

# **Service Agreement - Department of Health and Human Services Tasmania: 2017, ACC5 - Emergency Department - Percentage of emergency department patients admitted through the ED with an ED length of stay less than 8 hours, 2017**

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Indicator
<b>Indicator type:</b>	Indicator
<b>Short name:</b>	Patients admitted through emergency department with LOS <8 hours (percentage)
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	675856
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Superseded 28/03/2019
<b>Description:</b>	This indicator measures the percentage of emergency department patients who present to a public hospital emergency department and are admitted to the same hospital, whose time in the emergency department is less than 8 hours.
<b>Indicator set:</b>	<a href="#">Service Agreement - Department of Health and Human Services Tasmania: 2017</a> <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Superseded 28/03/2019
<b>Outcome area:</b>	<a href="#">Emergency Department access</a> <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Standard 07/12/2016

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Computation description:</b>	Total number of patients admitted through the emergency department who were physically in the emergency department for less than 8 hours. From triage time to time of admission divided by the Total number of patients admitted through the ED.  The indicator is calculated for all patients as a whole and presented as a percentage.
<b>Computation:</b>	100 x (Numerator ÷ Denominator)
<b>Numerator:</b>	Total number of emergency department patients admitted through ED and whose length of stay is less than 8 hours

**Numerator data elements:****Data Element / Data Set**

[Establishment—organisation identifier, \(Tasmanian\) identifier NNNN](#)

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—episode end status, \(Tasmanian\) code N\[NN\]](#)

**Guide for use**

Data is obtained from the [DepartureMethodRefId] field in Health Central and the value domain is 'Admitted'.

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Episode of care—episode identifier, N\[NNNNNN\]](#)

**Guide for use**

Data is obtained from the [EmergencyIdentifier] field in Health Central.

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Emergency department stay—presentation date, DDMMYYYY](#)

**Guide for use**

Data is obtained from the [ArrivalDateTime] field in Health Central.

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Emergency department stay—presentation time, hhmm](#)

**Guide for use**

Data is obtained from the [ArrivalDateTime] field in Health Central.

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Emergency department stay—physical departure date, DDMMYYYY](#)

**Guide for use**

Data is obtained from the [DepartureDateTime] field in Health Central.

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Emergency department stay—physical departure time, hhmm](#)

**Guide for use**

Data is obtained from the [DepartureDateTime] field in Health Central.

**Denominator:**

Total presentations to emergency departments

**Denominator data elements:**

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Establishment—organisation identifier, \(Tasmanian\) identifier NNNN](#)

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—episode end status, \(Tasmanian\) code N\[NN\]](#)

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[Episode of care—episode identifier, N\[NNNNNN\]](#)

**Guide for use**

Data is obtained from the [EmergencyIdentifier] field in Health Central.

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Emergency department stay—presentation date, DDMMYYYY](#)

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**Guide for use**

Data is obtained from the [ArrivalDateTime] field in Health Central.

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Emergency department stay—physical departure date, DDMMYYYY](#)

**Guide for use**

Data is obtained from the [DepartureDateTime] field in Health Central.

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Emergency department stay—physical departure time, hhmm](#)

**Guide for use**

Data is obtained from the [DepartureDateTime] field in Health Central.

**Disaggregation:**

Specified disaggregation: Hospital and reporting month based on the date of the end of the emergency department stay

**Disaggregation data elements:**

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Establishment—organisation identifier, \(Tasmanian\) identifier NNNN](#)

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Emergency department stay—physical departure date, DDMMYYYY](#)

**Guide for use**

Data is obtained from the [DepartureDateTime] field in Health Central.

**Data Element / Data Set**

[Emergency department stay—physical departure time, hhmm](#)

**Guide for use**

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## Representational attributes

**Representation class:** Percentage

**Data type:** Real

**Unit of measure:** Person

**Format:** NN[N]

## Accountability attributes

**Reporting requirements:**

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## Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:**

Supersedes [Service Agreement - Department of Health and Human Services Tasmania: 2016, ACC5 - Emergency Department - Percentage of emergency department patients admitted through the ED with an ED length of stay less than 8 hours, 2016](#)

[Tasmanian Health](#), Superseded 28/03/2019

Has been superseded by [Service Agreement - Department of Health Tasmania: 2018, Emergency Department - Percentage of emergency department patients admitted through the ED with an ED length of stay less than 8 hours, 2018](#)

[Tasmanian Health](#), Superseded 24/07/2019