

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

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Emergency department episode end time
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	621853
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 25/01/2018
<b>Definition:</b>	The time at which the non-admitted patient emergency department service episode ends, expressed as hhmm.
<b>Context:</b>	Emergency department care.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—episode end time</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Time hhmm</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>Submitting organisation:</b>	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
<b>Reference documents:</b>	ISO 8601:2000 : Data elements and interchange formats - Information interchange - Representation of dates and times

## 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 (including those who are admitted and subsequently die before leaving the emergency department), 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.
- If the patient was registered, advised of another health care service, and left the emergency department without being attended by a health care professional, then record the time the patient leaves the emergency department.

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## Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:**

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

[Health](#), Superseded 19/11/2015

[Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Standard 01/11/2012

[Tasmanian Health](#), Superseded 27/05/2020

Has been superseded by [Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—episode end time, hmmm](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 20/10/2021

[Tasmanian Health](#), Superseded 22/03/2023

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:**

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NBEDS 2017-18](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 12/12/2018

**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2017

**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2018

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2016-17](#)

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