Patient—principal diagnosis

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# Patient—principal diagnosis

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element Concept |
| METEOR identifier: | 433351 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 07/12/2011 |
| Definition: | The diagnosis established after study to be chiefly responsible for occasioning a patient's service event or episode. |

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Object class: | [Patient](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/268959) |
| METEOR identifier: | 268959 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005  [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 01/11/2012  [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 11/08/2014  [WA Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/2), Standard 19/03/2015  [National Health Performance Authority (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/8), Retired 01/07/2016  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Standard 25/05/2020  [Commonwealth Department of Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/10), Retired 19/10/2023 |
| Definition: | A person for whom a health service accepts responsibility for treatment and/or care. |
| Specialisation of: | [Person/group of persons](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/281123) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Property: | [Principal diagnosis](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269186) |
| METEOR identifier: | 269186 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005  [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 31/10/2012  [National Health Performance Authority (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/8), Retired 01/07/2016  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Standard 02/09/2016 |
| Definition: | The diagnosis chiefly responsible for occasioning a service event or episode. |
| Property group: | [Service provision event](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/274661) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

## Data element concept attributes

### Relational attributes



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| Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept: | [Patient—principal diagnosis, (ICD-10-AM 10th edn) ANN{.N[N]}](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/686243)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 25/01/2018  [Patient—principal diagnosis, (ICD-10-AM 7th edn) ANN{.N[N]}](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/433356)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 02/05/2013  [Patient—principal diagnosis, (ICD-10-AM 8th edn) ANN{.N[N]}](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/514304)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 13/11/2014  [Patient—principal diagnosis, (ICD-10-AM 9th edn) ANN{.N[N]}](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/592046)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 25/01/2018 |