Implementation end date:* 30/06/2012

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