# Absence from a facility within an episode of admitted patient care type code N

patient care type code in
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#### Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Value Domain

METEOR identifier: 782261

**Registration status:** Health, Standard 06/12/2023

**Definition:** A code set representing types of formal absences from a care facility's premises

within an episode of admitted patient care.

#### Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Number

Format: N

Maximum character length: 1

 Value
 Meaning

 Permissible values:
 1
 Hospital-in-the-home care, full day(s)

 2
 Hospital-in-the-home care, part-day

 3
 Leave, full day(s)

 4
 Leave, part-day

 Supplementary values:
 9

 Not stated/inadequately described

### Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: CODE 1 Hospital-in-the-home care, full day(s)

An occasion where a patient leaves a care facility to receive <a href="home care">home care</a> (HITH) and does NOT return to the care facility on the same day prior to midnight.

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CODE 2 Hospital-in-the-home care, part-day

An occasion where a patient leaves a care facility to receive HITH care and returns to the care facility on the same day prior to midnight.

CODE 3 Leave, full day(s)

An occasion where a patient goes on leave and does NOT return to the care facility on the same day prior to midnight.

CODE 4 Leave, part-day

An occasion where a patient goes on leave and returns to the care facility on the same day prior to midnight.

CODE 9 Not stated/inadequately described

Use when the type of absence is not stated or otherwise inadequately described.

#### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Department of Health and Aged Care

#### **Relational attributes**

Data elements implementing this value domain:

Episode of admitted patient care—absence from a facility type, code N Health, Standard 06/12/2023