Australian national sub-acute and non-acute patient classification code (v 3) NNNN

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Value Domain
METEOR identifier:	496405
Registration status:	[Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Standard 11/10/2012
Definition:	The code set (version 3) describing the Australian National Sub-acute and Non-Acute Patient (AN-SNAP) class to which an episode of care is assigned.

Representational attributes

Classification scheme:	[Australian national sub-acute and non-acute patient classification version 3](#)
Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	NNNN
Maximum character length:	4

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	The first digit of the AN-SNAP class code reflects the AN-SNAP classification version number.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Independent Hospital Pricing Authority
Origin:	University of Wollongong
Reference documents:	Eagar K. et al (1997). The Australian National Sub-acute and Non-acute Patient Classification (AN-SNAP): Report of the National Sub-acute and Non-acute Casemix Classification Study. Centre for Health Service Development, University of Wollongong. Viewed 18 September 2012, http://ahsri.uow.edu.au/content/groups/public/@web/@chsd/documents/doc/uow082315.pdf University of Wollongong 2012. Australian National Subacute and Non-Acute Patient classification (AN-SNAP) Version 3. University of Wollongong, Wollongong. Viewed 26 September 2012, http://ahsri.uow.edu.au/chsd/ansnap/index.html

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Supersedes [Australian national sub-acute and non-acute patient classification code (v 2) NNNN](#) [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Superseded 11/10/2012
Data elements implementing this value domain:	[Episode of admitted patient care—Australian national sub-acute and non-acute patient class, (AN-SNAP v 3) code NNNN](#) [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](#), Standard 11/10/2012