Emergency department stay—type of visit to emergency department, code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Type of visit to emergency department
METEOR identifier:	474195
Registration status:	Independent Hospital Pricing Authority, Standard 31/10/2012 Health, Superseded 21/11/2013 National Health Performance Authority (retired), Retired 01/07/2016
Definition:	The reason the patient presents to an emergency department, as represented by a code.
Context:	Emergency department care.
Data Element Concept:	Emergency department stay—type of visit to emergency department
Value Domain:	Emergency department visit type code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	N
Maximum character length:	1

Permissible values:

Value	Meaning
1	Emergency presentation: attendance for an actual or suspected condition which is sufficiently serious to require acute unscheduled care.
2	Return visit, planned: presentation is planned and is a result of a previous emergency department presentation or return visit.
3	Pre-arranged admission: a patient who presents at the emergency department for either clerical, nursing or medical processes to be undertaken, and admission has been pre-arranged by the referring medical officer and a bed allocated.
4	Patient in transit: the emergency department is responsible for care and treatment of a patient awaiting transport to another facility.
5	Dead on arrival: a patient who is dead on arrival and an emergency department clinician certifies the death of the patient.

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Comments:	Required for analysis of emergency department services.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: National Institution Based Ambulatory Model Reference Group

Origin: National Health Data Committee

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes Emergency department stay—type of visit to emergency department, code N
Health, Superseded 30/01/2012

Has been superseded by Emergency department stay—type of visit to emergency department, code N
Health, Superseded 11/04/2014

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

Activity based funding: Emergency department care DSS 2013-2014
Independent Hospital Pricing Authority, Superseded 01/03/2013
Implementation start date: 01/07/2013
Implementation end date: 30/06/2014

Activity based funding: Emergency service care DSS 2013-2014
Independent Hospital Pricing Authority, Standard 31/10/2012
Implementation start date: 01/07/2013
Implementation end date: 30/06/2014

Emergency department care activity based funding DSS 2012-2013
Independent Hospital Pricing Authority, Superseded 31/10/2012
Implementation start date: 01/07/2012
Implementation end date: 30/06/2013

Emergency services activity based funding DSS 2012-2013
Independent Hospital Pricing Authority, Superseded 31/10/2012
Implementation start date: 01/07/2012
Implementation end date: 30/06/2013

Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2012-13
Health, Superseded 07/02/2013
Implementation start date: 01/07/2012
Implementation end date: 30/06/2013

Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2013-14
Health, Superseded 11/04/2014
Implementation start date: 01/07/2013
Implementation end date: 30/06/2014

Implementation in Indicators:

Used as Numerator

National Health Performance Authority, Healthy Communities: After-hours emergency department attendances, 2013–14
National Health Performance Authority (retired), Retired 01/07/2016

National Health Performance Authority, Healthy Communities: In-hours emergency department attendances, 2013–14
National Health Performance Authority (retired), Retired 01/07/2016

National Health Performance Authority, Hospital Performance: Percentage of patients who commenced treatment within clinically recommended time 2014
National Health Performance Authority (retired), Retired 01/07/2016

National Partnership Agreement on Improving Public Hospital Services: Unplanned re-attendances to the emergency department within 48 hours of previous attendances
Health, Standard 07/08/2014

Used as Denominator

National Health Performance Authority, Hospital Performance: Percentage of patients who commenced treatment within clinically recommended time 2014
National Health Performance Authority (retired), Retired 01/07/2016

National Partnership Agreement on Improving Public Hospital Services: Unplanned re-attendances to the emergency department within 48 hours of previous attendances
Health, Standard 07/08/2014