Episode of admitted patient care—separation time

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element Concept |
| METEOR identifier: | 682924 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 05/10/2016  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Standard 19/06/2020 |
| Definition: | The time at which an admitted patient completes an episode of care. |
| Context: | Admitted patient care. |

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Object class: | [Episode of admitted patient care](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/268956) |
| Definition: | The period of admitted patient care between a formal or statistical [**admission**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/327206) and a formal or statistical  [**separation**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/327268), characterised by only one care type. |
| Context: | Admitted patient care. |
| Specialisation of: | [Service episode](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/333545) |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | This treatment and/or care provided to a patient during an episode of care can occur in hospital and/or in the person's home (for  [**hospital-in-the-home**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/327308) patients). |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Origin: | Health Data Standards Committee. |

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Property: | [Separation time](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269330) |
| Definition: | The time at which an episode of care ceases. |
| Context: | Admitted patient care. |
| Property group: | [Exit/leave from service event](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/274645) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

## Data element concept attributes

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### Relational attributes

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| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Episode of admitted patient care—separation time](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269497)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/10/2016  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Superseded 19/06/2020 |
| Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept: | [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 17/03/2023  [Episode of admitted patient care—separation time, hhmm](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/682919)  [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 |