Episode of admitted patient care—palliative phase of care start date, DDMMYYYY

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Palliative care phase start date |
| METEOR identifier: | 654672 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 25/01/2018 |
| Definition: | The date on which an admitted patient commences a [**phase of palliative care**](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/647046), expressed as DDMMYYYY. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Episode of admitted patient care—palliative phase of care start date](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/654676) |
| Value Domain: | [Date DDMMYYYY](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/270566) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Date | |
| Data type: | Date/Time | |
| Format: | DDMMYYYY | |
| Maximum character length: | 8 | |



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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | The commencement date is the date on which an admitted palliative care patient commences a new palliative care phase type. Subsequent phase begin dates are equal to the previous phase end date. |
| Collection methods: | The palliative phase of care start date is to be recorded at the commencement of the episode of admitted patient palliative care and at the commencement of every subsequent palliative care phase thereafter in the same admitted patient episode. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Independent Hospital Pricing Authority |
| Reference documents: | Palliative Care Outcomes Collaboration Assessment Toolkit. Palliative Care Outcomes Collaboration, University of Wollongong, Wollongong. Viewed 19 September 2012, [http://ahsri.uow.edu.au/content/groups/public/@web/@chsd/@pcoc/ documents/doc/uow129133.pdf](http://ahsri.uow.edu.au/content/groups/public/@web/@chsd/@pcoc/documents/doc/uow129133.pdf) |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Episode of admitted patient care—palliative phase of care start date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/445848)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 03/11/2016  [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 31/10/2012  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 06/05/2020  Has been superseded by [Episode of admitted patient care—palliative care phase start date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/681043)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 25/01/2018  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 06/05/2020 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Admitted subacute and non-acute hospital care NBEDS 2017-18](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/639479)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 25/01/2018  [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Recorded 04/08/2016  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2017 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2018 ***Conditional obligation:***  Only required to be reported for episodes of admitted patient care with [Hospital service—care type, code N[N]](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/584408) recorded as Code 3, Palliative care.  ***DSS specific information:***  For episodes of admitted patient care with [Hospital service—care type, code N[N]](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/584408) recorded as Code 3, Palliative care, the palliative care phase start date must be reported for each [**palliative care phase**](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/497358) if the episode of admitted patient care had more than one phase. |