# Patient—diagnosis, diagnosis code (ICPC-2 PLUS) ANNNNN

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Diagnosis—patient (ICPC-2 PLUS)
METEOR identifier:	586338
Registration status:	National Health Performance Authority (retired), Retired 01/07/2016
Definition:	The identification of the nature of an illness or other problem by examination of the symptoms that is responsible for occasioning a patient's GP care, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Patient—diagnosis
Value Domain:	Diagnosis code (ICPC-2 PLUS) ANNNNN

## Value domain attributes

#### **Representational attributes**

Classification scheme:	International Classification of Primary Care, Second edition PLUS
Representation class:	Code
Data type:	String
Format:	ANNNN
Maximum character length:	6

#### Source and reference attributes

Reference documents:	http://sydney.edu.au/medicine/fmrc/icpc-2-plus/end-
	users/PC_UserGuide_Web2007.pdf