

Hospital—hospital identifier

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Hospital—hospital identifier

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element Concept
METEOR identifier:	404245
Registration status:	Health! , Standard 07/12/2011 Independent Hospital Pricing Authority , Qualified 23/11/2015 Commonwealth Department of Health , Standard 17/12/2015
Definition:	A unique identifier for a hospital.

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class:	Hospital
Definition:	A health care facility established under Commonwealth, state or territory legislation as a hospital or a free-standing day procedure unit, and authorised to provide treatment and/or care to patients.
Context:	Admitted patient care, admitted patient palliative care, admitted patient mental health care and public hospital establishments.
Specialisation of:	Organisation

Collection and usage attributes

Comments:	<p>A hospital thus defined may be located at one physical site or may be a multicampus hospital. A multicampus hospital treats movements of patients between sites as ward transfers.</p> <p>For the purposes of these definitions, the term hospital includes satellite units managed and staffed by the hospital.</p> <p>This definition includes, but is not limited to, hospitals as recognised under Australian Health Care Agreements.</p> <p>Residential aged care services as approved under the <i>National Health Act 1953</i> (Cwth) or equivalent state legislation are excluded from this definition.</p> <p>This definition includes entities with multipurpose facilities (e.g. those which contain both recognised and non-recognised components).</p>
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Source and reference attributes

Origin:	National Health Data Committee
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Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property:	Hospital identifier
Definition:	A sequence of characters which identify a hospital.
Property group:	Identifier characteristics

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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Data element concept attributes

Relational attributes

**Data Elements
implementing this Data
Element Concept:**

[Hospital—hospital identifier, identifier N\[NNNNNN\]A](#)
[Commonwealth Department of Health](#), Standard 17/12/2015

[Hospital—hospital identifier, XXXXX](#)
[Health!](#), Superseded 16/01/2020
[Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Qualified 23/11/2015

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