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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Clinical assessment only indicator |
| Synonymous names: | Assessment only indicator |
| METEOR identifier: | 550492 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 11/04/2014 |
| Definition: | An indicator of whether an episode of admitted patient care resulted in the patient undergoing a clinical assessment only, as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Episode of admitted patient care—clinical assessment only indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/471805) |
| Value Domain: | [Yes/no/unknown/not stated/inadequately described code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/546669) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | Number | |
| Format: | N | |
| Maximum character length: | 1 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Yes |
|  | 2 | No |
| Supplementary values: | 8 | Unknown |
|  | 9 | Not stated/inadequately described |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | An episode of care is regarded as ‘assessment only’ if a patient was seen for clinical assessment only and no treatment or further intervention was planned by the assessing clinical team.  CODE 1   Yes  This code is used when the patient was assessed by a clinical team but received no treatment during an episode. These episodes are usually of short duration, normally less than 3 days.  CODE 2   No  This code is used when the patient was assessed and then goes on to receive treatment.  CODE 8   Unknown  This code is used when it is unknown whether the patient was seen for assessment only.  CODE 9   Not stated/inadequately described  This code is used when it is has not been reported whether the patient was seen for assessment only. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Independent Hospital Pricing Authority |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Episode of admitted patient care—clinical assessment only indicator, yes/no/unknown code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/471807)  [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 31/10/2012 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Admitted subacute and non-acute hospital care DSS 2014-15](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/556874)  [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:***  Only required to be reported for episodes of admitted patient care with [Hospital service—care type, code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/491557) recorded as:   * Code 2, Rehabilitation care; * Code 3, Palliative care; * Code 4, Geriatric evaluation and management; * Code 5, Psychogeriatric care; or * Code 6, Maintenance care.   Not required to be reported for patients aged 16 years and under at admission.  [Admitted subacute and non-acute hospital care DSS 2015-16](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/588098)  [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:***  Only required to be reported for episodes of admitted patient care with [Hospital service—care type, code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/584408) recorded as:   * Code 2, Rehabilitation care; * Code 3, Palliative care; * Code 4, Geriatric evaluation and management; * Code 5, Psychogeriatric care; or * Code 6, Maintenance care.   Not required to be reported for patients aged 16 years and under at admission.  [Admitted subacute and non-acute hospital care NBEDS 2016-17](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/611617)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 03/11/2016  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2016 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2017 ***Conditional obligation:***  Only required to be reported for episodes of admitted patient care with [Hospital service—care type, code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/584408) recorded as:   * Code 2, Rehabilitation care; * Code 3, Palliative care; * Code 4, Geriatric evaluation and management; * Code 5, Psychogeriatric care; or * Code 6, Maintenance care. |