

# Triage

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Glossary Item
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	677623
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 20/10/2021 <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Superseded 29/03/2023
<b>Definition:</b>	The process by which a patient is briefly assessed to determine the urgency of their problem and priority for emergency care.

## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Independent Hospital Pricing Authority
<b>Reference documents:</b>	<p>Australasian College for Emergency Medicine 2013a. Policy on the Australasian Triage Scale (P06). Melbourne: Australasian College for Emergency Medicine. Viewed 7 October 2016, <a href="https://www.acem.org.au/getattachment/693998d7-94be-4ca7-a0e7-3d74cc9b733f/Policy-on-the-Australasian-Triage-Scale.aspx">https://www.acem.org.au/getattachment/693998d7-94be-4ca7-a0e7-3d74cc9b733f/Policy-on-the-Australasian-Triage-Scale.aspx</a></p> <p>Australasian College for Emergency Medicine 2013b. Guidelines on the implementation of the Australasian Triage Scale in Emergency Department (G24). Melbourne: Australasian College for Emergency Medicine. Viewed 7 October 2016, <a href="https://www.acem.org.au/getattachment/4320524e-ad60-4e7c-a96d-bdf90cd7966c/G24-Implementation-of-the-Australasian-Triage-Scale.aspx">https://www.acem.org.au/getattachment/4320524e-ad60-4e7c-a96d-bdf90cd7966c/G24-Implementation-of-the-Australasian-Triage-Scale.aspx</a></p>

## Relational attributes

<b>Related metadata references:</b>	<p>Supersedes <a href="#">Triage</a> <a href="#">Health</a>, Superseded 25/01/2018 <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a>, Superseded 25/05/2020</p> <p>Has been superseded by <a href="#">Triage</a> <a href="#">Health</a>, Standard 20/10/2021 <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a>, Standard 29/03/2023</p>
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