

# Emergency department stay—presentation date, MMYYYY

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Emergency department presentation date MMYYYY
METEOR identifier:	784806
Registration status:	<a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Standard 06/11/2023
Definition:	The date on which a patient/client presents to an <a href="#">emergency department</a> for the delivery of a service, expressed as MMYYYY.
Data Element Concept:	<a href="#">Emergency department stay—presentation date</a>
Value Domain:	<a href="#">Date MMYYYY</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

Representation class:	Date
Data type:	Date/Time
Format:	MMYYYY
Maximum character length:	6

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	The date of patient presentation at the emergency department is the date 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.
Comments:	Required to identify commencement of a visit and for calculation of waiting times.

## Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Tasmanian Health
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## Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Supersedes <a href="#">Emergency department stay—presentation date, MMYYYY</a> <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Superseded 06/11/2023
Implementation in Data Set Specifications:	<a href="#">Emergency department presentation related data elements (TDLU) cluster</a> <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Standard 13/11/2023 <b>Implementation start date:</b> 01/07/2023 <b>Implementation end date:</b> 30/06/2025