Episode of admitted patient care—intended length of hospital stay, code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Intended length of hospital stay |
| METEOR identifier: | 270399 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 01/03/2005 |
| Definition: | The intention of the responsible clinician at the time of the patient's [**admission**](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/327206) to hospital or at the time the patient is placed on an elective surgery waiting list, to discharge the patient either on the day of admission or a subsequent date, as represented by a code. |

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| Data element concept attributes |
| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Data element concept: | [Episode of admitted patient care—intended length of hospital stay](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/269574) |
| METEOR identifier: | 269574 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 01/03/2005[Tasmanian Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 05/09/2016 |
| Definition: | The intention of the responsible clinician at the time of the patient's [**admission**](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/327206) to hospital or at the time the patient is placed on an elective surgery waiting list, to discharge the patient either on the day of admission or a subsequent date. |
| Context: | Admitted patient care:To assist in the identification and casemix analysis of planned [**same-day patients**](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/327270), that is those patients who are admitted with the intention of discharge on the same day. This is also a key indicator for quality assurance activities. |
| Object class: | [Episode of admitted patient care](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/268956) |
| Property: | [Intended length of hospital stay](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/269327) |

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| Value domain attributes  |
| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Value domain: | [Intended length of care code N](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/270897) |
| METEOR identifier: | 270897 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 01/03/2005 |
| Definition: | A code set representing the intended length of a period of care. |

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| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N |
| Maximum character length: | 1 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Intended same-day |
|   | 2  | Intended overnight  |

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| Data element attributes  |
| Collection and usage attributes |
| Collection methods: | The intended length of stay should be ascertained for all admitted patients at the time the patient is admitted to hospital. |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Origin: | National Health Data Committee |
| Relational attributes |
| Related metadata references: | Is used in the formation of [Episode of admitted patient care—diagnosis related group, code (AR-DRG v 6) ANNA](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/391295)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 30/06/2013Is used in the formation of [Episode of admitted patient care—diagnosis related group, code (AR-DRG v 7) ANNA](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/513991)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Recorded 23/09/2014Is used in the formation of [Episode of admitted patient care—diagnosis related group, code (AR-DRG v5.1) ANNA](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/270195)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 22/12/2009Is used in the formation of [Episode of admitted patient care—major diagnostic category, code (AR-DRG v 6) NN](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/391298)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 30/06/2013[Tasmanian Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 07/09/2016Is used in the formation of [Episode of admitted patient care—major diagnostic category, code (AR-DRG v 7) NN](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/513997)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Recorded 23/09/2014Is used in the formation of [Episode of admitted patient care—major diagnostic category, code (AR-DRG v 8.0) NN](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/653337)[Tasmanian Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 12/01/2018Is used in the formation of [Episode of admitted patient care—major diagnostic category, code (AR-DRG v5.1) NN](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/270400)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 22/12/2009Is re-engineered from  [Intended length of hospital stay, version 2, DE, NHDD, NHIMG, Superseded 01/03/2005.pdf](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/273632) (14.4 KB)*No registration status* |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Admitted patient care NMDS](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/273050)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 07/12/2005***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2005***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2006[Admitted patient care NMDS 2006-07](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/334023)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 23/10/2006***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2006***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2007[Admitted patient care NMDS 2007-08](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/339089)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 05/02/2008***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2007***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2008[Admitted patient care NMDS 2008-09](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/361679)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 04/02/2009***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2008***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2009[Admitted patient care NMDS 2009-10](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/374205)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 22/12/2009***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2009***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2010[Admitted patient care NMDS 2010-11](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/386797)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 18/01/2011***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2010***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2011[Admitted patient care NMDS 2011-12](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/426861)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 11/04/2012***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2011***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2012[Admitted patient care NMDS 2012-13](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/466132)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 02/05/2013***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2012***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2013[Admitted patient care NMDS 2013-14](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/491555)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 11/04/2014***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2013***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2014[Admitted patient care NMDS 2014-15](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/535047)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 13/11/2014***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2014***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2015[Admitted patient care NMDS 2015-16](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/588909)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 10/11/2015***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2015***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2016[Admitted patient care NMDS 2016-17](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/612171)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 05/10/2016***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2016***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2017[Admitted patient care NMDS 2017-18](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/641349)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 25/01/2018***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2017***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2018[Admitted patient care NMDS 2018-19](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/676382)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 12/12/2018***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2018***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2019[Admitted patient care NMDS 2019-20](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/699728)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 18/12/2019***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2019***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2020[Admitted patient care NMDS 2020–21](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/713850)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 05/02/2021***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2020***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2021[Admitted patient care NMDS 2021–22](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/728439)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 20/10/2021***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2021***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2022[Admitted patient care NMDS 2022–23](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/742173)[Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 20/10/2021***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2022***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2023 |