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|  |  | **Organizational Identifiers** |  |  |
|  | VAMC CONTROLQICBEGDTEREVDTE | Facility IDControl NumberAbstractor IDAbstraction Begin DateAbstraction End Date | Auto-fillAuto-fillAuto-fillAuto-fillAuto-fill |  |
|  |  | Patient Identifiers |  |  |
|  | SSNPTNAMEFPTNAMELBIRTHDTSEXMARISTATRACE | Patient SSNFirst NameLast NameBirth DateSexMarital StatusRace | Auto-fill: no changeAuto-fill: no changeAuto-fill: no changeAuto-fill: no changeAuto-fill: **can change**Auto-fill: no changeAuto-fill: no change |  |
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| 1 | arrvdateALL | Enter the **earliest** documented date the patient arrived in the emergency department (ED) at this VAMC. | mm/dd/yyyy**Prepopulated: Cannot be modified**

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| >= stdybeg and <= stdyend |

 | **Prepopulated and cannot be modified.**Arrival date is the date the patient arrived in the emergency department at this VAMC.  |

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| 2 | arrvtimeALL | Enter theearliestdocumented time the patient arrived at the ED at this VAMC. | \_\_\_\_\_UMT**Prepopulated: Cannot be modified** | **Prepopulated and cannot be modified.**Arrival time is the earliest recorded time the patient arrived at the emergency department at this VAMC.  |
| 3 | pedcdt | Enter the date the patient departed from the ED. | mm/dd/yyyy

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| >= arrvdate and <= stdyend |

**Prepopulated: Cannot be modified** | **Prepopulated and cannot be modified.**Departure date is the date the patient departed the ED. |
| 4 | vedcdt | Does the prepopulated ED departure date match the ED departure date documented in the medical record?1. Yes2. No | 1,2If 2, go to edcdt, else go to vedctm | **ONLY ACCEPTABLE SOURCE: ED record****Review the ED record for documentation of the date the patient departed from the ED. If the documented ED departure date is the same as the prepopulated date, select “1”.** **Includes, but is not limited to:** ED Departure Date, ED Discharge Date, ED Leave Date **Exclude:** Disposition Date |
| 5 | edcdt | Enter the date documented in the medical record that the patient departed from the ED. | mm/dd/yyyyAbstractor can enter 99/99/9999

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| > =arrvdate and <= 3 days after arrvdate |

 | **ONLY ACCEPTABLE SOURCE: ED record*** If the date of departure from the ED is not documented, but the date of departure can be determined from other documentation, (e.g., you are able to identify from documentation the patient arrived and was transferred to medical unit on the same day), enter this date.
* For patients who are placed into observation services, enter the date of the physician/APN/PA order for observation services as ED Departure Date.
* A discharge date listed on a disposition sheet may be used. If there is documentation the patient left against medical advice and it cannot be determined what date the patient left against medical advice, enter 99/99/9999.
* If the date the patient departed from the ED is unable to be determined from medical record documentation, enter 99/99/9999.

**Includes, but is not limited to:** ED Departure Date, ED Discharge Date, ED Leave Date **Exclude:** Disposition Date |
| 6 | pedctm | Enter the time the patient departed from the ED. | UMT**Prepopulated: Cannot be modified** | **Prepopulated and cannot be modified.**Departure time is the time the patient departed the ED. |
| 7 | vedctm | Does the prepopulated ED departure time match the ED departure time documented in the medical record?1. Yes2. No | 1,2If 1, go to edlwobs | **ONLY ACCEPTABLE SOURCE: ED record****Review the ED record for documentation of the time the patient departed from the ED. If the ED departure time documented in the medical record is the same as the prepopulated time, select “1”.** ***ED Departure Time* is the documented time the patient physically left the Emergency Department.** The intention is to capture the latest time at which the patient was receiving care in the ED, under the care of ED services, or awaiting transport to services/care.  |
| 8 | edctm | Enter the time documented in the medical record that the patient departed from the ED. | \_\_\_\_\_UMT**Abstractor can enter 99:99**

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| >=arrvdate/arrvtime and < = 72 hours after arrvdate/arrvtime  |

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| Warning if edcdt/edctm - arrvdate/arrvtime <= 10 minutes or >= 240 minutes |

 | **ONLY ACCEPTABLE SOURCE: ED record*****ED Departure Time* is the documented time the patient physically left the Emergency Department. The intention is to capture the latest time at which the patient was receiving care in the ED, under the care of ED services, or awaiting transport to services/care.** * When more than one acceptable *ED Departure Time* is documented, abstract the **latest** time.

Example: Two departure times are found in the ED nurse’s notes: 12:03 via wheelchair and 12:20 via wheelchair. Enter the later time of 12:20 as ED departure time. * If the patient expired in the ED, use the time of death as the *ED Departure Time.*
* For patients who are placed into observation services, use the time of the physician/APN/PA order for observation services as *ED Departure Time*.
* Do not use the time the discharge order was written because it may not represent the actual time of departure.
* A departure time listed within a disposition heading from the ED may be used.
* If the time the patient departed from the ED is unable to be determined from medical record documentation, enter 99:99.

**Includes, but is not limited to:** ED Check Out Time, ED Departure Time, ED Discharge Time, ED Leave Time, ED Order for Observation Status**Excludes, but is not limited to:** Discharge Instructions Time, Disposition Time, Report Called Time |
| 9 | edlwobs | Is there medical record documentation that the patient left the ED without being seen?1. Yes2. No | 1,2

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| **Warning if 2** |

 | **In order to answer “1”, there must be documentation in the ED record that the patient left the ED without being seen. Left without being seen may be documented as LWOBS.**Some examples:* ED nursing triage note documents, “Left without being seen and departed ED at 22:50.”
* Addendum to ED nursing note, “Patient states cannot wait to be seen. Left ED ambulatory and in no acute distress.”

**Data source:** ED record may include but is not limited to ED disposition note, LWOBS note, nursing triage note  |