# **Emergency department non-admitted patient service** episode end status code N

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### Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Value Domain

METEOR identifier: 322643

**Registration status:** Health!, Standard 24/03/2006

**Definition:** A code set representing the status of a patient at the end of a non-admitted patient

emergency department service episode.

#### Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Number

Format: N

Maximum character length: 1

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	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Admitted to this hospital (including to units or beds within the emergency department)
	2	Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode completed - departed without being admitted or referred to another hospital
	3	Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode completed - referred to another hospital for admission
	4	Did not wait to be attended by a health care professional
	5	Left at own risk after being attended by a health care professional but before the non-admitted patient emergency department service episode was completed
	6	Died in emergency department as a non-admitted patient

## Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:** CODE 2 Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode

completed - departed without being admitted or referred to another hospital

This code includes patients who departed under their own care, under police custody, under the care of a residential aged care facility or other carer. Code 2 excludes those who died in the emergency department, which should be coded to

Dead on arrival, not treated in emergency department

Code 6.

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#### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing

#### **Relational attributes**

Related metadata references:

Supersedes Emergency department patient departure status code N

Health!, Superseded 24/03/2006

Has been superseded by Emergency department non-admitted patient service

episode end status code N

Health!, Superseded 30/01/2012

Data elements implementing this value domain:

Non-admitted patient emergency department service episode—episode end

status, code N

Health!, Superseded 22/12/2011