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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Ward/clinical area
METEOR identifier:	389201
Registration status:	Health!, Standard 15/11/2012
Definition:	The organisational unit or organisational arrangement dedicated to the treatment and care of admitted patients in a healthcare setting, as represented by text.
Data Element Concept:	Establishment—ward/clinical area name
Value Domain:	Text X[X(39)]

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Text
Data type:	String
Format:	X[X(39)]
Maximum character length:	40

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:		

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	This data element refers to the ward or clinical area within the healthcare facility where the patient was located. This information will be facility specific, so local conventions for naming wards should be used, for example Maternity Ward, or Emergency Department.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care (ACSQHC)
Origin:	Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care Healthcare Associated Infection Technical Working Group

Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:	Surveillance of healthcare associated infection: Staphylococcus aureus bacteraemia NBPDS Health!, Standard 15/11/2012