

Episode of admitted patient care—separation mode, code N

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Episode of admitted patient care—separation mode, code N

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Mode of separation
METEOR identifier:	270094
Registration status:	Health! , Superseded 30/04/2020
Definition:	Status at separation of person (discharge/transfer/death) and place to which person is released, as represented by a code.

Data element concept attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	Episode of admitted patient care—separation mode
METEOR identifier:	269562
Registration status:	Health! , Standard 01/03/2005 Tasmanian Health , Standard 05/09/2016
Definition:	Status at separation of person (discharge/transfer/death) and place to which person is released (where applicable).
Context:	Required for outcome analyses, for analyses of intersectoral patient flows and to assist in the continuity of care and classification of episodes into diagnosis related groups.
Object class:	Episode of admitted patient care
Property:	Separation mode

Value domain attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	Separation mode code N
METEOR identifier:	270688
Registration status:	Health! , Superseded 30/04/2020
Definition:	A code set representing the status and destination of a patient at separation .

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code								
Data type:	Number								
Format:	N								
Maximum character length:	1								
Permissible values:	<table><thead><tr><th>Value</th><th>Meaning</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>1</td><td>Discharge/transfer to (an)other acute hospital</td></tr><tr><td>2</td><td>Discharge/transfer to a residential aged care service, unless this is the usual place of residence</td></tr><tr><td>3</td><td>Discharge/transfer to (an)other psychiatric hospital</td></tr></tbody></table>	Value	Meaning	1	Discharge/transfer to (an)other acute hospital	2	Discharge/transfer to a residential aged care service, unless this is the usual place of residence	3	Discharge/transfer to (an)other psychiatric hospital
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4	Discharge/transfer to other health care accommodation (includes mothercraft hospitals)
5	Statistical discharge - type change
6	Left against medical advice/discharge at own risk
7	Statistical discharge from leave
8	Died
9	Other (includes discharge to usual residence, own accommodation/welfare institution (includes prisons, hostels and group homes providing primarily welfare services))

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:

CODE 4 Discharge/transfer to other health care accommodation (includes mothercraft hospitals)

In jurisdictions where mothercraft facilities are considered to be acute hospitals, patients separated to a mothercraft facility should have a mode of separation of Code 1. If the residential aged care service is the patient's place of usual residence then they should have a mode of separation of Code 9.

Data element attributes

Source and reference attributes

Origin: National Health Data Committee

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

- Has been superseded by [Episode of admitted patient care—separation mode, code NN](#)
[Health!](#), Standard 30/04/2020
- Is used in the formation of [Episode of admitted patient care—diagnosis related group, code \(AR-DRG v 6\) ANNA](#)
[Health!](#), Standard 30/06/2013
- Is used in the formation of [Episode of admitted patient care—diagnosis related group, code \(AR-DRG v 7\) ANNA](#)
[Health!](#), Recorded 23/09/2014
- Is used in the formation of [Episode of admitted patient care—diagnosis related group, code \(AR-DRG v5.1\) ANNA](#)
[Health!](#), Superseded 22/12/2009
- Is used in the formation of [Episode of admitted patient care—major diagnostic category, code \(AR-DRG v 6\) NN](#)
[Health!](#), Standard 30/06/2013
[Tasmanian Health](#), Superseded 07/09/2016
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[Health!](#), Recorded 23/09/2014
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[Health!](#), Superseded 22/12/2009
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No registration status
- See also [Episode of admitted patient care—emergency department short stay unit departure destination, code N](#)
[Health!](#), Standard 04/09/2014
- See also [Episode of mental health care—episode end mode, code N\[N\]](#)
[Health!](#), Superseded 23/12/2020
- See also [Episode of mental health care—episode end mode, code N\[N\]](#)
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Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

- [Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) DSS](#)
[Health!](#), Superseded 07/12/2005
- [Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) DSS](#)
[Health!](#), Superseded 01/10/2008
- [Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) DSS](#)
[Health!](#), Superseded 01/09/2012
- [Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) DSS](#)
[Health!](#), Superseded 02/05/2013
- [Acute coronary syndrome \(clinical\) NBPDS 2013-](#)
[Health!](#), Standard 02/05/2013
Implementation start date: 01/07/2013
- [Admitted patient care NMDS](#)
[Health!](#), Superseded 07/12/2005
Implementation start date: 01/07/2005
Implementation end date: 30/06/2006
- [Admitted patient care NMDS 2006-07](#)
[Health!](#), Superseded 23/10/2006
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[Admitted patient care NMDS 2007-08](#)
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Implementation start date: 01/07/2007
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[Admitted patient care NMDS 2018-19](#)
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[Admitted patient mental health care NMDS](#)
Health!, Superseded 23/10/2006
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[Admitted patient palliative care NMDS 2015-16](#)

[Health!](#), Superseded 19/11/2015

Implementation start date: 01/07/2015

Implementation end date: 30/06/2016

[Allied health admitted patient care NBPDS](#)

[Health!](#), Standard 12/12/2018

[AROC inpatient data set specification](#)

[Health!](#), Recorded 18/07/2007

Implementation start date: 01/06/2007

[Hospital patient experience DSS 2014-](#)

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[Intensive care DSS](#)

[Health!](#), Recorded 14/07/2006

DSS specific information:

Outcome measure required for the calculation of the APACHE II, APACHE III and SAPS II standardised mortality ratios. Is used to calculate hospital mortality.

Implementation in Indicators:

Used as Numerator

[Australian Health Performance Framework: PI 3.1.1–Incidence of heart attacks \(acute coronary events\), 2019](#)

[Health!](#), Standard 09/04/2020

[Australian Health Performance Framework: PI 3.1.1–Incidence of heart attacks \(acute coronary events\), 2019](#)

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[Indigenous Better Cardiac Care measure: 3.1-Hospitalised ST-segment-elevation myocardial infarction events treated by percutaneous coronary intervention, 2016](#)

[Health!](#), Standard 17/08/2017

[Indigenous Better Cardiac Care measure: 3.3-Hospitalised acute coronary syndrome events that included diagnostic angiography or definitive revascularisation procedures, 2016](#)

[Health!](#), Standard 17/08/2017

[Indigenous Better Cardiac Care measure: 3.5-Hospitalised acute myocardial infarction events that ended with death of the patient, 2016](#)

[Health!](#), Standard 17/08/2017

[Indigenous Better Cardiac Care measure: 6.2-Mortality due to cardiac conditions.](#)

[2016](#)

[Health!](#), Standard 17/08/2017

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 09-Incidence of heart attacks \(acute coronary events\), 2015](#)

[Health!](#), Superseded 08/07/2016

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[Health!](#), Superseded 30/04/2014

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[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 09–Incidence of heart attacks \(acute coronary events\), 2022](#)

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[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 09–Incidence of heart attacks \(acute coronary events\), 2022](#)

[Health!](#), Standard 24/09/2021

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 27-Number of hospital patient days used by those eligible and waiting for residential aged care, 2013](#)

[Health!](#), Superseded 30/04/2014

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 27-Number of hospital patient days used by those eligible and waiting for residential aged care, 2014](#)

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Health!, Superseded 31/10/2011

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 57-Hospital patient days used by those eligible and waiting for residential aged care, 2012](#)
Health!, Superseded 25/06/2013

[National Partnership Agreement on Improving Public Hospital Services: Proportion of patients discharged from emergency department short stay units](#)
Health!, Standard 04/09/2014

[Indigenous Better Cardiac Care measure: 3.1-Hospitalised ST-segment-elevation myocardial infarction events treated by percutaneous coronary intervention, 2016](#)
Health!, Standard 17/08/2017

[Indigenous Better Cardiac Care measure: 3.3-Hospitalised acute coronary syndrome events that included diagnostic angiography or definitive revascularisation procedures, 2016](#)
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