

Registered health professional—principal field of medicine

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Registered health professional—principal field of medicine

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element Concept
METEOR identifier:	377805
Registration status:	Health , Standard 10/12/2009
Definition:	The field of medicine in which a registered health professional worked the most hours in the week prior to registration.

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class:	Registered health professional
Definition:	A person who is listed as a health professional during the reference period with the Australian Health Practitioner Regulatory Agency under the <i>Health Practitioner Regulation National Law Bill</i> .
Specialisation of:	Service/care provider

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	Registered health professionals include <ul style="list-style-type: none">• chiropractors• dental hygienists• dental prosthetists• dental therapists• dentists• medical practitioners• midwives• nurses - enrolled• nurses - registered• nurse practitioners• optometrists• osteopaths• pharmacists• physiotherapists• podiatrists• psychologists.
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Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property:	Principal field of medicine
Definition:	The field of medicine in which the most hours were worked in the week prior to registration.
Property group:	Labour characteristics

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element concept attributes

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Relational attributes

**Data Elements
implementing this Data
Element Concept:**

[Registered health professional—principal field of medicine, medical practitioner
code N](#)
[Health](#), Standard 10/12/2009