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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 365463 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 25/08/2011  [National Health Performance Authority (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/8), Retired 01/07/2016 |
| Definition: | The Anatomical, Therapeutic, Chemical Classification System with Defined Daily Doses (ATC/DDD) code set representing the type of medication administered to a person. |

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| Representational attributes | | |
| Classification scheme: | [The Anatomical, Therapeutic, Chemical Classification System with Defined Daily Doses (ATC/DDD)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/334667) | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | String | |
| Format: | A[{NN}AA{NN}] | |
| Maximum character length: | 7 | |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Revision status: | The system has been used for statistics since 1975.  Years between revisions - 1  Year of last revision - 2004  Latest revision number - 6 for the Guidelines in the current format, 13 for the Index in the current format. |

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| Relational attributes | |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Person—medication type, medication type (ATC/DDD) code A[{NN}AA{NN}]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/365469)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 25/08/2011  [National Health Performance Authority (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/8), Retired 01/07/2016 |