

Individual service provider—healthcare individual provider identifier, X[X(19)]

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Healthcare individual provider identifier
METEOR identifier:	522896
Registration status:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health, Standard 05/10/2016
Definition:	A persistent identifier issued by a registration body to identify an individual service provider, as represented by a combination of numeric and/or alphabetic characters.
Data Element Concept:	Individual service provider—healthcare individual provider identifier

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Identifier
Data type:	String
Format:	X[X(19)]
Maximum character length:	20

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	The registration board is expected to maintain this identifier as a persistent identifier for a practitioner across the professions. This identifier is different to the profession registration identifier, as a practitioner may have multiple professions with different registration identifiers.
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Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
Reference documents:	Standards Australia 2014. AS 4846:2014 Person and provider identification in healthcare. Sydney: Standards Australia.

Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:	Provider professional board clusterHealth , Standard 05/10/2016
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