

# Medical indemnity claim—medical indemnity claim status, code NN

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Medical indemnity claim status
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	329644
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 07/12/2011
<b>Definition:</b>	The status of a medical indemnity claim in terms of the stage it has reached in the claims management process from a reserve being set to file closure, as represented by a code.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Medical indemnity claim—medical indemnity claim status</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Medical indemnity claim status code NN</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code
<b>Data type:</b>	Number
<b>Format:</b>	NN
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	2

	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	10	Not yet commenced, claim file open
	11	Not yet commenced, claim file closed
	20	Commenced, claim file open
	30	Commenced, claim file closed
	32	Structured settlement, claim file open
	33	Structured settlement, claim file closed
	40	Claim previously closed, now reopened
	50	Claim record rescinded, not a medical indemnity claim

## Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:**

CODE 10 Not yet commenced, claim file open

'Not yet commenced, claim file open' indicates that a reserve has been set for the medical indemnity claim but none of the events signalling claim commencement have yet occurred and the claim remains open.

CODE 11 Not yet commenced, claim file closed

'Not yet commenced, claim file closed' indicates that a reserve has been set for the medical indemnity claim but none of the events signalling claim commencement have occurred, so the claim has been finalised as a discontinued potential claim.

CODE 20 Commenced, claim file open

'Commenced, claim file open' indicates that the medical indemnity claim has commenced and remains open.

CODE 30 Commenced, claim file closed

'Commenced, claim file closed' indicates that the medical indemnity claim has commenced and has been closed.

CODE 32 Structured settlement, claim file open

'Structured settlement, claim file open' indicates where a decision on a structured settlement has been reached but the medical indemnity claim file remains open.

CODE 33 Structured settlement, claim file closed

'Structured settlement, claim file closed' indicates where the medical indemnity claim was subject to a structured settlement and the medical indemnity claim file has been closed.

CODE 40 Claim previously closed, now reopened

'Claim previously closed, now reopened' indicates instances where a medical indemnity claim previously recorded as finalised on the Medical Indemnity National Collection (Public Sector) database has been reopened.

CODE 50 Claim record rescinded, not a medical indemnity claim

'Claim record rescinded, not a medical indemnity claim' indicates when the health authority determines that a record previously transmitted to the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (the National Data Custodian) is not a medical indemnity claim but is another type of claim, a duplicate record with a different claim identifier, or the record of a health-care incident construed as a potential claim but on insufficient justification.

## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

**Steward:** [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](#)

## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

**Comments:** This data element indicates the stage in the claims management process (that is, reserve placed, claim commenced and/or claim closed) that a medical indemnity claim has reached at the time that the data are provided to the National Data Custodian.

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## Relational attributes

### Related metadata references:

See also [Medical indemnity claim—medical indemnity claim finalisation mode, code N\[N\]](#)  
[Health](#), Standard 07/12/2011

### Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Medical indemnity DSS 2012-14](#)  
[Health](#), Superseded 21/11/2013  
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