Inter-hospital same-day contracted patient

Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NHDD

Knowledgebase ID: 000079   Version number: 1

Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT

Registration Authority: NHIMG   Admin status: SUPERSEDED

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Definition: An admitted same-day patient whose treatment and/or care is provided under a specific arrangement with another hospital at which the patient is an admitted patient.

Context: Institutional health care: to identify patients receiving services that have been contracted between hospitals. This item will assist in the analysis of patterns of health care delivery and funding.

Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Numeric

Representational form: CODE

Representation layout: N

Minimum Size: 1

Maximum Size: 1

Data Domain:
1   Inter-hospital same-day contracted patient
2   Other

Guide For Use: A specific arrangement should apply (either written or verbal) whereby one hospital contracts with another hospital for the provision of specific services. The arrangement may be between any combination of hospital; for example, public to public, public to private, private to private, or private to public. For purposes of this definition, current financial arrangements for compensable or eligible Veterans Affairs' patients are not to be considered as contracted or special arrangements.

Collection Methods: All services provided at both the originating and destination hospitals should be recorded and reported by the originating hospital. The destination hospital should record the same-day admission as an 'Inter-hospital same-day contracted patient' so that

these services can be identified in the various statistics produced about hospital activity. These patients will be able to be identified in retrospect using the following data elements:
1. Source of referral = 1 transfer from another hospital.
2. Mode of separation = 1 transfer to another hospital.
3. Inter-hospital same-day contracted patient = 1 contracted.

Related metadata: has been superseded by Inter-hospital contracted patient version 2

Administrative Attributes

Source Document:

Source Organisation: National Health Data Committee

Comments: .

Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

NHIM   Recipient role

Data Agreements which include this Data Element

NMDS - Admitted patient care   From 01-Jul-94 to 30-Jun-00