
Patient revenue

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Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NHDD
Knowledgebase ID: 000296 Version number: 1
Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT
Registration Authority: NHIMG Admin status: SUPERSEDED
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Definition: Patient revenue comprises all revenue received by, and due to, an establishment in respect of individual patient liability for accommodation and other establishment charges. All patient revenue is to be grouped together regardless of source of payment (Commonwealth, health fund, insurance company, direct from patient) or status of patient (whether inpatient or non-inpatient, private or compensable). Gross revenue should be reported.

Note: The Commonwealth contribution in respect of residential aged care service patients should be included under patient revenue.

Context: Health expenditure:
Patient revenue is a significant source of income for most establishments. For some establishments (principally the private sector) it is the major source of income. Patient revenue data is important for any health financing analyses or studies at the national level.

Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Numeric
Representational form: QUANTITATIVE VALUE
Representation layout: \$999,999,999
Minimum Size: 2
Maximum Size: 12
Data Domain: NOVAL Australian dollars. Rounded to nearest whole dollar.

Guide For Use: Record as currency up to hundreds of millions of dollars.
Related metadata: relates to the data element Establishment type version 1

Administrative Attributes

Source Document:

Source Organisation: National minimum data set working parties

Comments: .

Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

NHIM Financial resource

Data Agreements which include this Data Element

NMDS - Public hospital establishments From 01-Jul-89 to
