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

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Time of triage |
| Synonymous names: | Triage time |
| METEOR identifier: | 474193 |
| Registration status: | [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 01/11/2012[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 25/01/2018[Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Superseded 25/05/2020 |
| Definition: | The time at which the patient is [**triaged**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/334003), expressed as hhmm. |
| Context: | Emergency department care. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—triage time](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/474191) |
| Value Domain: | [Time hhmm](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270568) |

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| Value domain attributes |
| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Time |
| Data type: | Date/Time |
| Format: | hhmm |
| Maximum character length: | 4 |

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Reference documents: | 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: | This data element should not be completed for patients who have a Type of visit of 'Dead on arrival'. |
| Collection methods: | Collected in conjunction with the data element 'Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—triage date, DDMMYYYY'. |
| 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—triage time, hhmm](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/473167)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 30/01/2012Has been superseded by [Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—triage time, hhmm](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/684609)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 20/10/2021[Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Superseded 22/03/2023See also [Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—triage date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/474189)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 25/01/2018[Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 01/11/2012[Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Superseded 25/05/2020 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Activity based funding: Emergency department care DSS 2013-2014](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/497500)[Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Superseded 01/03/2013***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2013***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2014***Conditional obligation:*** This data item is to be recorded if the patient has one of the following nonemergency department stay - type of visit to emergency department values reported:* 1 - Emergency department presentation;
* 2 - Return visit, planned;
* 3 - Pre-arranged admission;
* 4 - Patient in transit.

[Acute coronary syndrome (clinical) DSS](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/482119)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 02/05/2013***DSS specific information:*** This data element should only be collected for patients who presented to the emergency department for treatment related to acute coronary syndromes.[Acute coronary syndrome (clinical) NBPDS 2013-](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/523140)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 02/05/2013***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2013***DSS specific information:*** This data element should only be collected for patients who presented to the emergency department for treatment related to acute coronary syndromes.[Emergency department care activity based funding DSS 2012-2013](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/496522)[Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Superseded 31/10/2012***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2012***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2013***Conditional obligation:*** This data item is to be recorded for patients who have one of the following Type of visit values recorded:* Emergency department presentation;
* Return visit, planned;
* Pre-arranged admission;
* Patient in transit.

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care DSS 2014-15](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/567462)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 04/02/2015***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2014***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2015***Conditional obligation:*** This data item is to be recorded for patients who have one of the following Type of visit values recorded:* Code 1 - Emergency presentation;
* Code 2 - Return visit, planned;
* Code 3 - Pre-arranged admission;
* Code 4 - Patient in transit.

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care DSS 2015-16](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/590675)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 02/12/2015***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2015***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2016***Conditional obligation:*** This data item is to be recorded for patients who have one of the following Type of visit values recorded:* Code 1 - Emergency presentation;
* Code 2 - Return visit, planned;
* Code 3 - Pre-arranged admission;
* Code 4 - Patient in transit.

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NBEDS 2016-17](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/617933)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/10/2016***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2016***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2017***Conditional obligation:*** This data item is to be recorded for patients who have one of the following *Type of visit to emergency department* permissible values recorded:* Code 1 - Emergency presentation
* Code 2 - Return visit, planned
* Code 3 - Pre-arranged admission

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NBEDS 2017-18](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/655704)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 12/12/2018***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2017***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2018***Conditional obligation:*** This data item is to be recorded for patients who have one of the following *Type of visit to emergency department* permissible values recorded:* Code 1 - Emergency presentation
* Code 2 - Return visit, planned
* Code 3 - Pre-arranged admission

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2012-13](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/474371)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 07/02/2013***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2012***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2013***Conditional obligation:*** This data item is to be recorded for patients who have one of the following Type of visit values recorded:* Emergency department presentation;
* Return visit, planned;
* Pre-arranged admission;
* Patient in transit.

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2013-14](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/509116)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 11/04/2014***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2013***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2014***Conditional obligation:*** This data item is to be recorded for patients who have one of the following Type of visit values recorded:* Emergency department presentation;
* Return visit, planned;
* Pre-arranged admission;
* Patient in transit.

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2014-15](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/566909)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 13/11/2014***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2014***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2015***Conditional obligation:*** This data item is to be recorded for patients who have one of the following Type of visit values recorded:* Code 1 - Emergency presentation;
* Code 2 - Return visit, planned;
* Code 3 - Pre-arranged admission;
* Code 4 - Patient in transit.

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2015-16](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/588932)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 19/11/2015***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2015***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2016***Conditional obligation:*** This data item is to be recorded for patients who have one of the following Type of visit values recorded:* Code 1 - Emergency presentation;
* Code 2 - Return visit, planned;
* Code 3 - Pre-arranged admission;
* Code 4 - Patient in transit.

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2016-17](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/612346)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/10/2016***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2016***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2017***Conditional obligation:*** This data item is to be recorded for patients who have one of the following Type of visit values recorded:* Code 1 - Emergency presentation;
* Code 2 - Return visit, planned;
* Code 3 - Pre-arranged admission;
* Code 4 - Patient in transit.

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2017-18](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/651856)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 25/01/2018***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2017***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2018***Conditional obligation:*** This data item is to be recorded for patients who have one of the following Type of visit values recorded:* Code 1 - Emergency presentation;
* Code 2 - Return visit, planned;
* Code 3 - Pre-arranged admission;
* Code 4 - Patient in transit.

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