Episode of admitted patient care—admission date, DDMMYYYY

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Admission date |
| METEOR identifier: | 695137 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 06/09/2018  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 17/06/2020 |
| Definition: | The date on which an admitted patient commences an episode of care, expressed as DDMMYYYY. |

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| Data element concept attributes | |
| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Data element concept: | [Episode of admitted patient care—admission date](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/269411) |
| METEOR identifier: | 269411 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 01/03/2005  [National Health Performance Authority (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/10), Retired 01/07/2016  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 02/09/2016 |
| Definition: | Date on which an admitted patient commences an episode of care. |
| Context: | Required to identify the period in which the admitted patient episode and hospital stay occurred and for derivation of length of stay. |
| Object class: | [Episode of admitted patient care](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/268956) |
| Property: | [Admission date](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/269247) |

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| Value domain attributes | |
| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Value domain: | [Date DDMMYYYY](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/270566) |
| METEOR identifier: | 270566 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 01/03/2005  [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 01/03/2005  [Housing assistance](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/13), Standard 01/03/2005  [Early Childhood](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Standard 21/05/2010  [Homelessness](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/16), Standard 23/08/2010  [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 31/10/2012  [WA Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/5), Standard 06/03/2014  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Standard 11/08/2014  [Disability](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/18), Standard 07/10/2014  [Commonwealth Department of Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12) , Standard 14/10/2015  [National Health Performance Authority (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/10), Retired 01/07/2016  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 31/08/2016  [Children and Families](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 22/11/2016  [Youth Justice](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/4), Standard 15/02/2022 |
| Definition: | The day of a particular month and year. |

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



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| Data element attributes | |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Origin: | National Health Data Committee |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Episode of admitted patient care—admission date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/269967)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 06/09/2018  [National Health Performance Authority (retired)](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/10), Retired 01/07/2016  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 17/06/2020  Is used in the formation of [Episode of admitted patient care—diagnosis related group, code (AR-DRG v 10.0) ANNA](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/729933)  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 19/06/2020  See also [Episode of admitted patient care—admission time, hhmm](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/682942)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 20/10/2021  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 17/06/2020  See also [Episode of admitted patient care—admission time, hhmm](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/748817)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 20/10/2021  See also [Episode of mental health care—episode start date](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/653740)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 17/01/2020  See also [Episode of mental health care—episode start date](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/723143)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 17/01/2020  See also [Episode of mental health care—episode start date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/730809)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 23/12/2020  See also [Episode of mental health care—episode start date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/722601)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 23/12/2020  See also [Episode of mental health care—episode start date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/680898)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 17/01/2020 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Admitted patient care admission related data elements (TDLU) cluster](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/743790)  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 18/05/2021  [Admitted patient care NMDS 2019-20](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/699728)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 18/12/2019  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2019 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2020 ***DSS specific information:***  Right justified and zero filled.  Admission date must be less than or equal to Separation date.  Admission date must be greater than or equal to Date of birth.  [Admitted patient care NMDS 2020–21](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/713850)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 05/02/2021  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2020 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2021 ***DSS specific information:***  Right justified and zero filled.  Admission date must be less than or equal to Separation date.  Admission date must be greater than or equal to Date of birth.  [Admitted patient care NMDS 2021–22](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/728439)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 20/10/2021  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2021 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2022 ***DSS specific information:***  Right justified and zero filled.  Admission date must be less than or equal to Separation date.  Admission date must be greater than or equal to Date of birth.  [Admitted patient care NMDS 2022–23](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/742173)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 20/10/2021  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2022 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2023 ***DSS specific information:***  Right justified and zero filled.  Admission date must be less than or equal to Separation date.  Admission date must be greater than or equal to Date of birth.  [Allied health admitted patient care NBPDS](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/705499)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 12/12/2018  [Bowel cancer diagnosed cluster](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/719775)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 05/02/2021  [Bowel cancer diagnosed cluster](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/732518)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 05/02/2021  ***Conditional obligation:***  Conditional on the person being admitted for care as a result of their bowel cancer diagnosis  [Bowel cancer diagnosed cluster](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/695155)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 16/01/2020  [Tasmanian Admitted Patient Data Set - 2020](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/729751)  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 10/07/2020  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2020  ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2021 |
| Implementation in Indicators: | [National Healthcare Agreement: PB f–By 2014–15, improve the provision of primary care and reduce the proportion of potentially preventable hospital admissions by 7.6 per cent over the 2006-07 baseline to 8.5 per cent of total hospital admissions, 2022](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/740898)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 24/09/2021  [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 18–Selected potentially preventable hospitalisations, 2022](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/740851)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 24/09/2021  [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 27–Number of hospital patient days used by those eligible and waiting for residential aged care, 2022](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/740822)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 24/09/2021  [Palliative Care and End-of-Life Care: PI 02-Average length of palliative care inpatient stay, 2021](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/742659)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Qualified 21/10/2021  [National Healthcare Agreement: PB f–By 2014–15, improve the provision of primary care and reduce the proportion of potentially preventable hospital admissions by 7.6 per cent over the 2006-07 baseline to 8.5 per cent of total hospital admissions, 2022](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/740898)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 24/09/2021  [National Healthcare Agreement: PI 27–Number of hospital patient days used by those eligible and waiting for residential aged care, 2022](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/740822)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 24/09/2021 |