
Leave days from residential care

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Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NHDD
Knowledgebase ID: 001005 Version number: 1
Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT
Registration Authority: NHIMG Admin status: SUPERSEDED
Effective date: 01-MAR-05
Definition: The number of days spent on leave from a residential care service during an episode of residential care.
Context: Specialised mental health services (Residential mental health care).

Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Numeric
Representational form: QUANTITATIVE VALUE
Representation layout: NNN
Minimum Size: 1
Maximum Size: 3
Data Domain: NOVAL Count in number of days
Guide For Use: A day is measured from midnight to midnight.
Leave days can occur for a variety of reasons, including:
- treatment by specialised mental health service
- treatment by a non-specialised health service
- time in the community
The following rules apply in the calculation of leave days.
- the day the resident goes on leave is counted as a leave day
- days the resident is on leave is counted as leave days
- the day the resident returns from leave is not counted as a leave day
- if the resident starts a residential stay and goes on leave on the same day, this is not counted as a leave day
- if the resident returns from leave and then goes on leave again on the same day, this is counted as a leave day
- if the resident returns from leave and ends residential care on the same day, the day should not be counted as leave day

- leave days at the end of a residential stay after the commencement of leave are not counted.

If a period of leave is greater than seven days or the resident fails to return from leave, then the residential stay is formally ended.

Verification Rules: Episode of residential care end date minus episode of residential care start date minus leave days from residential care must be ≥ 0 days.

Related metadata: relates to the data element concept Episode of residential care version 1
relates to the data element concept Resident version 1
relates to the data element concept Episode of residential care end version 1
relates to the data element Episode of residential care end date version 1
relates to the data element concept Episode of residential care start version 1
relates to the data element Episode of residential care start date version 1
relates to the data element Residential stay start date version 1

Administrative Attributes

Source Document:

Source Organisation:

Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

NHIM Exit / leave from service event

Data Agreements which include this Data Element

NMDS - Residential mental health care From 01-Jul-04 to
