

Emergency department stay—principal diagnosis

Metadata item type: Data Element Concept
METEOR identifier: 746102
Registration status:

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

Definition: The diagnosis established at the conclusion of the patient's attendance in an [emergency department](#) and following considered clinical assessment determined to be mainly responsible for occasioning the attendance.

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class: [Emergency department stay](#)
Definition: The period between when a patient presents at an emergency department and when that person is recorded as having physically departed the emergency department.
Context: Emergency department care.
Specialisation of: [Service/care event](#)

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing

Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property: [Principal diagnosis](#)
Definition: The diagnosis chiefly responsible for occasioning a service event or episode.
Property group: [Service provision event](#)

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element concept attributes

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Independent Hospital Pricing Authority

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes [Emergency department stay—principal diagnosis](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 19/07/2018
- [Health](#), Superseded 20/10/2021
- [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Standard 31/10/2012
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 25/05/2020

Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:

[Emergency department stay—principal diagnosis, Emergency Department \(ICD-10-AM 11th Edition\) Principal Diagnosis Short List code ANN{N\[N\]}](#)

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