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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 545757 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Retired 31/10/2017 |
| Definition: | A code set describing fields of medical specialty practice. |

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| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N[N].N[N] |
| Maximum character length: | 4 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1.0 | Addiction medicine |
|   | 2.0 | Anaesthesia |
|   | 3.0 | Dermatology |
|   | 4.0 | Emergency medicine |
|   | 5.0 | General practice |
|   | 6.0 | Intensive care medicine |
|   | 7.0 | Medical administration |
|   | 8.0 | Obstetrics and gynaecology |
|   | 9.0 | Occupational and environmental medicine |
|   | 10.0 | Ophthalmology |
|   | 11.0 | Paediatrics and child health |
|   | 12.0 | Pain medicine |
|   | 13.0 | Palliative medicine |
|   | 14.0 | Pathology |
|   | 15.0 | Physician |
|   | 15.1 | Physician - cardiology |
|   | 15.2 | Physician - endocrinology |
|   | 15.3 | Physician - gastroenterology and hepatology |
|   | 15.4 | Physician - general medicine |
|   | 15.5 | Physician - geriatric medicine |
|   | 15.6 | Physician - medical oncology |
|   | 15.7 | Physician - nephrology |
|   | 15.8 | Physician - neurology |
|   | 15.88 | Physician - other physician type |
|   | 16.0 | Psychiatry |
|   | 17.0 | Public health medicine |
|   | 18.0 | Radiation oncology |
|   | 19.0 | Radiology |
|   | 20.0 | Rehabilitation medicine |
|   | 21.0 | Sexual health medicine |
|   | 22.0 | Sport and exercise medicine |
|   | 23.0 | Surgery |
|   | 23.1 | Surgery - general  |
|   | 23.2 | Surgery - orthopaedic |
|   | 23.3 | Surgery - otolaryngology |
|   | 23.4 | Surgery - plastic |
|   | 23.88 | Surgery - other surgery type |
|   | 80.0 | Medical profession certificate or diploma |
| Supplementary values: | 99.9  | Not stated/inadequately described  |

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Independent Hospital Pricing Authority |

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| Relational attributes  |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Medical graduate trainee—medical specialty type, code N[N].N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/542872)       [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Retired 31/10/2017       [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Superseded 17/08/2015[Medical postgraduate and vocational trainee—medical specialty type, code N[N].N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/585806)       [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Retired 27/11/2017 |