

# Dialysis

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Glossary Item
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	620124
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 03/11/2016
<b>Definition:</b>	An artificial method of removing waste products and water from the blood as well as regulating levels of circulating chemicals. There are two main forms of dialysis: haemodialysis, which occurs outside the body via a machine; and peritoneal dialysis, which occurs inside the patient's body via the lining of the abdominal cavity.

## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
<b>Reference documents:</b>	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare 2015. Chronic kidney disease definitions. Viewed 30 September 2015, < <a href="http://www.aihw.gov.au/ckd/definitions/">http://www.aihw.gov.au/ckd/definitions/</a> >.

## Relational attributes

<b>Metadata items which use this glossary item:</b>	<a href="#">Acute renal dialysis unit indicator</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 03/11/2016
	<a href="#">Establishment—acute renal dialysis unit indicator</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 03/11/2016
	<a href="#">Establishment—acute renal dialysis unit indicator, yes/no code N</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 03/11/2016
	<a href="#">Establishment—maintenance renal dialysis centre indicator</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 03/11/2016
	<a href="#">Establishment—maintenance renal dialysis centre indicator, yes/no code N</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 03/11/2016
	<a href="#">Local Hospital Networks/Public hospital establishments NMDS 2020–21</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 05/02/2021
	<a href="#">Local Hospital Networks/Public hospital establishments NMDS 2021–22</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 17/12/2021
	<a href="#">Local Hospital Networks/Public hospital establishments NMDS 2022–23</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 09/12/2022
	<a href="#">Local Hospital Networks/Public hospital establishments NMDS 2023–24</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 06/12/2023
	<a href="#">Local Hospital Networks/Public hospital establishments NMDS 2024–25</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 06/12/2023
	<a href="#">Maintenance renal dialysis centre indicator</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 03/11/2016