Non-admitted patient service request—service request acceptance date, DDMMYYYY

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Service request acceptance date |
| METEOR identifier: | 596488 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Recorded 19/01/2018 |
| Definition: | The date on which a health-care provider accepts a request for a non-admitted patient service, expressed as DDMMYYYY. |
| Value Domain: | [Date DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270566) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Date | |
| Data type: | Date/Time | |
| Format: | DDMMYYYY | |
| Maximum character length: | 8 | |

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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: | The date recorded is the date on which the service request was accepted by the health-care provider.  The acceptance date recorded may be when the patient's name is added to the health-care provider's patient list or when the request for service includes adequate information about the patient or when an urgency category is assigned or when the patient was first notified that their service request had been accepted.  Where no service request acceptance date is available, leave the field blank. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Measurement of Access Time to Elective Surgery (MATES) Working Group |
| Steward: | [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/246013) |