

Ambulatory care

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Glossary Item

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Registration status: [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Qualified 23/11/2015
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Definition: Care provided to hospital patients who are not admitted to the hospital, such as patients of [emergency departments](#) and [outpatient clinics](#). The term is also used to refer to care provided to patients of community-based (non-hospital) health-care services.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Health Expenditure Advisory Committee

Origin: AIHW 2007. Mental health services in Australia 2004–05. AIHW cat. no. HSE 47. Canberra: AIHW (Mental Health Series no. 9).

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Has been superseded by [Ambulatory care](#)
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- [Activity based funding: Mental health care DSS 2015-16](#)
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- [Government health expenditure NMDS 2014-](#)
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- [Health industry relevant organisation type code NNN](#)
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- [Health or health related function code NNN](#)
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