Australian Standard Classification of Drugs of Concern 2000

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Identifying and definitional attributes

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Definition: The Australian Bureau of Statistics' classification for data relating to drugs which

are considered to be of concern in Australian society.

Classification structure: The main classification of the ASCEDC has a three level hierarchical structure. It is

essentially a classification of type of drug of concern based on the chemical structure, mechanism of action and effect on physiological activity of the drugs of

concern.

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: Indexes in alphabetical and numerical order are available, see the *Origin:* attribute.

Source and reference attributes

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Relational attributes

Related metadata Has been superseded by Australian Standard Classification of Drugs of Concern

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