

Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) state/territory data extract 2013-14

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Set Specification
METEOR identifier:	603356
Registration status:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Commonwealth Department of Health, Standard 14/10/2015
DSS type:	Data Element Cluster
Scope:	<p>This data set specification describes the output data set made available via the Department of Health's Enterprise Data Warehouse (EDW) in relation to the ongoing operations of the Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS).</p> <p>The data set contains data as presented for analysis by users of the EDW, i.e. the data has generally undergone some degree of validation or reformatting in comparison with the raw input data sets provided to the Department of Health by the Department of Human Services.</p> <p>In some use cases, data produced in accordance with the structure described in this data set specification may need to be suppressed, de-identified or perturbed by the Department of Health in order to protect the privacy and/or confidentiality of individual patients and service providers.</p>

Collection and usage attributes

Collection methods:	<p>The data described in this data set specification is administrative by-product data generated by the ongoing daily operations of the MBS.</p> <p>Medicare benefits are claimable for 'clinically relevant' services rendered by an appropriate health practitioner.</p>
Implementation start date:	01/07/2013
Implementation end date:	30/06/2014

Source and reference attributes

Steward:	Department of Health
Origin:	Department of Human Services, Canberra. Viewed 27 April 2015, http://www.humanservices.gov.au/customer/subjects/medicare-services#a3

Relational attributes

Metadata items in this Data Set Specification [Show more detail](#)

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
1	Service/care provider—Medicare service provider identifier, NNNNNN	Mandatory	1
2	Service/care provider—Medicare service provider practice location identifier, text X	Mandatory	1

3	Address—Australian postcode, Australian postcode code (Postcode datafile) {NNNN}	Mandatory	1
3	Address—Australian postcode, Australian postcode code (Postcode datafile) {NNNN}	Mandatory	1
3	Address—Australian postcode, Australian postcode code (Postcode datafile) {NNNN}	Mandatory	1
4	Service/care provider—Australian state/territory identifier, ACT-prioritised Australian state/territory code N	Mandatory	1
4	Service/care provider—Australian state/territory identifier, ACT-prioritised Australian state/territory code N	Mandatory	1
6	Service/care provider—Medicare referring provider identifier, NNNNNN	Mandatory	1
7	Service/care provider—Medicare referring provider practice location identifier, X	Mandatory	1
9	Service/care provider—specialty of requesting provider, health professional specialty group code NN	Mandatory	1
10	Person—Medicare personal identifier number, N(9)	Mandatory	1
11	Person—date of birth, DDMMYYYY	Mandatory	1
12	Person—sex, code A	Mandatory	1
14	Person—Australian state/territory identifier, ACT-prioritised code N	Mandatory	1
15	Service event—Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) item identifier, NN[NNN]	Mandatory	1
16	Service event—Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) category, code N[N]	Mandatory	1
17	Service event—Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) group, code ANN	Mandatory	1
18	Service event—Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) subgroup, code ANNNN	Mandatory	1
19	Service event—date of Medicare service, DDMMYYYY	Mandatory	1
20	Service event—Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) processing date, DDMMYYYY	Mandatory	1
21	Record—Department of Health Broad Type of Service (BTOS) hierarchy, code NNNN	Mandatory	1
22	Service event—type of Medicare billing, code A	Mandatory	1
23	Service event—Medicare in-hospital treatment indicator, yes/no code A	Mandatory	1
24	Service/care provider—number of Medicare services provided, total number N	Mandatory	1
25	Service event—number of Medicare services claimed, total number N	Mandatory	1
26	Service event—amount of Medicare Benefit Schedule (MBS) benefit paid, Australian currency N[NNN].NN	Mandatory	1
27	Service event—Medicare fee charged, total Australian currency N[NNN].NN	Mandatory	1
28	Service event—Medicare Benefits Schedule (MBS) schedule fee, total Australian currency N[NNN].NN	Mandatory	1
29	Service event—number of radiotherapy fields for radiotherapy items, total number N	Conditional	1
30	Service event—number of time periods for epidural anaesthetic items, total number N	Conditional	1
31	Service event—Number of patients seen for non-referred attendance items, total number N	Conditional	1
32	Service event—number of foetal tests done for foetal intervention items, total number N	Conditional	1
33	Service/care provider—geographic remoteness, Medicare remoteness classification (ASGS-RA) N	Mandatory	1
33	Service/care provider—geographic remoteness, Medicare remoteness classification (ASGS-RA) N	Mandatory	1
35	Service event—Medicare diagnostic imaging multiple services rule, code A	Mandatory	1
36	Service event—Medicare multiple procedure type, code A	Mandatory	1
37	Service event—Medicare referral reason, code N	Mandatory	1

38 [Service/care provider—specialty of servicing provider, health professional specialty group code NN](#) Mandatory 1