Episode of admitted patient care—separation time, hhmm

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Separation time |
| METEOR identifier: | 682919 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 20/10/2021[Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Superseded 22/11/2023 |
| Definition: | The time at which an admitted patient completes an episode of care. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Episode of admitted patient care—separation time](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/682924) |
| Value Domain: | [Time hhmm](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/603275) |

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| Value domain attributes |
| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Time |
| Data type: | Date/Time |
| Format: | hhmm |
| Maximum character length: | 4 |

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Reference documents: | Standards Australia 2007. AS ISO 8601-2007 Data elements and interchange formats—Information interchange—Representation of dates and times. Sydney: Standards Australia. |

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| Data element attributes  |
| Collection and usage attributes |
| Comments: | This data element is required to identify the time of completion of the episode or hospital stay, for calculation of length of stay. |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Relational attributes |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Episode of admitted patient care—separation time, hhmm](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270026)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/10/2016       [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Superseded 19/06/2020Has been superseded by [Episode of admitted patient care—separation time, hhmm](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/748820)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 20/10/2021       [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Standard 17/03/2023See also [Episode of admitted patient care—separation date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270025)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005       [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Standard 02/09/2016See also [Episode of admitted patient care—separation date, MMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/743743)       [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Standard 06/05/2021See also [Episode of admitted patient care—separation date, YYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/743741)       [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Standard 06/05/2021 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Admitted patient care NBEDS 2017-18](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/682938)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 06/09/2018***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2017***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2018[Admitted patient care NBEDS 2018-19](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/690741)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 12/12/2018***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2018***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2019[Admitted patient care NBEDS 2019-20](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/705869)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 18/12/2019***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2019***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2020[Admitted patient care NBEDS 2020-21](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/715998)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/02/2021***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2020***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2021[Admitted patient care NBEDS 2021-22](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/728441)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 17/12/2021***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2021***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2022[Allied health admitted patient care NBPDS](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/705499)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 12/12/2018[Tasmanian Admitted Patient Data Set - 2020](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/729751)       [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Superseded 22/11/2023***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2020***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2021[Tasmanian Admitted Patient Data Set - 2021](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/740979)       [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Superseded 22/11/2023***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2021***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2022***Conditional obligation:*** Required if episode of care meets the data elements criteria [Tasmanian Admitted Patient Data Set - 2022](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/761036)       [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Superseded 22/11/2023***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2022***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2023***Conditional obligation:*** If required  |