

New health professional graduate—qualified profession type, code N[N].N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Qualified profession (new health professional graduate)
METEOR identifier:	542861
Registration status:	Health , Retired 31/10/2017 Independent Hospital Pricing Authority , Superseded 17/08/2015
Definition:	The type of profession for which a new health professional graduate is qualified, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	New health professional graduate—qualified profession type
Value Domain:	Health profession type code N[N].N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	N[N].N
Maximum character length:	3

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1.0	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health worker
	2.0	Audiology
	3.0	Chiropractic
	4.0	Dentistry
	5.0	Dietetics
	6.0	Exercise physiology
	7.0	Medical laboratory science
	8.0	Medicine
	8.1	Medicine - prevocational postgraduate year 1
	8.2	Medicine - prevocational postgraduate year 2
	8.3	Medicine - prevocational postgraduate year 3+
	9.0	Midwifery
	10.0	Nursing
	10.1	Nursing - enrolled nurse
	10.2	Nursing - registered nurse
	10.3	Nursing - nurse practitioner
	10.8	Nursing - other nursing profession
	11.0	Occupational therapy
	12.0	Optometry
	13.0	Oral health

	14.0	Orthoptics
	15.0	Orthotics and prosthetics
	16.0	Osteopathy
	17.0	Paramedicine
	18.0	Pharmacy
	19.0	Physiotherapy
	20.0	Podiatry
	21.0	Psychology
	22.0	Radiation science
	23.0	Social work
	24.0	Sonography
	25.0	Speech pathology
Supplementary values:	99.9	Not stated/inadequately described

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Independent Hospital Pricing Authority

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: CODE 8.0 Medicine

Includes medical graduates who are undertaking their compulsory internship. This is also known as the intern year or postgraduate year one. Satisfactory completion of an intern year is required before junior doctors are granted general medical registration. Most junior doctors work for at least one or two more years after their intern year to gain more experience.

CODE 8.1 Medicine - prevocational postgraduate year 1

Includes medical graduates in their first postgraduate year of training.

CODE 8.2 Medicine - prevocational postgraduate year 2

Includes medical graduates in their second postgraduate year of training.

CODE 8.3 Medicine - prevocational postgraduate year 3+

Includes medical graduates in their third postgraduate year of training, or medical graduates undergoing prevocational postgraduate training for greater than three years.

CODE 13.0 Oral health

Includes dental hygienist, dental therapist, dental prosthetist and oral health therapist.

CODE 22.0 Radiation science

Includes medical diagnostic radiographer, medical radiation therapist and nuclear medicine technologist.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Independent Hospital Pricing Authority

Relational attributes

**Related metadata
references:**

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**Implementation in Data Set
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