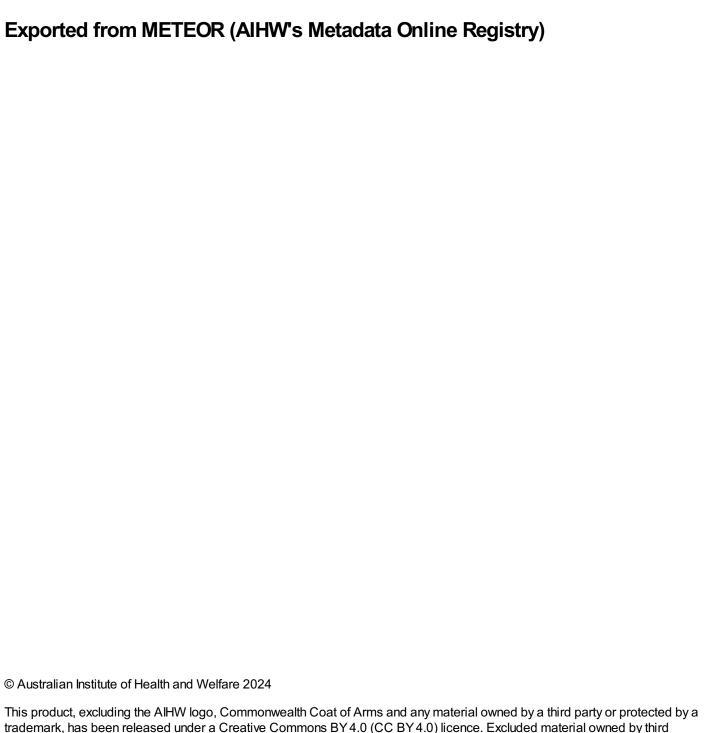
# Elective surgery waiting list episode—surgical specialty of scheduled doctor



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## Elective surgery waiting list episode—surgical specialty of scheduled doctor

#### Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element Concept

METEOR identifier: 689731

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**Definition:** The area of clinical expertise held by the doctor who will perform the elective

surgery.

**Context:** Elective surgery:

Many hospitals manage their waiting lists on a specialty basis. Current data shows that the total ready-for-care times waited and numbers of long wait patients vary significantly between specialties. Furthermore, the hospital capacity to handle the

demand for elective surgery varies with specialty.

## **Object Class attributes**

#### Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class: Elective surgery waiting list episode

**Definition:** The period between entry to and removal from an elective surgery waiting list.

Specialisation of: Service episode

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australia Institute of Health and Welfare

## **Property attributes**

### Identifying and definitional attributes

Property: Surgical specialty of scheduled doctor

**Definition:** A descriptor of an area of clinical expertise in surgery for the scheduled doctor who

will perform the surgery.

Property group: <u>Labour characteristics</u>

Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

## Data element concept attributes

#### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

#### Relational attributes

Related metadata Supersedes Elective surgery waiting list episode—surgical specialty (of scheduled

references: doctor)

Health, Superseded 12/12/2018

National Health Performance Authority (retired), Retired 01/07/2016

Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:

 $\underline{\textbf{Elective surgery waiting list episode}} \underline{\textbf{surgical specialty of scheduled doctor, code}} \underline{\textbf{NN}}$ 

Health, Standard 12/12/2018