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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Set Specification
METEOR identifier:	471383
Registration status:	Health!, Superseded 02/05/2013
DSS type:	National Minimum Data Set (NMDS)
Scope:	The scope of the Admitted patient mental health care national minimum data set (NMDS) is restricted to admitted patients receiving care in psychiatric hospitals or in designated psychiatric units in acute hospitals. The scope does not currently include patients who may be receiving treatment for psychiatric conditions in acute hospitals who are not in psychiatric units.

Collection and usage attributes

Statistical unit:	Episodes of care for admitted patients
Collection methods:	Data are collected at each hospital from patient administrative and clinical record systems. Hospitals forward data to the relevant state or territory health authority on a regular basis (for example, monthly).

National reporting arrangements

State and territory health authorities provide the data to the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare for national collation, on an annual basis.

Periods for which data are collected and nationally collated

Financial years ending 30 June each year.

Implementation start date:	01/07/2012
Implementation end date:	30/06/2013
Comments:	Number of days of hospital in the home care data will be collected from all states and territories except Western Australia from 1 July 2001. Western Australia will begin to collect data from a later date.

Scope links with other NMDSs:

Episodes of care for admitted patients which occur partly or fully in designated psychiatric units of public acute hospitals or in public psychiatric hospitals:

- Admitted patient care NMDS
- Admitted patient palliative care NMDS

Glossary items

Glossary terms that are relevant to this National Minimum Data Set are included here.

Resident

Residential mental health care service

Same-day patients

Separation

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	National Health Information Group

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Supersedes [Admitted patient mental health care NMDS 2011-12 Health!](#), Superseded 07/12/2011
	Has been superseded by [Admitted patient mental health care NMDS 2013-14 Health!](#), Superseded 15/10/2014
Implementation in Data Set Specifications:	[Admitted acute care activity based funding DSS 2012-2013 Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Superseded 31/10/2012 *Implementation start date:* 01/07/2012 *Implementation end date:* 30/06/2013 *Conditional obligation:* Only required to be reported for episodes of care for admitted patients which occur partly or fully in designated psychiatric units of public acute hospitals or in public psychiatric hospitals

Metadata items in this Data Set Specification

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
-	[Episode of admitted patient care (mental health care)—referral destination, code N](#)	Mandatory	1
-	[Episode of admitted patient care—admission date, DDMMYYYY](#)	Mandatory	1

> *DSS specific information:*
>
> Right justified and zero filled.
>
> admission date ≤ separation date
>
> admission date ≥ date of birth

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
-	[Episode of admitted patient care—diagnosis related group, code (AR-DRG v 6) ANNA](#)	Mandatory	1
-	[Episode of admitted patient care—major diagnostic category, code (AR-DRG v 6) NN](#)	Mandatory	1
-	[Episode of admitted patient care—number of leave days, total N[NN]](#)	Mandatory	1

> *DSS specific information:*
>
> For the provision of state and territory hospital data to Commonwealth agencies:
>
> (Episode of admitted patient care—separation date, DDMMYYYY minus Episode of admitted patient care—admission date, DDMMYYYY) minus Admitted patient hospital stay—number of leave days, total N[NN] must be ≥ 0 days.

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
-	[Episode of admitted patient care—referral source, public psychiatric hospital code NN](#)	Mandatory	1
-	[Episode of admitted patient care—separation date, DDMMYYYY](#)	Mandatory	1

> *DSS specific information:*
>
> For the provision of state and territory hospital data to Commonwealth agencies this field must:
>
> - be ≤ last day of financial year
> - be ≥ first day of financial year
> - be ≥ Admission date

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
-	[Episode of admitted patient care—separation mode, code N](#)	Mandatory	1

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
-	Episode of care—additional diagnosis, code (ICD-10-AM 7th edn) ANN{.N[N]}	Mandatory	1

DSS specific information:

An unlimited number of diagnosis and procedure codes should be able to be collected in hospital morbidity systems. Where this is not possible, a minimum of 20 codes should be able to be collected.

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
-	Episode of care—mental health legal status, code N	Mandatory	1
-	Episode of care—number of psychiatric care days, total N[NNNN]	Mandatory	1

DSS specific information:

Total days in psychiatric care must be ≥ zero;

Total days in psychiatric care must be ≤ length of stay.

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
-	Episode of care—principal diagnosis, code (ICD-10-AM 7th edn) ANN{.N[N]}	Mandatory	1

DSS specific information:

Effective for collection from 01/07/2006

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
-	Establishment—organisation identifier (Australian), NNX[X]NNNNN	Mandatory	1
-	Hospital service—care type, code N[N].N	Mandatory	1
-	Patient—previous specialised treatment, code N	Mandatory	1
-	Person—accommodation type (prior to admission), code N	Mandatory	1
-	Person—accommodation type (usual), code N[N]	Mandatory	1
-	Person—area of usual residence, geographical location code (ASGC 2011) NNNNN	Mandatory	1
-	Person—area of usual residence, statistical area level 2 (SA2) code (ASGS 2011) N(9)	Mandatory	1
-	Person—country of birth, code (SACC 2011) NNNN	Mandatory	1
-	Person—date of birth, DDMMYYYY	Mandatory	1

DSS specific information:

This field must not be null.

National Minimum Data Sets:

For the provision of state and territory hospital data to Commonwealth agencies this field must:

- be less than or equal to Admission date, Date patient presents or Service contact date
- be consistent with diagnoses and procedure codes, for records to be grouped.

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
-	Person—Indigenous status, code N	Mandatory	1
-	Person—labour force status, acute hospital and private psychiatric hospital admission code N	Mandatory	1
-	Person—labour force status, public psychiatric hospital admission code N	Mandatory	1
-	Person—marital status, code N	Conditional	1
-	Person—person identifier, XXXXXX[X(14)]	Mandatory	1
-	Person—sex, code N	Mandatory	1