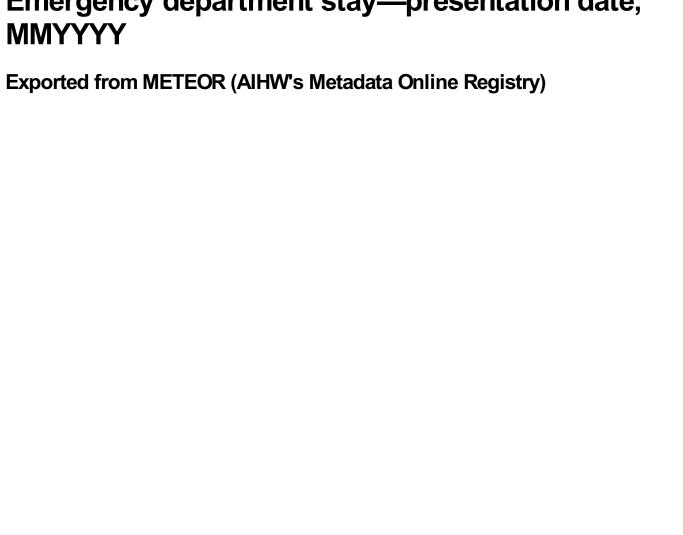
# Emergency department stay—presentation date,



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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

**Short name:** Emergency department presentation date MMYYYY

METEOR identifier: 744132

Registration status: Tasmanian Health, Standard 18/05/2021

**Definition:** The date on which a patient/client presents for the delivery of an emergency

department service, expressed as MMYYYY.

**Data Element Concept:** <u>Emergency department stay—presentation date</u>

Value Domain: <u>Date MMYYYY</u>

#### 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

**Guide for use:** The date of patient presentation at the emergency department is the date of first

recorded contact with an emergency department staff member. The first recorded contact can be the commencement of the clerical registration or triage process

whichever happens first.

**Comments:** Required to identify commencement of a visit and for calculation of waiting times.

#### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Department of Health Tasmania

Relational attributes

**Specifications:** <u>Tasmanian Health</u>, Standard 18/05/2021