

Prescription—repeat prescription indicator

Metadata item type:	Data Element Concept
METEOR identifier:	603999
Registration status:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Commonwealth Department of Health, Standard 17/12/2015
Definition:	An indicator of whether a prescription is a repeat prescription or an original prescription.

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class:	Prescription
Definition:	<p>An order for medication, therapy or therapeutic device given by a properly authorised person, which ultimately goes to a person properly authorised to dispense, supply or perform the order (in most situations, a pharmacist).</p> <p>A prescription is usually in written form (either handwritten or computer generated); can be phoned or faxed; and includes the patient's name and address, the date, the medication prescribed either as approved or generic name or as a proprietary name (or trademark); directions to the pharmacist, whether it is acceptable to dispense a generic equivalent, directions to the patient that must appear on the label, prescriber's signature and an identifying prescriber number.</p>
Specialisation of:	Service/care event

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Department of Health
Origin:	Harris P, Nagy S, Vardaxis N (Editors) 2010. Mosby's Dictionary of Medicine, Nursing & Health Professions, 2nd Australian and New Zealand Edition. NSW: Mosby Elsevier, page 1404.

Property attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Property:	Repeat prescription indicator
Definition:	An indicator of whether a prescription allows the repeated supply of a specified prescription medicinal product.
Property group:	Service provision event

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Department of Health
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Data element concept attributes

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Relational attributes

**Data Elements
implementing this Data
Element Concept:**

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