

Emergency department stay—presentation time, hhmm

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Emergency department presentation time
METEOR identifier:	746098
Registration status:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health, Standard 20/10/2021
Definition:	The time at which a patient presents to an emergency department for the delivery of service, expressed as hhmm.
Data Element Concept:	Emergency department stay—presentation time

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Time
Data type:	Date/Time
Format:	hhmm
Maximum character length:	4

Source and reference attributes

Reference documents:	Standards Australia 2019. <i>Date and time – Representations for information interchange</i> AS ISO 8061-1:2019 and 8061-2:2019, Standards Australia, NSW
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Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	The time of patient presentation at the emergency department is the time of first recorded contact with an emergency department staff member. The first recorded contact can be the commencement of the clerical registration or triage process, whichever happens first.
Collection methods:	Collected in conjunction with Emergency department stay—presentation date, DDMMYYYY

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Independent Hospital Pricing Authority
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Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

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

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 08/08/2018
- [Health](#), Superseded 20/10/2021
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 25/05/2020

Is used in the formation of [Emergency department stay—waiting time, total minutes NNNNN](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 20/10/2021

Is used in the formation of [Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—service episode length, total minutes NNNNN](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 20/10/2021

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

- [Health](#), Standard 20/10/2021

See also [Health service event—presentation time, hmmm](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 01/03/2005
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Incomplete 23/07/2012

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2022–23 Health](#), Standard 20/10/2021

Implementation start date: 01/07/2022

Implementation end date: 30/06/2023

[Non-admitted patient emergency department care NMDS 2023–24 Health](#), Recorded 26/09/2022

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