Episode of admitted patient care—separation date, MMYYYY

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Separation month and year
METEOR identifier:	743743
Registration status:	Tasmanian Health, Standard 06/05/2021
Definition:	The date on which an admitted patient completes an episode of care, expressed as MMYYYY.
Data Element Concept:	Episode of admitted patient care—separation date
Value Domain:	Date MMYYYY

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Date
Data type:	Date/Time
Format:	MMYYYY
Maximum character length:	6

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Comments:	There may be variations amongst jurisdictions with respect to the recording of separation date. This most often occurs for patients who are statistically separated after a period of leave (and who do not return for further hospital care). In this case, some jurisdictions may record the separation date as the date of statistical **separation** (and record intervening days as leave days) while other jurisdictions may retrospectively separate patients on the first day of leave. Despite the variations in recording of separation date for this group of patients, the current practices provide for the accurate recording of length of stay.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Department of Health Tasmania
Origin:	National Health Data Committee

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Is re-engineered from 📄 [Separation date, version 5, DE, NHDD, NHIMG, Superseded 01/03/2005.pdf](#) (15.2 KB) *No registration status*

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