

# Major diagnostic category code (AR-DRG v 6) NN

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Value Domain
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	391293
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 30/06/2013 <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Superseded 07/09/2016
<b>Definition:</b>	The AR-DRG (version 6) code set representing acute admitted patient episodes in public and private hospitals.

## Representational attributes

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

## Relational attributes

<b>Related metadata references:</b>	Supersedes <a href="#">Major diagnostic category code (AR-DRG v5.1) NN</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 22/12/2009  Has been superseded by <a href="#">Major diagnostic category code (AR-DRG v 7) NN</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Recorded 23/09/2014  Has been superseded by <a href="#">Major diagnostic category code (AR-DRG v 8.0) NN</a> <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Superseded 11/01/2018
<b>Data elements implementing this value domain:</b>	<a href="#">Episode of admitted patient care—major diagnostic category, code (AR-DRG v 6) NN</a> <a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 30/06/2013 <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Superseded 07/09/2016

## Classification scheme attributes

<b>Classification scheme:</b>	<a href="#">Australian Refined Diagnosis Related Groups version 6</a>
<b>Synonymous names:</b>	AR-DRG v 6
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	391288
<b>Definition:</b>	The Commonwealth Department of Health and Ageing classification for the reasons for hospitalisation and the complexity of cases that a hospital treats.
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 30/06/2013

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Comments:</b>	The Australian Refined Diagnosis Related Groups are derived from a range of data collected on admitted patients, including diagnosis and procedure information, classified using ICD-10-AM.
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