

# Australian Refined Diagnosis Related Groups version 6.0x

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Classification Scheme
<b>Synonymous names:</b>	AR-DRG v 6.0x
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	584591
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">National Health Performance Authority (retired)</a> , Retired 01/07/2016
<b>Definition:</b>	The Commonwealth Department of Health and Ageing classification for the reasons for hospitalisation and the complexity of cases that a hospital treats.

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Comments:</b>	<p>The Australian Refined Diagnosis Related Groups are derived from a range of data collected on admitted patients, including diagnosis and procedure information, classified using ICD-10-AM.</p> <p>Specialist software - Visasys DrGroup 6.0x was used to allocate AR-DRG v6.0x codes to patient episodes. This ensured consistency in the DRG version used accross states and territories.</p>
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## Relational attributes

<b>Value Domains based on this classification scheme:</b>	<a href="#">Condition/procedure code AR-DRG (version 6.0x) ANNA</a> <a href="#">National Health Performance Authority (retired)</a> , Retired 01/07/2016
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